WELCOME TO Mellors Catering Services



We're an award-winning family business, established back in 1840 as a local bakery. We're now the first choice contract caterer in the north for staff restaurants, schools and colleges. We offer a bespoke service that is unrivalled. We develop tailored menus to meet the tastes and dietary requirements of our customers and look after all aspects of your on-site catering. We operate more than 330 catering contracts in education and business sites across the North of England so we must be doing something right!

Mellors Catering Services is committed to delivering an exciting choice of food that doesn't cost the earth. We use only the finest, freshest ingredients from local suppliers which means better quality food. Our team of dedicated Area Managers, Area Support and Group Managers are all foodies at heart. Their truly personal and local support means that all our sites get the level of support they need at all times.

All of our clients and consumers are also served by our innovative and creative Food Development team, headed up by our Head Nutritionist Danielle and backed up by another Nutritionist Laura and three Executive and Training Chefs. They continually develop the quality of service and food on-site, ensuring all our recipes are nutritious, exciting and compliant.

We strive to provide tasty and nutritious meals whilst impacting the environment as little as possible. All our kitchens minimise the use of single-use plastics in the storage, preparation and serving of our food and we supply a range of 100% compostable packaging for our grab and go menu options. Where bottled drinks need to be provided, we only source water in bottles made from at least 50% recycled plastic. In many of our catering units we operate a 'bring your own cup' system for hot drinks to minimise the use of single-use takeaway cups.

Alongside the work we do to reduce single-use plastics across the business, we also recycle our used cooking oil into biofuel, over 16,120 litres per year. That's the equivalent of removing 275 cars from UK roads.

The 'Mellors Making a Difference' poster campaign is provided to each new school we work with. These posters are displayed throughout the dining room to promote the work we do and encourage customers to act responsibly when disposing of any packaging.

We're always looking for ways to further reduce our impact on the environment so if you have any other suggestions... we're all ears!