



# Spalding High School

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Dear Parents and Carers

Christmas is almost upon us and hopefully festive cheer is beginning to infiltrate both our mood and the cold weather!

On Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December we are holding our fourth annual 'Bring a Tin' Day. Last year the school community donated over 1300 items of food in support of local charity Agape Care.

Agape is a charity that provides support and food to homeless people and those struggling to make ends meet. This Christmas they are organising donations for those in the Spalding and the surrounds. We would very much like to help them and so, we are asking all students to bring an item of food from the list below and we will pass them all to the local branch. This will make a huge difference to children and families living in Spalding.

In order to promote the festive spirit on 'Bring a Tin' Day we are allowing students to wear a Christmas jumper or non-uniform in return for a donation of a food item. Please do not feel compelled to buy a Christmas jumper if your daughter/son does not already have one.

We very much hope that you will join the School community in being able to make such a difference this Christmas.

## Food donation list: (all donated items must be non-perishable)

Milk (UHT)	Sugar	Squash	Baked Beans, Tinned Spaghetti	Tinned Vegetable (e.g. carrots, peas, sweetcorn)
Potatoes	Soup	Rice Pudding	Tinned Custard	Tinned Fruit
Tinned meat/fish	Tinned Tomatoes	Pasta/Pasta Sauces	Tinned Sponge Pudding	Meal in a can (e.g. stew, curry, etc)
Noodles	Cereals	Jam	Biscuits or snack bars	Tea Bags/Instant Coffee

I would also like to take this opportunity to promote our annual school pantomime. This year the production is 'Guardians of the SHS Enterprise' and will be performed by the staff. Tickets are on sale from Reception next week.

Merry Christmas

Yours sincerely

MK Anderson  
Headmistress