

## SOURCE 4

Extracts from a report by the City of Bradford Medical officer on the effects of school meals 1907  
(PRO ref: ED 50/8)



SOURCE 4A

SOURCE 4B

### HOW TO USE THIS SOURCE TO HELP YOU ANSWER THE BIG QUESTION :

You need to study the source carefully before you decide whether it supports or contradicts any of the reasons in the Big Question.

### ASK YOURSELF:

- What happens to the weight of children during school time?
- What happens in the holidays?
- Does this provide support for the idea of school meals?
- Would you regard this as strong evidence?

*With compliments  
R.H.C.*

**City of Bradford Education Committee.**

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**REPORT**

BY

**The Medical Superintendent,**

RALPH H. CROWLEY, M.D., M.R.C.P.,

IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE

**Superintendent of Domestic Subjects,**

MARIAN E. CUFF,

**On a Course of Meals given to Necessitous Children from  
April to July, 1907.**

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*Presented to the Committee September 26th, 1907.*

THO. GARBUTT,

*Secretary of the Committee.*

# SOURCE 4B

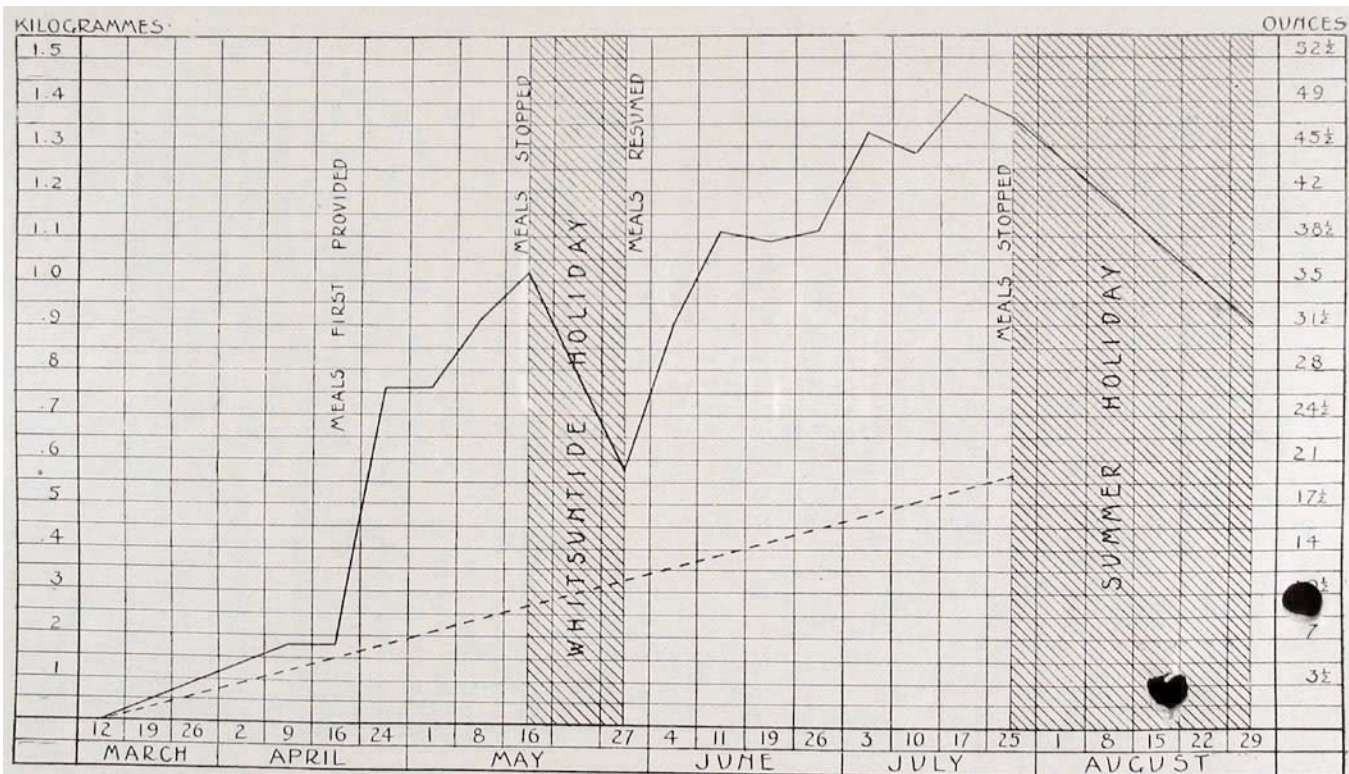


CHART ILLUSTRATING THE AVERAGE GAIN OR LOSS IN WEIGHT-DURING THE INTERVALS SHEWN- OF THE CHILDREN WHO WERE FED. THE BROKEN LINE SHEWS THE AVERAGE INCREASE IN WEIGHT-DURING THE SAME TIME- OF THE CONTROL CHILDREN.

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