

Problems with food.

Tell us what you think



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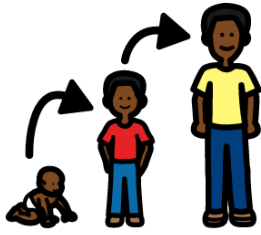
We want to know about food for

- children
- young people.



We want to hear from

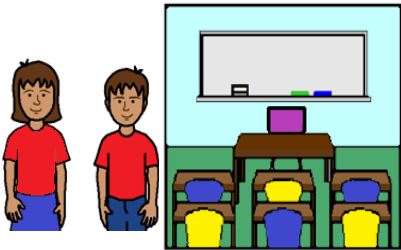
- parents
- family
- carers of children and young people.



Children need lots of good food to

- grow

and



- learn.



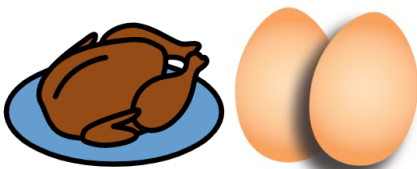
Good food is a mix of

- milk
- fresh fruit
- fresh vegetables

and



- bread
- rice
- noodles.



Good food is also

- fresh meat
- fish
- eggs.



Some families do **not** have much money.

It is hard to get good food.



Some families do **not** know how to make good food.



Some children are hungry.

They need more good food.



There are places to help you get food. Like

- you get a meal. It is free. It can be
 - at a van
 - at a church
 - at school

or



- you get a bag of food. You take it home

or



- you get a food ticket.
You use it to buy food from the shops.

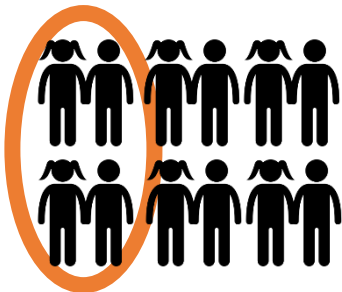


There may be classes about food. You can learn

- what is good food?
- how can you get good food?



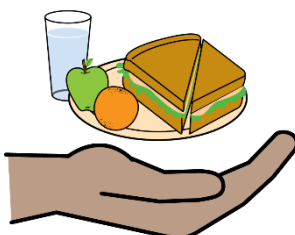
- how to cook good food?



We want to know

- how many children need help to get good food?
- where are the children who need help?

and



- how can the government help?



How to tell the government what you think



You can

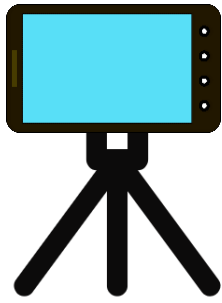
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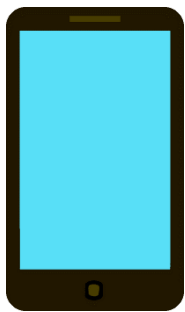
- write a story

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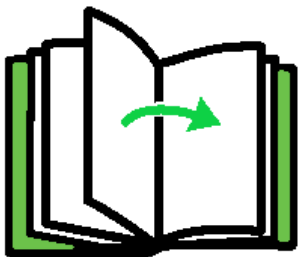


You can

- tell your story
- make a video.



Your story is on your phone.

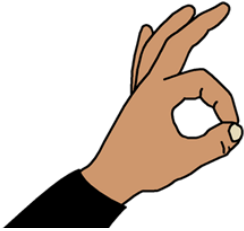


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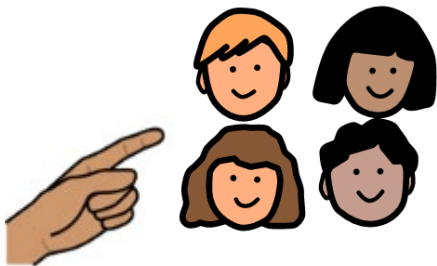
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These questions may help you
tell your story



You do **not** have to do every question.
Like you can do 1 question. That is OK.



All the questions are about children you care for.



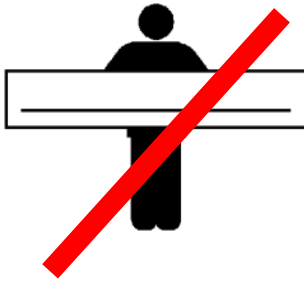
We will read what you tell us.



We will put your story on our website.

Your name will be on our website.

Your name may be in our reports.



Your name does **not** need to go on our website.

Your name does **not** need to go in our reports.

That is OK. We still read your story.

Tell us Do **not** use my name.



Your story does **not** need to go on our website.



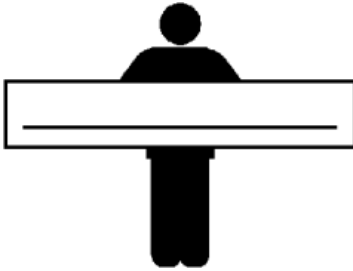
That is OK. We still read your story.

We may still use your story in our reports.

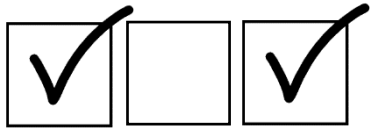
Tell us Do **not** put it on our website.



About you



Your name _____



Tick as many boxes as you need to.

You are



Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander



Australian



You are from a different country.



Write the name of the country.



1. Your child may **not** get the food they need.

What happens?

How do you feel?

