

Dear Parents and Carers

We are delighted to confirm that as of September 2025, The De Curci Trust will be commencing our own in-house catering provision at both Solent Infant and Solent Junior Schools, with the support of 'Relish'.

We are committed to providing quality, fresh, ingredients that we cook from scratch to produce our daily menus. Wherever possible, we will use seasonal produce. The daily food offer allows our children to choose from a wide variety of freshly prepared main meals and desserts.

We will continue to take parent/carer and pupil voice very seriously, knowing what a positive impact good food can have on the developing minds and bodies of our children. We will involve our pupils to ensure we capture initial reactions to new dishes and food ideas.

We plan to hold many special days within the school year and to make sure there is relevance associated with these events – these may be linked to the curriculum or a theme within school.

We are pleased to also announce that there is a special login area, the 'Parent Portal', on the Relish website where you can login to preorder your child's menu choice up to a term in advance. You can also view and download menus and recipes, see what forthcoming events are planned, look at allergen information and nutritional content, as well as being able to directly message our chef manager, Anna.

To set up your parent account, simply go to the link below:

<https://relishschoolfood.co.uk/parents>

Once complete, you will be sent a message or an email so that you can activate your account.

This will keep us in touch with you until your child leaves the Solent schools!

Your Relish Parent Portal account will link directly with your School Arbor account where our families currently pay for their children's school meals from Year 3 onwards. You will be able to start linking and ordering your school lunches from Friday 29th August, ready for the start of the Autumn term the following week. The link below will guide you to place your first order

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mgiCYujpJmk>

We look forward to welcoming and providing the very best service

Relish! support your school to provide food across the school day that is fresh, wholesome and enjoyable for children to eat. Lunchtime equates to 1/6 of your child's day so we give it the attention it deserves!

