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Dear Parents/Carers,

Re: Harvest Festival

As you may be aware the Annual Harvest Festival period is soon approaching. This is a time in which people celebrate the food that is grown from the land and offer their thanks by giving to those in need. Traditionally, this has been a festival that here at Rockliffe Manor, we have always celebrated by collecting donations and offering these to charities who support those most in need. This year, however, we are very mindful that with the current cost of living rising, we do not want to put an additional stressor on our families. For this reason, this year, we have decided not to host a collection.

We do, however, wish to continue to support those in need and if this is something you would like to donate to, we have listed below the details of the local donation banks that would, of course, love any help at this time of year.

Greenwich Food Banks - Website: greenwich.foodbank.org.uk

Plumstead Welcome Centre

Location: East Plumstead Baptist Church, Griffin Road, SE18 7PZ

Woolwich Welcome Centre

St Peter's Catholic Church, Woolwich New Road, SE18 6EF

We will still be sharing the importance of this festival with the children through whole school assemblies and during individual class circle times as we want the children to still reflect and understand the importance of giving.

If you have any further questions, please do contact us.

Yours sincerely Nancy Cook

Associate Headteacher

