



Much to our delight, in October 2020 Wolverhampton City of Sanctuary received notification that we had been awarded a joint grant from the National Lottery Community Fund (NLCF) and the Barrow Cadbury Trust.

This grant is to provide a 12-month Internet connection and a laptop to six households where there are children of asylum seekers who are in the top years of primary school or attending secondary school.

There is also provision to pay for school shoes and items of uniform for approximately 30 young people attending full-time school and whose parent or guardian is an asylum seeker.

After some careful planning, taking into account Covid-19 restrictions, we have now started to deliver school shoes to the families, together with some independently sourced shoe cream!

We are also on track to deliver the first three computers and Internet connections before December 25th.

A huge thank you to the Government's Covid-19's support fund and to Barrow Cadbury for making this possible.

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