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**Date:** Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025

Dear Parent

**Re: Book your child for their free Easter holiday club**

I am pleased to be writing to invite you to book your child onto the free Waltham Forest's Holiday Activity and Food Programme for Easter 25.

These free holiday opportunities are funded through the government's Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) programme, which enables us to provide a holiday programme across the borough for primary and secondary school aged children who are eligible for benefits-related free school meals.

From Monday 10<sup>th</sup> March you will be able to visit the website below where you will be able to book your child onto a range of sessions. To ensure all eligible children have access to our programme, your child is able to book up to **4 sessions** during the Easter holidays from Monday 7<sup>th</sup>- Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2025, at no cost to you. The sessions will include a variety of fun activities, including sports, music, arts and other exciting opportunities to learn and develop skills, alongside a nutritious meal each day.

- To find out more and the places available to book, please visit [www.walthamforest.gov.uk/holidays](http://www.walthamforest.gov.uk/holidays)
- If you have any queries regarding the holiday activity programme, please email [wfholidayactivityprogramme@walthamforest.gov.uk](mailto:wfholidayactivityprogramme@walthamforest.gov.uk) or call 0208 496 6076.

In addition to this free programme, families who are eligible for Universal Credit may be able to claim back up to 85% of their childcare costs. Please visit <https://www.gov.uk/help-with-childcare-costs/universal-credit> to find out more.

Yours faithfully,



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