

Halal Policy Statement

Educaterers Ltd aim to provide a valued high quality catering and management support service to Nursery, Primary, Secondary and Sixth Form pupils. This statement sets out our approach to providing a Halal compliant meal to pupils.

Scope of Halal meal Requirement

Educaterers Ltd provide a lunchtime meal service to Nurseries, Schools and Sixth Form Colleges and each year undertakes a survey of these customer bases to understand the number of Halal meals being requested so an appropriate response to the demand can be taken.

The results of this survey will be made available on request to Schools, Nurseries and Sixth Form Colleges.

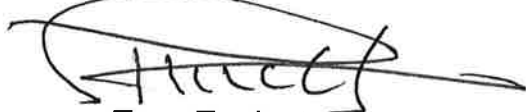
Our Halal policy for schools is:

- Where a school or group of schools (such as a Multi Academy Trust), request that Halal meat is offered as part of the contract, Educaterers Ltd will provide Halal meat products certified to the HMC standard, and vegetarian options as alternatives to non Halal dishes on the menu. Halal meat dishes and vegetarian dishes are clearly labelled as such on our menus.
- Where a school or group of schools do not request Halal meat is offered as part of the contract, Educaterers Ltd will provide a nutritionally balanced vegetarian meal offer to each pupil requesting a Halal meal.
- To annually review the demand for Halal meals each year from Nurseries, Schools and Sixth Form Colleges to ensure the response to customer requests remain appropriate.

Information to be considered as part of the annual review:

- The number of Halal meal requests as a percentage of the total meal requests.
- Individual site demand for Halal meals as a percentage of the total meal numbers provided at each school.
- Review of difference between Halal compliant ingredients and non-compliant ingredients.
- Supplier terms and conditions for Halal ingredients.
- Implications of storage and preparation facilities in kitchens.

This policy will be reviewed on an annual basis.



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