



# Ranvilles Junior School

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Dear Parents/Guardians

## Harvest Festival

Next week our assembly focus will be Harvest/Global Goals 2030 which aims to end poverty throughout the world. We are celebrating food, where it comes from and how very important it is to us all. We are also encouraging the children to appreciate the countries the food that we eat grows in and the distance food has to travel to our supermarkets for our convenience. We are collecting food/toiletries to share locally in order that we appreciate and value what we have and help others in need.

This year we would like to support our local foodbank which has just relocated to Gosport. All items donated will hopefully help to relieve the effects of poverty and provide support to the vulnerable in our community. We really do hope you can help.

### Examples of Foods/Resources we are collecting:

- Tinned food (meat, tomatoes, baked beans, soup, rice pudding etc.)
- Dried food such as pasta and rice
- Toilet roll/sanitary wear/plasters
- Shampoo/conditioner/soap/shower gel/flannels
- Brushes/combs/hairbands
- Toothpaste/tooth brushes

Unfortunately the charity is unable to make use of fresh produce. If you would like to help us collect on behalf of the charity please send your food/toiletry gifts to school with your child by Friday 12 October. We will display our donated 'hamper' in reception.

We do hope you can discuss this focus with your children at home and support families in need. Thank you.

Yours sincerely

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Headteacher