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Dear Parent/Carers,

As part of our Harvest celebrations, we would like to invite you to join us for our **Harvest Assembly** on **Tuesday 6th October 2026 at 2.40pm**. Our children will be taking part in a short assembly to celebrate the Harvest season and reflect on the importance of kindness, gratitude and helping others within our community. We would be delighted if you could join us for this special occasion.

This year, we are proud to be working in partnership with **Stoke-on-Trent Foodbank** and would like to ask for donations of non-perishable food items to support local families in need. The Foodbank has specifically requested the following items:

- Tinned meat or fish
- UHT milk
- Tinned puddings
- Tinned vegetables and fruit
- Pasta sauces
- Tinned tomatoes
- Instant mash
- Tea bags
- Fruit juices
- Chocolate treats
- Cereals

If you are able to contribute, donations can be brought into school from now until the day of the assembly. **All donations will be collected and passed on to the Foodbank following our Harvest celebration.**

We appreciate your continued support and generosity and look forward to welcoming you to our Harvest Assembly.



Many thanks for your continued support,
Mrs E. J. Pickford & Team (Headteacher)

This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people/vulnerable adults and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.



If you can, please donate an item or two from the list to help local people in need: -

- Tinned Meat/Fish
- UHT Milk
- Tinned Pudding
- Tinned Veg/Fruit
- Pasta Sauce
- Tinned Tomatoes
- Mash
- Teabags size 40 bags
- Fruit Juice
- Coffee
- Sweet Extra i.e. chocolate
- Cereal

Thank you for your help and supporting us to help people in this city who are in crisis.