

# DAREBIN FOOD GUIDE

Everything free unless otherwise stated | May 2025



## ALPHINGTON

Organisation	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Conditions
<b>Alphington Community Centre</b> 2 Kelvin Road, Alphington 3078 T: 9499 7227 <a href="http://www.alphington.org.au">www.alphington.org.au</a>	Garden to Plate – cooking together, 11.30am-1pm.				\$5 supper club, 5pm-6.30pm.	Community lunch, 12pm-1pm.		

## BUNDOORA

Organisation	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Conditions
<b>Encompass Care</b> 31-61 McLeans Road, Bundoora 3083 T: 0422 461 847 <a href="https://encompasscarevic.org.au/">https://encompasscarevic.org.au/</a>		Community lunch, 10.30am-12.30pm.  Food parcels, 9am-3pm.	Food parcels, 9am-3pm.					Health care card required for food parcels.

## PRESTON

Organisation	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Conditions
<b>Anglicare Victoria</b> 42 Mary Street, Preston 3072 T: 0472 725 118 <a href="http://anglicarevic.org.au">anglicarevic.org.au</a>					Food parcels & food vouchers, 10am-1pm.			Drop-in only.
<b>All Saints Anglican Church</b> 239A Murray Road, Preston 3072 T: 9471 9191 <a href="http://www.ijkajika.com.au">www.ijkajika.com.au</a>					Food parcels, 9.30am-11.30am.	Community lunch, 11.30am-1pm.		
<b>Bridge Darebin</b> 218 High Street, Preston 3072 T: 9484 5806 <a href="https://bridgedarebin.org.au/">https://bridgedarebin.org.au/</a>					Gold coin donation - community lunch, 12pm-1.30pm.			

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<b>Darebin Information, Volunteer and Resource Service (DIVRS)</b> 285-287 High Street, Preston 3072 T: 9480 8200 <a href="https://www.divrs.org.au/">https://www.divrs.org.au/</a>	Food parcels and grocery items, 11am-1.30pm.	Food parcels and grocery items, 11am-1.30pm		Food parcels and grocery items, 11am-1.30pm				Access food parcels once a fortnight per household. Proof of Darebin residency required.
<b>Jika Jika Community Centre</b> 59A Roseberry Avenue, Preston 3072 T: 9482 5100 <a href="http://jikajika.org.au">http://jikajika.org.au</a>		Morning tea, 11am-12pm. Dinner, 6.30pm-8pm (every 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday monthly)	Food parcels, 10.30am-12pm. Cook and Connect, 2pm-4pm.	Community lunch, 12.30pm.				
<b>Salvation Army</b> 263 Gower Street, Preston 3072 T: 1300 371 288 <a href="https://www.salvationarmy.org.au/preston/">https://www.salvationarmy.org.au/preston/</a>	Food parcels & food vouchers, 10am-2pm.	Food parcels & food vouchers, 10am-2pm.	Free bread. Food parcels & food vouchers, 10am-2pm.	\$4 community lunch, 12pm. Food parcels & food vouchers, 10am-2pm.	Food parcels & food vouchers, 10am-2pm.			Phone assessment required.
<b>St Vincent de Paul</b> 596-598 Plenty Road, Preston 3072 T: 1800 305 330 <a href="https://www.vinnies.org.au/">https://www.vinnies.org.au/</a>	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.			Phone assessment required.
<b>Victorian Aboriginal Child Care Agency</b> 340 Bell Street, Preston 3072 T: 9287 8800 <a href="http://www.vacca.org">www.vacca.org</a>	Food vouchers, 9am-5pm.	Food vouchers, 9am-5pm.	Food vouchers, 9am-5pm.	Food vouchers, 9am-5pm.	Food vouchers, 9am-5pm.			Support for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander individuals or families only.
<b>Work for the Soul</b> 73 Gower Street, Preston 3072 T: 9478 0888 <a href="http://www.workforthesoul.org.au">www.workforthesoul.org.au</a>			Food parcels.					Pick-up only.

## RESERVOIR

Organisation	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Conditions
<b>East Preston Community Centre</b> 7 Newton Street, Reservoir 3073 T: 8470 8107 <a href="https://www.darebin.vic.gov.au">https://www.darebin.vic.gov.au</a>			Fortnightly food parcels, 10.30am-12pm.					Supporting local East Preston residents. ID required.

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<b>Reservoir Neighbourhood House</b> <b>2B Cuthbert Road, Reservoir</b> <b>3073</b> T: 8488 6655 <a href="http://www.reservoirnh.org.au">www.reservoirnh.org.au</a>	Coffee, cake and a chat, 10am-12pm.  Food relief drop-in and parcels, 9am-4pm.	Food relief drop-in and parcels, 9am-4pm.	Free bread Wednesdays.  Food relief drop-in and parcels, 9am-4pm.	Community lunch 12pm-1pm, dinner 7pm-9pm.  Food relief drop-in and parcels, 9am-4pm.				Supporting local East Reservoir public housing residents.
<b>St Vincent de Paul</b> <b>10 Edwardes Street, Reservoir</b> <b>3073</b> T: 1800 305 330 <a href="https://www.vinnies.org.au/">https://www.vinnies.org.au/</a>	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.			Phone assessment required.

## THORNBURY

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<b>Salvation Army - Thornbury</b> <b>704-710 High Street, Thornbury</b> <b>3071</b> T: 8875 5288 <a href="https://www.salvationarmy.org.au">https://www.salvationarmy.org.au</a>		Emergency relief, 10am-2pm.  Cuppa, free bread, connection, 10am-2pm.	Emergency relief, 10am-2pm.  Cuppa, free bread, connection, 10am-2pm.					Phone assessment required.
<b>SPAN Community House</b> <b>64 Clyde Street, Thornbury 3071</b> T: 9480 1364 <a href="http://spanhouse.org">http://spanhouse.org</a>		Morning tea and chat, 10.30am.	Community lunch, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of every month, 12.30pm-2.30pm.					Call to RSVP lunch.
<b>St Vincent de Paul</b> <b>885 High Street, Thornbury 3071</b> T: 1800 305 330 <a href="https://www.vinnies.org.au/">https://www.vinnies.org.au/</a>	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.	Food parcel or grocery voucher, 10am-3pm.			Phone assessment required.
<b>Thornbury Church of Christ</b> <b>390-398 St Georges Rd</b> <b>Thornbury (Smith St Hall)</b> T: 9484 2918 <a href="https://www.thornburychurch.org.au">https://www.thornburychurch.org.au</a>	Food parcel, cuppa & a meal, 2.30pm-5pm.		Food parcel, cuppa & a meal, 2.30pm-5pm.		Food parcel, cuppa & a meal, 10am-12.30pm.			