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Dear Parents/Carers,

My name is Adam Barnacle, and I am the Operations manager for Wilson Vale Catering Management who operate the catering facility at Foxwood Academy.

I would like to thank you for your feedback regarding the menu at Foxwood Academy and assure you that we appreciate you taking the time to raise any issues you may have around your child's diet.

We, at Wilson Vale, consider nutrition and flavour to be the two key elements to a successful meal. We employ talented, passionate chefs to operate our kitchens to achieve this and allow our chefs the freedom to create fresh, seasonal, and nutritious meals. Every meal created by our chefs follows these key points.

We appreciate that not everyone's tastes are the same, and that not every meal will be their favourite, however we do know that every meal will be nutritious and inviting. We aim to offer a varied and sometimes challenging meal to ensure that everyone has the opportunity to try new things and widen their taste buds. We encourage everyone to try something different every now and again, but also ensure that any alternatives also provide the nutrition required.

We have taken on board the comments received regarding the way in which our menus are written and have adjusted this to a much more student friendly style. We will, however, be accompanying this with a 'high street style' written menu, in the hope that this helps to educate the students in the big wide world of menus.

Please find below a QR Code with a link to a survey to hear your thoughts on the lunches available at Foxwood Academy, with this feedback we aim to concentrate on areas you may feel require improving, but also continue doing the things you feel we do well.

I personally will be making myself available for the next parent coffee afternoon on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> February to take any questions you may have. It would also be great to take this opportunity to show you the food we offer at Foxwood Academy and how what we offer delivers on what we promise: fresh, seasonal, nutritious tasty meals.

We appreciate that due to work commitments you may not be able to attend the coffee afternoon. If you do have any queries then do not hesitate to contact the school directly.

Kind regards,

Adam Barnacle

Operations manager  
Wilson Vale Catering Management

Foxwood Catering Feedback