Does it stop your child going to school?





2. How many times is it like this for your child?

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
X	X	X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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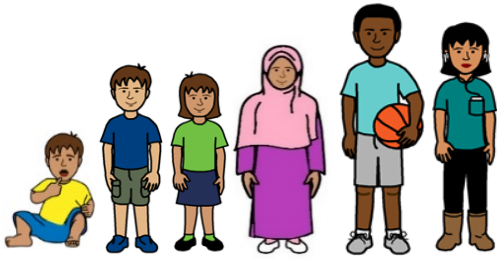
Most days

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			X			
	X					
		X				X

Some days

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
			X			

Not many days.



3. Does it happen to other children you know?



Yes



Not sure



No.



4. What makes it hard to get good food? Like

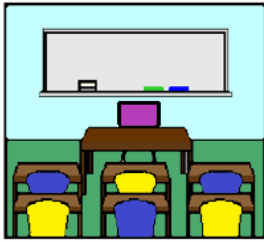
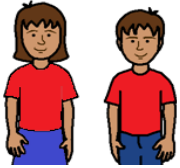
- there is **no** food in the house
- **no** one can cook the food
- the shops do **not** have any good food.





5. Does your child go to other places to get food?

It may be



School



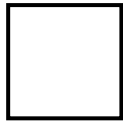
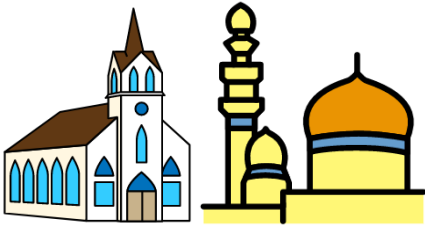
Before and after school care.



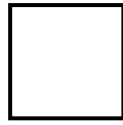
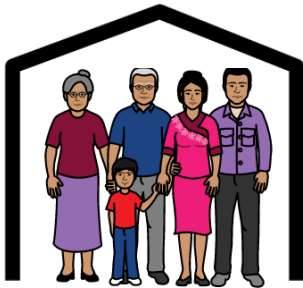
Community group.

A place where people get help.

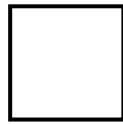
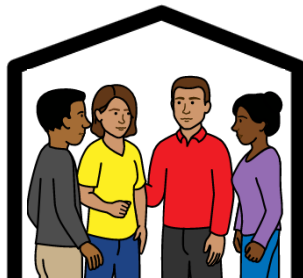
Like Food bank.



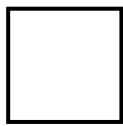
Church



Other family



At your friends home

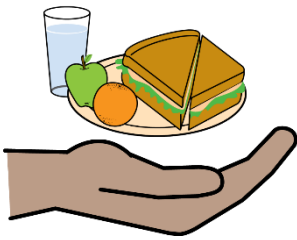


At a club. Like a social club



Other places. Where?





6. Does your child need more help to get food?



Yes



No.



7. Have you learnt about good food?



Yes

No.



How much did this help you?



A lot



A bit



Not at all.



What did you learn?



What is good food?



Where to get good food?



How to cook good food?



Other _____



8. What do you think about this idea?

All children get a good lunch at school.

It is each day.



Good



Not sure

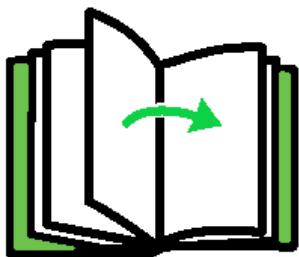


Not good



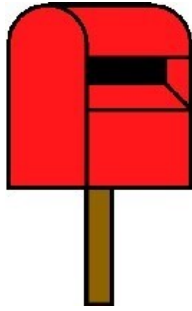
9. Do you have ideas to help?





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It tells you how to send your story



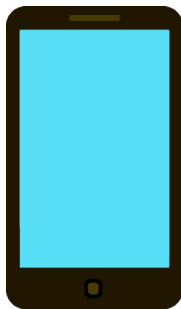
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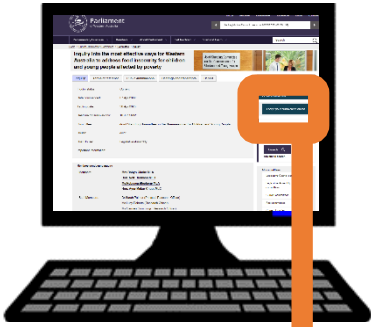
You put your story on your phone.
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You make a file on

- google drive
- drop box.

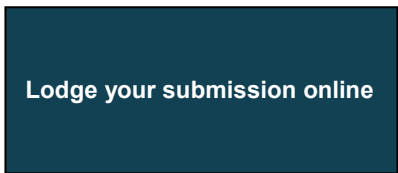
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Or



Go to Parliament of Western Australia website.

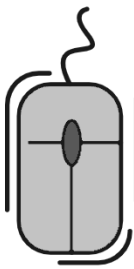
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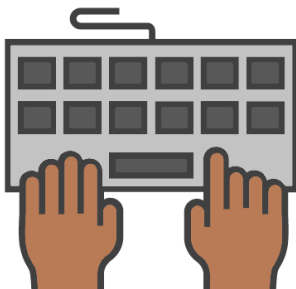
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It is on the right side.

It says **Lodge your submission online**



Click on this button.



There are lots of words to fill in.

You may need help to do this.

You add your information.



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