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Harvest Festival

Dear Parents,

Similar to last year, this year's **Harvest Festival** will take place on 2 days, **Monday 23rd and Wednesday 25th October** at **9.15am**. It will be the same assembly on both days; we hope you can join us but ask that you only come along to one to avoid over-crowding in the hall.

In our assemblies over the next couple of weeks we will be learning about the work of the charities - **The Peoples Kitchen** based in Newcastle and the **Alnwick District Food Bank**. As a school we are a permanent collection point for these charities and collect items all year. At this time of the year we have a big push and we would welcome your support to support vulnerable people within the local community.

Donations of the following would be appreciated; to arrive in school no later than the morning of Friday 20th October.

- Tinned goods - tinned meat, tinned tomatoes, baked beans, soup, vegetables, fruit etc.
- Cooking ingredients - flour, sugar, salt and pepper, rice, pasta, dumpling mix etc.
- Drinks - tea, coffee, hot chocolate, squash etc.
- Household items - washing up liquid, washing up pads, kitchen rolls etc.
- Toiletries - toothbrushes, toothpaste, soap, deodorant etc.

I will ensure that all donations will be given to the Alnwick District Food Bank. **Any donation** would be gratefully appreciated and I thank you in advance for helping us to support the work of this charity.

Kind regards,

Mr K Moloney

