## WE ARE PART OF ISLINGTON'S FOOD POVERTY ALLIANCE

contribute to aims we can have an impact on



In order to help to reduce food poverty in Islington, as a school or early years setting, we will:

Join Islington's Food Poverty Alliance to support the aims of this Action Plan, and

<ul> <li>Commit to tackling root causes of food poverty by encouraging learning by pupils and parents on topics such as:</li> <li>Financial awareness and budgeting</li> <li>Cooking, growing and shopping (on a budget)</li> <li>Healthy eating and nutrition</li> <li>Sustainability and reducing food waste</li> </ul>
<b>Support</b> provision of food outside of lunch at school, for example breakfast clubs (such as Magic Breakfast), hosting holiday time meals, family kitchen cooking clubs or family meal sharing opportunities
<b>Continue</b> to promote take up of free school meals by pupils who are eligible and/or entitled to free school meals, and pupils with no recourse to public funds
Achieve Healthy Early Years London / Healthy Schools London Bronze award
<b>Focus</b> Healthy Early Years London / Healthy Schools London Silver and Gold award on promoting healthy eating / reducing food poverty within the school community
Provide subsidised or free meals for staff, and potentially parents, alongside pupils
<b>Alleviate</b> the cost of attending education and educational opportunities to ensure that all pupils are able to take part regardless of family income
<b>Identify</b> pupils who may experience poverty and providing support within the setting such as access to free breakfast club
<b>Refer</b> to or raise awareness of services and support available to families experiencing or in danger of food poverty
<b>Consider</b> introducing innovative programmes to tackle food poverty, for example using school kitchens to produce food to be distributed to residents in need, or access excess food to feed families in danger of food poverty