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Tuesday 12th October 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

Harvest Festival 2021

I am pleased to inform you that we will again be organising Harvest Festival celebrations in school for all of our pupils. Children will be joining in our traditional Harvest Festival assembly via Microsoft Teams on Wednesday 20th October 2021. One of the key themes is 'Being Thankful' and children will also have opportunity to enjoy Harvest music.

In line with our usual arrangements, we will be putting together a large display of food for Harvest and are therefore requesting food donations. **Please note: this year, we will only accept dry food donations - tins and packets, nothing fresh.** As this will involve children bringing in items from home, these will be quarantined in school over half term. Children should bring donations into their classrooms by Thursday 21st October. School will be donating the food to local charities/food-banks. We really would like to encourage every child to donate at least one food item, if families are in the position to donate. If you are able to bring in multiple items and arrange them in a container covered in cling film, we would be most grateful. Please check dates on food items.

We are also inviting children/parents to nominate a local senior citizen who would be happy to receive a Harvest food package. Please note: you will be expected to make a Harvest donation to school, prior to receiving a food package of items. **You will need to deliver the food package with your child week beginning 1st November 2021.** If you are interested in this, please contact the School Office. If you would like to prepare a box of food items specifically for your nominated citizen to receive, please notify the School Office - we can then make arrangements to provide your child with the food package you have put together.

Thank you for your support with our Harvest celebrations. We believe this is an important opportunity for children to reflect, be thankful for what they have and to empathise with others.

Yours sincerely,

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PSHE Co-ordinator

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