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Harvest Festival

Dear Parents and Carers,

We will be holding our Harvest Festival Celebration on Monday 10th October. In school, we will hold a special assembly with the singing of harvest songs and by considering the reasons we celebrate harvest festivals in this country.

If they are able and wish to do so, the children will also be able to make a donation of goods (see suggested items below). We appreciate that some families within our Talbot community will find this year hard with rising prices and so the food will be distributed, by the school, during the year to families who may need support. The Talbot community is very special and we feel this is a good time for us to show our support to one another when times are tough.

We understand that not every family may be able to contribute a gift, and no child will be made to feel left out, but if you are able to send in one ore more items, please give as generously as you are able - it will be much appreciated.

Please bring your donations into school on Monday 10^{th} October (but not before as we will have nowhere to store them before then).

Best wishes,

Mr Garner

RE Leader

Suggested items to donate (with as long a use by date on foods as possible):

- Dried rice or pasta
- Tinned vegetables (peas, carrots, sweetcorn, baked beans etc)
- Tinned soups
- Tinned fish
- Tinned fruit
- Breakfast cereals
- Biscuits
- UHT milk
- Shower gel for men or women
- Deodorants for men or women
- Toothpastes for adults or children
- Toothbrushes for adults or children
- Packets of toilet rolls

Items we cannot make use of (because they cannot be stored):

- Fresh fruit or vegetables
- Bread
- Dairy products (except UHT milk)
- Frozen or chilled goods