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Dear Parents/Carers

Reverse advent calendar

We would like to invite as many of you as possible to join us in a reverse advent Calendar.

For many of us, Christmas is about excess and indulgence, plates piled high with turkey and stuffing, presents and treats surrounding us. For others, it can be a difficult time full of worries and hardship in which they may struggle.

However, we can all help to make a difference.

The school would like to get involved by collecting as many items as possible from the list below. The items can be left in the lower school hall, any time between Monday 25th November and Monday 2nd December.

You may want to encourage your child/children to bring in an item each day as they open their own advent calendar at home or you may wish to bring in a single item during the week. Anything you can donate will help and will be given to 'people for people' to be handed out to families that may need a helping hand at this time of year. Any item will be gratefully received and WILL be used.

Items to donate:-

Tinned food – meat, fish, potatoes, tomatoes, beans etc.

Packet goods – noodles, pasta, stuffing

Toiletries – toilet rolls, soap, deodorant, toothpaste, unwanted gift sets

Laundry – washing powder

Toys and Books – new or nearly new in good condition (good excuse to have a clear out before Christmas)

Treats – selection boxes, biscuits, sweets

Thank you in anticipation for your support.

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