



**Park Grove**  
PRIMARY ACADEMY

Dear Parents/Carers/Children

We hope you are keeping well in these difficult times. We have come across some useful information this week, which we wanted to share with you:

### **Finance**

We realise that finances can be a particular issue at the moment. The welfare benefits advice team have notified us of the following:

City of York Council have released information about additional funding available for York residents to help them during these exceptional times. The additional support consists of increased Council Tax Support and access to emergency hardship fund for residents affected by Covid-19.

Visit the following website for more information

<https://www.york.gov.uk/news/article/120/city-of-york-council-announces-emergency-fund-to-support-residents>.

Also, if you think you may now be eligible for free school meals then contact us for a form to check if you are.

### **Children/families**

[www.familylinks.org.uk](http://www.familylinks.org.uk) has resources and parenting support for families.

Parents experiencing issues with their children and anger could contact Family Matters via contact details on their website [fmy.org.uk/parenting](http://fmy.org.uk/parenting) and hopefully access Handling Anger course via Zoom app.

Please remember that the pupil support team at Park Grove are still contactable, on their usual working days, via email for parents or children who need support:

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Best wishes,  
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