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Dear Parents and Carers,

At Harvest time, we celebrate and give thanks for the food we have. We think of others who live in poverty and do not have enough food, wherever they live in the world, nearby or far away.

In response to the coronavirus pandemic, CAFOD's partners are currently supporting families across the world by providing clean water so that fewer families need to ask 'How I keep my child safe if we do not have water for handwashing?' CAFOD is supporting some of the poorest families across the world, so they have access to clean water.

On Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October, 2020 we will be supporting the annual CAFOD (Catholic Agency for Overseas Development) Harvest appeal to "Brighten up the world this Harvest."

Therefore, children are invited to come to school in bright clothing on Friday. Many children have PE on Friday so we request children wear something suitable for PE lessons. We request that children make a donation of £1 to support the CAFOD appeal. They will be able to place their money straight into a collection box as they come into their classes.

In addition, we would like to request that each family may like to contribute **one** item to the Billingham Food Bank. We have a collection box in each classroom so food or toiletries can be donated here.

Suggestions are:

**Tins of:** Peas, potatoes, baked beans, chick peas etc, chopped/plum tomatoes, vegetable or bean soup, fish (tuna, sardines, mackerel) corned beef, ham etc. **Packets of:** Rice, pasta, pulses (dried beans etc) sugar, tea bags, orange juice (long life only) powdered milk. **Jars/bottles of:** Coffee, Cooking Oil, sauces **Toiletries:** Toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, shampoo, toilet paper, brushes/combs, deodorant (roll on) hand towels, bath towels.

We do hope you will support our charity work to help make a better world.

*S. C. Sinclair*

Sheena Sinclair  
Head Teacher

