



PERRYFIELDS
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1st December 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

As part of the curriculum in RS, some of our students have been learning about how people from different religious backgrounds offer support to members of their local communities, especially those who are living in poverty or are homeless.

In a bid to concentrate on giving rather than receiving, and to counter the over-commercialisation of Christmas, we intend to hold a 'reverse advent calendar' scheme whereby students are asked to bring in an item of food or some toiletries. These will then be distributed between the Black Country Food Bank and people within our own community. These items can be handed in to form tutors between Monday 22nd November and Friday 10th December.

Please see the list below to find out which item your child will be asked to donate.

Dried pasta shapes – 7PDM1, 9PDM1, 11EnPDM
Rice – 7PDM2, 10EnPDM
Baked beans/spaghetti – 8PDM1, 9PDM2
Tinned tomatoes – 11MaPDM, 8PDM2
Tinned potatoes/instant mash – 10MaPDM, 7PDM3, 9PDM3
Tinned vegetables (e.g. sweet corn, peas, carrots) – 8PDM3, 10ScPDM, 7PDM4
Cup-a-Soup/Tinned soup – 9PDM4
Biscuits – 11ScPDM, 8PDM4
Shampoo – 10PDM1
Shower gel – 11PDM1
Deodorant – 7PDM5
Liquid hand soap – 9PDM5
Sponges/flannels – 11PDM2
Long life fruit juice – 8PDM5, 10PDM2
Squash/cordial – 10PDM3, 11PDM3
UHT milk – 10PDM4
Breakfast cereals – 7PDM6, 9PDM6
Tinned fruit in juice/desserts (e.g. custard, rice pudding) – 8PDM6, 10PDM5
Packet meals (e.g. Pasta n Sauce/Super Noodles) – 11PDM4
Jars of cooking sauce – 9PDM7, 10PDM8
Bag of sugar – 10PDM6
Sauces (e.g. ketchup, mayonnaise, brown sauce, BBQ sauce) – 7PDM7
Jam/marmalade – 9PDM8
Tinned meals (e.g. curry, meatballs) – 8PDM7, 11PDM5
Tubes of sweets (e.g. Smarties, Munchies, Minstrels) – 7PDM8, 8PDM8, 9PDM9, 10PDM7, 11PDM6

We look forward to your continued support.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Shaw (Pastoral Co-ordinator)