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Dear Parents and Carers,

Hornsey Food Bank are asking for our help this Christmas to make things a little easier for local families in need.

The Hornsey Food Bank is now launching a Christmas appeal, asking for **specific Christmas donations**, to support those who are in need. Please see details below:-

- Festive biscuits
- Festive cakes
- Mince Pies
- Festive chocolate
- Festive puddings
- Any other festive family treats

They are also in needs of basic necessities like pasta, rice, tuna, cooking oil, tinned goods (especially sweetcorn and evaporated milk), biscuits, coffee, hot chocolate and toiletries

They have also said that any non-perishable food items or basic toiletries would be welcome if they are easier for people to donate.

Please bring in your donations on **Monday 15th December** (or earlier if that's easier) directly to the school offices or give them to your children to hand to the teachers. We will then arrange for the items to be delivered to the foodbank.

You can also donate directly to the Food Bank every Thursday from 10-11am or 1-2pm. If you would like to use the Food Bank, or make a cash donation you can find more details here HORNSEY FOOD BANK

Thank you for your support.

Jane O'Brien
Headteacher