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Dear Parent/Carer

Introducing online payments with "sQuid" at Freebrough Academy

I would like to advise you of an exciting new service we are about to launch at the Academy; an electronic payment system, a convenient and secure way for you to pay for your child's school meals, using a pre-pay online account. In the near future you will also be able to use the same account, to pay for such things as trips etc. The system we are going to use is sQuid.

You can be assured that your money will be held safely and securely in your child's online sQuid account, as sQuid are regulated by the FCA (Financial Conduct Authority).

Once you have created a sQuid account for your child, you will be able to manage their account online at any time, using a computer, tablet or mobile phone. You will be able to:

- Top up the account from your bank account, credit or debit card
- View the available meal options for the weeks ahead
- Check account balance
- Update your details
- View transactions


The benefits of the system to you and your child are:

- Less time queueing and more break time
- No more carrying money into school
- Convenience of paying online
- Monitor food choices

You will soon be sent a letter with your child's sQuid registration number, and full instructions on how to set up your account on the secure sQuid website.

We thank you for your anticipated support in using sQuid for online payment of your child's school meals.

Yours sincerely



MRS L HALBERT
Principal