



HARDWORKING



Whitehill
Primary
School

15th September 2017

Dear Parents and Carers

For Harvest this year Whitehill will again be supporting Porchlight, with the Pennies 4 Porchlight scheme. Alongside this we will also be collecting food for the local Gravesham Foodbank.

Pennies 4 Porchlight

The children will be given their own house-shaped money box to bring home, decorate and fill with coins. We ask that the houses are then returned to school by Wednesday 27th September so that we can display them together as a Porchlight village for our Harvest assembly's week commencing 2nd October. Porchlight will be coming in on Wednesday 20th September to talk to the children about their charity during assembly.

Gravesham Foodbank

This year we will also be collecting food for our local foodbank, Gravesham. They have provided us with a guide of items that they feel would be most helpful:

- Tinned vegetables
- Instant noodles
- Rice pudding
- Squash
- Tinned Fruit
- Coffee/hot chocolate
- Custard
- Toiletries
- Tinned meat
- Cooking sauces
- Spreads
- Laundry products
- Rice
- Biscuits/cereal bars
- Longlife milk
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All items should be in date and longlife, tinned, dried, jar or packet.

We will be taking the food donations to the Riverside Centre on Friday 6th October, so please bring in your donations before this date.

Jeans for Genes

Jeans for Genes day is on Friday 22nd September this year and we invite all children and staff to wear their jeans to help raise awareness of this charity. We ask everyone taking part to donate £1 on the day.

We appreciate that we are requesting donations for three separate charities, any and all donations are gratefully received.

Yours sincerely

Mr Mooby
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