



BENYON PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Dear Parents/Carers

Friday 15th September 2023

Harvest Festival

As part of our Harvest Festival celebrations this year, we will be collecting donations for Thurrock Food Bank. During the last year, the charity fed a large number of Thurrock residents. The charity will be visiting school on Monday 25th September to talk to the children about how they help Thurrock people in need.



We will be collecting donations from Thursday 21st September until Friday 13th October, and these can be sent in with your child and given to their class teacher. They are asking for donations of non-perishable foods such as:

Desserts (Jelly, angel delight, sponge puddings)

Tinned fruit

Cordial/ Squash

Tinned rice puddings

Tinned vegetables

Jams and spreads

long life fruit milk

Tinned soups (chicken, tomato, beef)

Dried mashed potato

Tinned potatoes

Pasta/ cooking sauces

Custard

We will begin our Harvest Festival celebrations with a visit by Father Matt from St Nicholas' Church on Thursday 21st September during assembly.

Yours sincerely

Mrs S Oxley
Headteacher

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