

# Ramsgate Arts Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers

I am writing to inform you that as a response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Government has temporarily extended the eligibility criteria for Free School Meals to some children of groups who have no recourse to public funds (NRPF).

These groups are:

- Children on Zambrano carers rights
- Children of families with no recourse to public funds with a right to remain in the UK on grounds of private and family life under Article 8 of the European Convention on Human Rights
- Children of families receiving support under Section 17 of the Children Act 1989 who are also subject to a no recourse to public funds restriction.

If you believe that you qualify for free school meals under this extension or would like further information as to what you need as evidence to begin the process, please refer to the following guidance: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-free-school-meals-guidance/guidance-for-the-temporaryextension-of-free-school-meals-eligibility-to-nrpf-groups>

Thereafter, please contact the school and we will finalise the process ([enquiries@ramsgateartsprimaryschool.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@ramsgateartsprimaryschool.co.uk))

Kind Regards

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