

## VERNON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## **Foodbank Collection**

Dear Parents/Carers,

This term, Vernon's School Council have pledged to support Stockport foodbank. Sadly, over 13 million people live below the poverty line in the UK and the need for foodbanks is increasing. Last year, well over a million emergency food packages were given out to adults and children in need. We are asking that any families who can or would like to, to give one item from the list below, which will be donated to the food bank. These are items that are currently most in need in the lead up to Christmas:

- Tinned vegetables (including tinned potatoes and tinned tomatoes)
- Tinned fruit
- Baked beans
- Tinned meat-based meals
- Toilet rolls
- Chocolate treats
- UHT milk
- Long life fruit juice
- Tinned soup
- Soap
- Toothpaste

Stockport Food Bank have also said that it would be greatly appreciated if we could donate items such as: crisps, chocolates, or other Christmas snacks with long dates. They will also accept toiletries as donations too. If you would like to make a donation, please can your child bring it into school by Friday 1st December and give it to their class teacher.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs L Hough & The Vernon School Council





