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Dear [REDACTED]

RE: SCCL-FOI-2022/23-54

Thank you for your FOI request received by the FOI office, requesting information on free school fruit and veg scheme for KS1.

Your request has been handled as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and we are able to provide a reply to your request. SCCL's responses are below in blue to the questions raised.

1. Which Worcestershire schools receive the free fruit and veg for KS1?

As per our records, there are 193 schools from the county of Worcestershire that are currently registered on the scheme. Please find attached the full list.

2. Is there a link to how schools can sign up?

Schools would need to contact The School Fruit and Veg (SFVS) Helpdesk team to request a 'Joining Form'. Contact details are:

- **Telephone:** 03306 780926
- **Email:** sfvs@supplychain.nhs.uk
- **Web:** <http://www.nhs.uk/Livewell/5ADAY/PZages/Schoolscheme.aspx>

Please note The SFVS has the following criteria for eligibility:

- Open to all fully state-funded infant, primary or special schools.
- 4–6-year-olds in full time education, and children in the same class can participate.
- Nursery units must share an establishment number and be based on the same site as a participating primary or infant school.
- Participating primary or infant schools will have an approved age range of 3+. If it does not have an approved age range of 3+ the nursery unit based on the same site will not be eligible.
- The SFVS is not available to independent schools, stand-alone Local Authority maintained nurseries, or private/independent early years establishments.

3. Are there any promotional materials that can be shared?

There are no promotional materials.

If you are dissatisfied with this response, you may request an independent internal review of our handling of your request by submitting a complaint within two months to the postal or e-mail addresses above, quoting the reference number above. If you ask for an internal review, it would be helpful if you could say why you are dissatisfied with the response.

As part of any internal review the handling of your information request will be reassessed by a member of SCCL staff who was not involved in providing you with this response. If you remain dissatisfied after this internal review, you will have a right of complaint to the Information Commissioner as established by section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act.

If you require any further information do not hesitate to contact the FOI team.

Yours sincerely,

FOI Team

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