HAWRIDGE & CHOLESBURY CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Harvest Thanksgiving Services
Tuesday 1st October at 2pm for Windmills, Year 1 and Year 2
Tuesday 1st October at 2.40pm for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

We are holding this year's Harvest Thanksgiving Services on **Tuesday 1st October**. Windmills, Year 1 and 2 will hold their Harvest Celebration at 2pm and Key Stage 2 will hold theirs at 2.40pm. Tea and coffee will be served in the hall after the 2pm EYFS/KS1 celebration for those parents who also have children performing in the Key Stage 2.

This year, we will be supporting two charities within our local community: The Chiltern Foodbank Chiltern Foodbank and Wycombe Homeless Connection Wycombe Homeless Connection. Harvest gives us, as a school community, the opportunity to live out our school value of *responsibility* as well as our FRESH aim for all to be *eager to make a difference* to help those less fortunate.

The Wycombe Homeless Connection is currently asking for donations of the following items:
- 'On-the-go', no-cook snack boxes e.g. John West tuna pasta salad boxes
- Ready to eat individual puddings e.g. pots of jelly, angel delight, rice pudding
- Cereal and high energy bars
- Bottles of water
- Multi packs of individual cereal boxes
- Deodorants
- Shampoo
- Shower gel
- Men's socks

The Chiltern Foodbank is currently asking for donations of the following items:
- Tinned meat pies
- Tinned cold meat
- Tinned rice pudding
- Chocolate
- Crisps
- Deodorant

You are invited to donate food and toiletry items and bring them into school on the morning of **Tuesday 1st October**.

Many thanks in advance for your kind support and for showing an eagerness to make a difference to those in need.

Kind regards,

Mrs Birley