

**WINGROVE PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
**Part of the West End Schools' Trust (WEST)**

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### **Food Donation Appeal**

As part of our Harvest celebrations, we will be helping those less fortunate than ourselves. We may enjoy a good meal every day, but for some this is not the case. Please help us collect food which supports the Newcastle West End Foodbank to feed the local community during the cold days of autumn and winter. This is an annual event at Wingrove and we are continually amazed by everyone's generosity.

So that we can donate a range of food, please send in items **by Wednesday 12th October**:

**Nursery and Reception** – pasta or rice;

**Year 1 and Year 2** – biscuits or snack bars;

**Year 3 and Year 4** – tinned vegetables or tinned fruit;

**Year 5 and Year 6** – tea, coffee, drinking chocolate or cereal.

We are unable to accept fresh produce. Please check that packets and tins are in date.

Please help as much as you can.

Yours sincerely

**Miss Chaudry**  
**Community Links Coordinator**

*“As a result of the cost-of-living crisis, we have seen a dramatic decline in the amount of donations we are receiving each month. Donations now cover less than half of what we need to distribute each month and with the colder weather approaching and another increase in the cost of people's energy bills due to come in to effect in October, we fear that more people will be relying on us this Winter.*”

*During the year 2021/2022, we distributed a total of 17,063 food parcels to people and families across the city, since April 2022 we have so far distributed 7,942 food parcels with June being our busiest month to date when we issued 2,006 food parcels.”*

<https://newcastlewestend.foodbank.org.uk>