

Clementi Primary School

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Dear Parents / Guardians,

Review of Canteen Food Pricing

- 1. In view of the rising costs of ingredients and utilities caused by inflation, disruption of the supply chain due to Covid-19 and the Ukraine war, school canteen stallholders have expressed they were facing challenges pertaining to business sustainability.
- 2. Canteen food prices need to reflect the underlying cost of the food items and allow the stallholders to earn a reasonable profit margin to sustain the business. As such, the school canteen committee has conducted a review of the canteen food prices.
- 3. With effect from 12 September 2022, the set meals (with a serving of fruit) served in the canteen will be adjusted to \$2.00 (medium portion) and \$2.20 (large portion). The prices of drinks and other non-set meal items will increase by \$0.10 each.
- 4. It is sufficient to set aside pocket money of \$2.50 for your child to purchase food during each recess. On days when your child is required to stay back in school, an additional \$2.50 can be set aside to provide for their lunch. To better support needy students, MOE will be increasing the meal subsidies for students under the MOE Financial Assistance Scheme (FAS).
- 5. We seek your understanding and look forward to your continued partnership in ensuring the holistic growth and development of all our Clementians.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely, Mr Vimalenthiran Vijayasingam Principal