

14 February 2023 - update

Term 1 Foodbank - now Friday 17 February

This Friday 17 February we have our first Foodbank for 2023. For those new to the College, students are encouraged to bring along as many priority items (*listed below*) as possible to their Tutor Group next Wednesday morning. Being a House competition, the items will then be counted and allocated House points on the basis of their dollar value.

This year the collected food items will go to our Saint Kentigern foodbank programme known as 'The Shed' initiative. In 2023 we aim to pack up to 70 food boxes per week (valued at approximately \$75 each) which will be distributed by social workers to families in need in over 40 different schools and communities.

The following are the **priority items** for Term 1 which will be allocated House points.

Watties Baked Beans (3 pack of 420g) 6 points
Watties Baked Beans (420g) 2 points
Toothpaste (160g) 3 points
Rice (1 kg) 3 points
Spreads (jam or honey) 4 points
Weetbix (750g) 7 points

These items are all included in our standard food boxes, which along with other packaged items (biscuits, canned fruit, canned tuna, coconut milk, soap, tea bags etc.), contain fresh foods (bread, carrots, margarine, milk (2L), mince and onions) which are purchased on a weekly basis.

In terms of the food items, we encourage you to buy the quality of product that you would usually eat at home, as if you were sharing the meal.

We hope that every student will bring as many items as possible so that by next Wednesday afternoon the shelves in 'The Shed' will, by the power of numbers, contain thousands of food items.

For delivery of large quantity donations please contact Mark Robinson mark.robinson@saintkentigern.com

Thank you for your support of this wonderful initiative.

Yours sincerely

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SERVICE COORDINATOR