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Dear parent(s)

We are writing to provide information about our study aiming to understand how children (9-13 years) view information about food, eating and weight, e.g., calories on menus. We will also ask about their feelings about eating and weight. This will help us understand how public health information should be designed.

We will be conducting a study with children in Years 5, 6, 7 and 8, and are happy to invite your child to participate in an online survey. An information sheet is attached to this email. Your child will also bring home a printed copy of the attached information sheet. Please discuss the study with your child to help them decide whether or not they would like to take part.

If you would NOT like your child to take part, please following this link: Children's Food Survey - opt out form

Or scan the QR below to complete the opt-out form. You can also email or phone us to let us know.



If you have any questions or concerns about the research being conducted, please contact Sylvie Majorova at <u>sylvie.majorova.23@ucl.ac.uk</u>, or phone: 020 3794 0272. If you feel your concerns have not been handled satisfactorily, you can contact the Chair of the UCL Research Ethics Committee at <u>ethics@ucl.ac.uk</u>.

Thank you for supporting our valuable research.

Yours Sincerely,

Dr Rana Conway and Sylvie Majorova