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Dear Parents and Carers,

It is with great pleasure that I am able to inform you that the harvest appeal this year is for the Rotary Club Carshalton and Save the Children Pakistan Flood appeal.

We are asking Foundation Stage and Key Stage 1 to provide food that will be delivered to the Rotary Club. We have been asked to collect food that can be distributed to those that have the most needs. This can be in the form of a box of useful groceries such as jars, tins and packets, and this year they have also asked for toiletries such as soap, tooth paste and tooth brushes. Any small amount can be given as we would like to bless as many people with a gift of food this harvest.

We would like Key Stage 2 to contribute £1 towards the fundraising events being held by Save the Children Pakistan Flood appeal. More details can be found at

https://www.savethechildren.org.uk/secure/51_12232.htm

From their website we can see a little money can be used very effectively:-

- £4.50 buys a child's hygiene kit to keep them clean and prevent disease.
- £9 could buy an agricultural tools kit, for a farmer who lost tools in the floods.
- £25 buys six insecticide treated bed nets to keep children safe whilst they sleep.

The harvest celebrations this year will be held in school on Friday 8th OCTOBER.

Unfortunately, due to the fact that this is a whole school event, we are unable to invite parents.

The food contributions need to be brought to the hall and put in the colour team boxes on Wednesday 6th October and Thursday 7th October, so it can be displayed for all to enjoy!

The team with the most food will win 100 team points. Thank you, on behalf of the Rotary Club, Carshalton and Save the Children Pakistan Flood appeal for the food and money contributions this Harvest. Any questions please come to see me.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Michaela Cucharo

