

## CANFORD HEATH INFANT and JUNIOR SCHOOLS

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Dear Parents / Carers,

Thank you so much for your generosity this year with your food donations for Harvest Festival. I was really proud that we could collect so much food to donate to Poole Food Bank. This donation is vital to our local community, especially as we are living through a cost-of-living crisis. To be able to do something practical to help families is fantastic.

We are now very keen for us to be able to continue this support for families and discussed what we could do. We have decided to have a permanent food donation basket in our school entrance hall, where families can donate any unwanted food items. We will then, as a Trust, donate this food regularly to the Poole Food Bank. Therefore, from Monday, there will be a permanent food donation basket in the school entrance hall. Any unwanted food items you may have can be donated via the school office to put in our basket.

The food bank requires items such as the following:

- Soup, Rice
- Tinned rice pudding/custard
- Pasta, UHT milk
- Biscuits
- Tea/Coffee
- Breakfast cereals
- Tinned vegetables/fruit
- Tinned meat and fish

Please ensure that all goods have a use by date of at least 3 months in advance. We hope you will agree that this is a very worthwhile cause.

Thank you for your support towards such a worthy cause.

Best wishes

Laurin Palmer Headteacher





















