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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As part of our learning this Autumn term, we will be celebrating Harvest Festival on Monday 3rd October. As part of this celebration we have chosen to support the People's Pantry and Community Fridge at our local community centre, Repton Connect. This community led service helps to reduce food insecurity and food waste in Ashford.

Should you feel able to donate towards our collection, Repton Connect have requested any contributions of food in tins and packets that you are able to spare. Items such as soups and tinned meats are particularly appreciated as the winter weather sets in. Donations of fresh food are also welcome, although please ensure that these are only brought in to the school on the day of the Harvest Festival to enable them to reach Repton Connect when they are still fresh enough to be passed on to those who need them. Donations can be brought into school from **Monday 3rd October** and can be dropped off at the **school gate in tubes provided**.

In addition to our harvest collection, we will also be celebrating with a special assembly. Representatives of the church will be there, and we will enjoy some songs from the children. Although parents will not be attending this assembly, please do ask your children about their Harvest learning.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Kind regards,

Katharine Byron

<https://www.reptonct.uk/peoples-pantry/>