

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **Multicultural Week and Harvest Festival 2023**

Next week is Multicultural Week in school, and as part of this celebration of culture, each Year Group will be learning about a different country. See below to see what country your child will be learning about.

Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Starlight	Rainbow
France	France	Italy	Mexico	Netherlands	Italy

As a school we will also be celebrating Harvest Festival and collecting food donations for the charity **HARP** as well as the local Food Bank.

#### **Donations of foodstuffs**

We hope you will allow your child to bring a contribution from home for our annual Harvest Festival appeal. This year we will be collecting food donations for the local charity, **HARP**. An example of some food items is provided alongside this letter.

Please could your child bring their food donations to their classroom **by Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September**. A presentation of the donated food items will be displayed in the school hall.

#### **Harvest Assembly**

KS1 will have a Harvest assembly on Friday in school where the children will have a simple celebration with Reverend Goodliff from Belle Vue Baptism Church.

#### **Extended Open Door: Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September**

All classes would like to welcome **1 parent or carer** per child into their classroom from **2.45pm** to share all the learning they have been doing linked to their Year Group's chosen country and the Harvest celebrations.

If you have children in more than one class, you may visit all classes. Please choose the class you wish to start with, and once you have celebrated their work you may take your child to move onto the next class, **however you must let the teacher know you are leaving. You may then move to the next class using the outside door only.**

**If you are unable to come to Open Door, then pick up is as normal at 3.15pm.**

We would like to thank you in advance for your support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Vicki Tracy  
Assistant Principal