## BOURNE ABBEY CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY ACADEMY

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Dear Parent/Carer

## HARVEST THANKSGIVING

We will be holding our Harvest Thanksgivings this year as follows:

- Years 4, 5 and 6 Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October. We will hold our service as usual at Bourne Abbey Church during the afternoon. All three year groups will attend the service together and will be joined by Years 4, 5 and 6 pupils from Bourne Elsea Park.
- Years 1, 2 and 3 Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October. This will take the form of a collective worship in school.

I am sorry that space means that there will not be room in school or Church for parents/carers to join us.

We would like to encourage all the children to bring a Harvest food gift with them to school. These gifts will then be donated to Bourne Foodbank which provides emergency food and support to local people in crisis. Some ideas of possible food gifts can be found below. In view of the way the Foodbank operates, produce should be in a tin, jar or packet. Please send any Harvest gifts to school by Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October.

Thank you for your support and for helping our children to be 'Agents of Change' and care about others.

Yours sincerely

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Mr P Houghton Head of School

Possible food aifts:

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Harvest from the field:	Harvest from animals:	Harvest from the sea:
<ul> <li>Vegetables (tinned)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Meat (tinned)</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Fish (tinned)</li></ul>
<ul> <li>Instant mash potato</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Milk (UHT)</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Instant coffee (100g)</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Tea bags</li> </ul>		
• Rice		
<ul> <li>Fruit juice</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Biscuits/snack bars</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Fruit (tinned)</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Pasta</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Pasta sauces</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Sponge pudding</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>Pulses</li> </ul>		