

Gaddesby Primary School

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Foodbank Donations

Monday 12th October 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

Usually at this time of year we would be visiting the church to celebrate the Harvest Festival. Unfortunately, this year this isn't an option for us at school. As part of our Harvest Festival celebrations we usually ask our children to donate food that can be given to a local foodbank. I'm sure you'll agree that now more than ever, the foodbanks are desperately in need of our support and I think that it is vital that we offer whatever support we can.

With this in mind we have decided to do a food collection that can be given to a local foodbank. It is important that children understand the hardships that people face and we will be discussing both harvest (as we usually would) and the need for foodbanks in society within school over the next couple of weeks.

We will be collecting donations to donate to a local foodbank between now and Friday 30th October. If you and your children would like to donate, could the children please bring the items into school in a plastic bag, we will then quarantine items before donating them at the beginning of November. Please bring your donations into school anytime from today. All donations would be gratefully received but the table below sets out the items urgently needed by local foodbanks.

The school is very grateful for all of your donations and your continued support. This fantastic support enables us to continue to develop fantastic links in the local community and give support where needed.

URGENTLY NEEDED FOOD ITEMS 1LT UHT JUICE TINNED FISH TINNED MEAT TINNED POTATOES TINNED RICE PUDDING TINNED FRUIT CUSTARD TINNED CARROTS JAM

Yours sincerely

Mr Leigh Fox Headteacher

