

TFT TABLE FOR TWO

From The Other Side of The Table



The Philippines, Castillejos Distributing food packs to students during school closure

In the Philippines, schools finally started in October. But no class room lessons are conducted. Instead, the lessons are conducted online combined with self-learning using learning materials.

In Balaybay Resettlement Elementary School, before the school was shutdown, TFT provided school lunches to the students with malnutrition. Currently, all the students receive packs of food as the economic situations of many families are negatively affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. Students and their families are facing challenges: some guardians lost their jobs or other families, fathers can not return homes because they stay in the area with restrictions of movements or area with strict lock down.

Information as of Oct. 2020



Rice, beans, corned beef, tinned tuna and powdered milk are included in the food pack. In addition, condiments such as soy sauce, vinegar, sugar are also in the food pack. The food with high carbohydrate and/or protein and necessary items for everyday life are selected for the pack.



A teacher who is in charge of handing over learning materials and food packs said "Usually guardians are not punctual but I was surprised that they came to the school on time. It made me happy to see the people's faces with satisfaction or relief when receiving food packs. The packs are great help for students and their families."

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you never dine alone.



TABLE FOR TWO is a social initiative that addresses the conflicting issues of hunger and obesity through a unique "meal-sharing" program.

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Kasugai Seika serves onigiri (rice ball) in its corporate cafeteria every year and participates in "Onigiri Action" by posting photos of onigiri. Many employees support the action and enjoy taking photos with props. This year, they asked employees to post photos not only from the cafeteria but also from their homes, and 167 photos were posted in total.



Nippon Suisan Hachioji General Plant offered a small bowl of "posho" (a maize flour porridge in Uganda) as a TFT menu on World Food Day on the 16th of October. This menu made people think about the children who eat school meals on the other side of the table. It was arranged with mashed potatoes topped with beans cooked in a tomato sauce, and it was well received by employees.