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Dear Parent/Guardian

Support Services

We are very much aware that members of our school community will be feeling the effects of the growing cost of living crisis across the country right now. Please know that we will endeavour to do whatever we can to provide you with any guidance you might need to help navigate these difficult times. If you don't currently receive free school meals provision for your child(ren) but you think they might qualify, please follow the link, below, which will take you through the application/eligibility process:

[Maiden Erlegh School - Free School Meals](#)

The following link takes you to Wokingham Borough Council's 'Local Support Hub' page, detailing information on welfare benefits, debt, housing, relationship problems, mental health, unemployment and more:

<https://www.wokingham.gov.uk/local-support-hub/>

Wokingham Borough Council are also offering bookable appointments, where residents have been unable to resolve benefits or council tax-related enquiries online. A useful telephone number here is: 0118 974 6000.

For residents living in the Reading Borough Council area, the following link may be helpful to you:

<https://www.reading.gov.uk/housing/benefits-and-assistance/>

Yours sincerely

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