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## Harvest Festival 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

Harvest is an important date in the Lipson Vale Primary School calendar when we focus on thinking of others through our own actions. On  $23^{rd}$  October, the whole school will be taking part in our Harvest Festival. We will be holding a special assembly where we will think about the meaning of harvest and give thanks for all that we have.

As is traditional at harvest time, we will be asking for donations from our community that will be given to St Paul's church in Efford. St Paul's support many families in our local community with food parcels and our support will help them to continue to do this now and in the future.

In addition, we plan to keep back some donations so that we are able to offer a small amount to our Lipson Vale families when needed.

**St Paul's** have requested the following items (some of which they are very short of):

Long-life milk, baked beans, pasta sauce, pasta, rice, tuna, tea, coffee, sugar, cereal and anything that is dried or tinned.

We are opening our collection of items from today until the day of the Harvest festival (although we would love to have the majority of donations in beforehand).

Our Harvest Festival will take place on 23rd October.

Thank you, in advance, for your generosity. We know that times are challenging at the moment so please only donate if you are able to.

Kind regards

Peter Lewis-Cole Headteacher

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