



Dear Parent / Carer

Bury Holiday Activities and Food Programme – Winter Holiday 2024

Bury Holiday Activities and Food Programme is funded by the Department for Education. It funds holiday activities with food for eligible children during the Easter, Summer and Christmas school holidays.

These activities are free **to children who are in receipt of benefit related free school meals**. We are sending this letter to you and thousands of other families across Bury to highlight the activities available. Please note you may be charged if you book onto activities and your children are not eligible for benefits related free school meals.

Places are limited, however eligible children can book up to **four face-to-face sessions**. This equates to 2 sessions per week over a 2 week period but you have the flexibility to use them as you see fit.

Please scan the QR code below to see all available activities, alternatively search for 'Bury Holiday Activity and Food Programme' online. If you do not have access to the internet, please ask your child's school, a local library or your council support worker, for support.



Many of our providers are able to offer activities to children of all needs and abilities. The HAF page on Bury Council website provides information on what support each holiday club can offer. Please contact a provider directly for further information and to discuss any specific needs and requirements.

Voucher codes are ordered and distributed directly from Bury schools. If your child attends a Bury school and you do not receive a voucher code, please speak to the school office. If your child attends a school outside of Bury, please contact the HAF team (HAF@bury.gov.uk) and they will support with issuing voucher codes.

Bury Holiday Activities and Food programme activities are brought to you through Bury Council, in partnership with Bury Voluntary, Community and Faith Association and they are funded by the Department for Education.

We hope you have a fantastic holiday and that your children take part in some of the great activities on offer!

From everyone at Bury Holiday Activities and Food Team
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