



Hi Sally,

Lovely to speak to you this morning.

It was nice to be able to thank you personally but so you can pass on our thanks to everyone involved, I'm sending an email to thank you and all the staff, parents and pupils who contributed to the collection for Hornsey Food Bank. The festive items are particularly welcome. But everything is appreciated and will be used, either as part of our regular service, providing items to the users or as part of the festive extras we will be giving out on the 21<sup>st</sup> December.

It is particularly heartening to get such support when we know all the pressures schools are under and because, whilst there is so much focus on conflict and division in mainstream and social media, it shows that many people would rather help than ignore the difficulties too many people in society are facing.

So, thank you again and, if you become aware of people in the school community who might benefit from using the Food Bank, please feel free to pass our details on to them. Whilst we wish our work wasn't needed, we are here to help people in the local community.

Finally, I've attached a copy of the presentation we prepared at the request of one of the secondary schools helping us. Hopefully it will be useful for staff or maybe in classes for some of the older primary school children.

Best wishes for a lovely Christmas and New Year,

Debra