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Dear Parents/Carers,

On behalf of Hucknall Fire Station we would like to share the opportunity for you as members of our school community to get involved in the following Christmas Food Bank Collection.

*This year the foodbank is looking to give Christmas hampers to families and individuals who are struggling. These hampers make an enormous difference to the festive season, helping alleviate the many financial pressures and allowing people to celebrate the season rather than exist through it.*

*Throughout the year hundreds of you helped by donating items in the pandemic's first wave through the Hucknall donates campaign. We are now coming into our second wave and it falls right on our festive season. To help the Hucknall food bank build their hampers we have devised a 12 days of Christmas scheme, so here are the 12 dates with 12 items for you to add to your bag. Don't worry if you can't get your hands on everything especially with Lock Down Looming you can simply replace it with something else.. anything is better than nothing.*

12 Dates of Collection

- 22nd Nov - Bag for life to hold all your goodies [#SuperStartSunday](#)
- 23rd Nov - Tin of spam/corn beef or even a pie [#MeatyMonday](#)
- 24th Nov - Christmas cake/ puddings /Festive cakes [#CharityTuesday](#)
- 25th Nov – Puddings need custard/brandy sauce [#WednesdayWisdom](#)
- 26thNov - Hot chocolate (marshmallows optional) [#ThirstyThursday](#)
- 27th Nov - Chocolate coins for [#BlackFriday](#)
- 28th Nov - Stuffing, gravy or bread sauce [#SaucySaturday](#)
- 29th Nov – Chocolate Selection box [#SweetSundays](#)
- 30th Nov - Crisps, nuts, cheese biscuits [#MunchyMonday](#)
- 1st Dec - Christmas crackers (Invented in 1847) [#TriviaTuesday](#)
- 2nd Dec –whatever is at the back of your cupboard [#WinningWednesdays](#)
- 3rd Dec - Your choice [#ThoughtfulThursday](#)

To support this collection you can either send your child into school with a “12 days full” bag as listed about on the 4<sup>th</sup> of December or you can send in an item from the list above for us to add to our school collection.

Hucknall Fire Service will be coming into school on the 4<sup>th</sup> of December (in a Fire Engine!) to collect our school contributions, it would be lovely to have a good offering to share.

Thank you for your ongoing support of families in our Hucknall community,

Miss Arnold

