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Dear parent/carer

Community Action Response (CAR)

The Community Action Response group in our local area is currently providing food for struggling families during the difficult times that many people are facing. As part of our integrity ethos, we would like to support this within our school community by collecting donations in a way that reinforces the importance of community action and the impact we can have as individuals on our wider community.

For this reason, we are launching The Dukeries Academy Action Advent, which will run from 1 to 18 December and will enable our students to help support this important community project.

Each day, students will see a new advent item that we would like to collect for the CAR. These will include items such as pasta, tinned meat, tinned fruit, beans and snack items such as crisps and biscuits. Together we can help our community and therefore we would be delighted to receive as many items as possible each day from students who are able to support this project. Every donated item will help a struggling family and the advent items will be shared on social media.

Thank you in advance to everyone who is able to support this project.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Tanya Russell Lead Practitioner