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Dear Parents/Carers,

On Friday 16th October, it is World Food Day. At Pinxton Village Academies, we have pledged to support our local foodbank as part of our harvest collection. Sadly, over 13 million people live below the poverty line in the UK and the need for foodbanks is increasing. Last year, well over a million emergency food packages were given out to adults and children in need.

The foodbank offers help to local people in crisis, who are often referred by specialist agencies such as social services, GP surgeries, schools, care centres and probation teams. We would be grateful if your child could bring in any of the following, to help with our collection for this worthwhile cause.

In-date tinned and packaged food, including:

baby food;	microwaveable puddings;	tinned meat and fish;
biscuits;	pasta sauces;	tinned puddings;
cereals;	rice;	tinned soup;
dried pasta;	shower gel;	tinned vegetables;
instant coffee;	snack bars;	toiletries;
long-life fruit juice;	tea bags;	toilet rolls;
long-life milk;	tinned fruit;	vegetarian options.

Unfortunately, the foodbank is not able to store fresh or chilled items. Small packets and tins are preferred, if possible please.

We will be collecting in school from today Wednesday 14th October until Wednesday 21st October. On Thursday 22nd October the food bank will be in to collect your donations.

Many thanks in advance for anything you are able to give.

Mr Tom Dickson