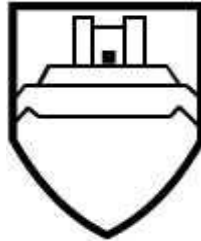


Stratford-sub-Castle CE VC
Primary School

Newsletter

Friday 22nd September 2023



Life in all its fullness

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Harvest Festival

Our **Harvest Festival** is being held at the **Church** on **Wednesday 27th September 2023**. We are encouraging children to bring in non-perishables during the week commencing Monday 25th September 2023. As usual all our *Harvest Gifts* will go to the Trussell Trust. This organisation brings a bit of hope to families, who are going through a tough time.

THE FOOD BANK provides short-term emergency food to people in crisis. Food is given as an intervention strategy, which allows care professionals, such as Church Pastoral Workers, Health Visitors, Social Services etc. time to put longer-term measures in place.

THE FOOD BANK HARVEST SHOPPING LIST: *Some ideas*

Soup (*Tinned or packet*)

Meat (*Tinned*)

Tuna/fish (*Tinned*)

Cooking Sauce (*Sachet*)

Vegetables (*Tinned*)

Fruit (*Tinned*)

Rice Pudding (*Tinned*)

Tomatoes (*Tinned*)

Pot Noodles

Breakfast Cereal

Milk (*UHT or powdered*)

Orange juice (*Carton*)

Sugar

Chocolate

Biscuits

Please help us to have a “**bumper**” Harvest Festival by donating something from the shopping list above. A crate will be outside the front gate for donations.

Educational visits

Owl Class and Robin Class are going on separate visits to Old Sarum next week. **Robin Class (Monday)** are going on a geography field trip, they will study the landscape from Old Sarum and discuss it. **Owl Class (Tuesday)** are going on a history field trip, to look around the area and at the ruins. This will enhance their learning about the settlement that was once there.

They will be going during the school day. Please ensure your child has a coat and a change of shoes if you are not happy for them to be walking in the trainers.

Butterfly Class are going on a ‘Welly Walk’ on Wednesday to look around the village.

Welcome & Information Evening for Parents of Reception Children

We are holding a “**Welcome /Q&A Session for New Parents**” on **Wednesday 27th September at 18:00** in the school hall. At this session we will answer any questions now that you have had a chance to get into the swing of things! Mrs Waters will give a short presentation and there will be a chance to ask questions.

PLEASE LET MRS MUNT IN THE OFFICE KNOW IF YOU WISH TO ATTEND. MANY THANKS.

A few reminders...

Please make sure your child has a coat in school, even if it is sunny in the morning. We like to get outside for playtimes even if it is drizzling!

Bikes and scooters are not allowed to be ridden on the school premises under any circumstance.

Please do not let your children play with the school equipment at the end of the school day.

The gate opens at 08.40 every morning, please do not let children play outside the school while waiting.

Best wishes

Justine Watkins