

## HSF4 Planned activities

### Notes

All grey boxes require a written response.

If there is nothing to report in a cell, write "N/A". Only use "N/A" where you have no reported spend for that category. For example, if you have reported a spend of 0 for tangible items, you will record "N/A" in the box below "tangible items".

Any sections which have had a reported spend in previous tabs needs a written explanation.

The traffic light system will help you ensure the template is completed in full. For the return to be compliant, all traffic lights must be green with a white tick.

You must refer to the full guidance document when completing this tab to ensure you have provided all necessary information.

### 18) Planned activities - Categories

Food (excluding FSM support in the holidays)	FSM support in the holidays	Energy and water	Essentials linked to energy and water	Wider essentials	Housing costs	Advice services
Application based through the Essential Living Fund <a href="https://www.thurrock.gov.uk/essential-living-fund/about-essential-living-fund">https://www.thurrock.gov.uk/essential-living-fund/about-essential-living-fund</a>	Targeted to known FSM eligible children for Easter and Summer Holidays only	Application based through the Essential Living Fund <a href="https://www.thurrock.gov.uk/essential-living-fund/about-essential-living-fund">https://www.thurrock.gov.uk/essential-living-fund/about-essential-living-fund</a>	N/A	Application based through the Essential Living Fund <a href="https://www.thurrock.gov.uk/essential-living-fund/about-essential-living-fund">https://www.thurrock.gov.uk/essential-living-fund/about-essential-living-fund</a>	N/A	N/A

### 19) Planned activities - Types of Support

Vouchers	Cash awards	Third party organisations	Tangible items	Other
Application based through the Essential Living Fund <a href="https://www.thurrock.gov.uk/essential-living-fund/about-essential-living-fund">https://www.thurrock.gov.uk/essential-living-fund/about-essential-living-fund</a> and Targeted to known FSM eligible children for Easter and Summer Holidays only	N/A	N/A	Application based through the Essential Living Fund <a href="https://www.thurrock.gov.uk/essential-living-fund/about-essential-living-fund">https://www.thurrock.gov.uk/essential-living-fund/about-essential-living-fund</a>	N/A

### 20) Planned activities - Access Routes

Application-based support	Proactive support	Other
Application based through the Essential Living Fund <a href="https://www.thurrock.gov.uk/essential-living-fund/about-essential-living-fund">https://www.thurrock.gov.uk/essential-living-fund/about-essential-living-fund</a>	Targeted to known FSM eligible children for Easter and Summer Holidays only	N/A

### 21) Planned activities - Further information

Please refer to guidance document for questions to respond to using this field

Free School Meals will be awarded to those eligible at the commencement of the Easter and Summer holiday periods. The remainder of funds are to be distributed through the Essential Living Fund (link provided). An agreed monthly allocation will ensure the funds are available throughout the year. This is an established process that has been in place since 2014. Applicants are assessed against the scheme criteria, details can be found on the link provided.