

21 August 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

Change to online payment/dinner money system from September 2024

Further to my previous letter regarding our move from parent pay to MCAS (My Child At School), this transfer has now taken place. Any existing dinner money balances, and payments made towards any school trips, have been transferred across to MCAS. You should now be able to see these when you log onto the app.

Dinner money payments

Parents/ Carers of **students in years 8-11** will now be able to top up dinner money accounts through the dinner tab on the MCAS app.

Parents / Carers of **students starting in year 7** will not be able to access the app until the student has started Scalby School in September. If your child would like a school dinner, **please provide your child with cash for the first week.** They will be able to use this to top up their dinner money accounts at the machines in school.

Student timetables

You are not yet able to view your child's timetable on the MCAS app. Your child will be provided with their new timetable on the first day of term. Your child will not need to bring their PE / Drama kit with them on the first day back to school.

Downloading the app and logging in

We will be using the MCAS app to communicate with parents / carers. If you haven't already, we encourage you to take the time to install the app.

The app is available through the Google Store or Apple Store, just search for My Child At School app by Bromcom Computers Plc.

Parents/ Carers of students starting year 7 in September 2024, will not be able to access the app until they start in school on 3rd September 2024. Log on details will be sent to you in September 2024.

Further guidance for the My Child at School app and a copy of the parent guide can be found at https://docs.bromcom.com/knowledge-base/mcas-parent-guide/

Yours faithfully

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