

**BOURNE ELSEA PARK CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY ACADEMY**

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Dear Parents and Carers

**RECEPTION COLLECTION FOR THE FOODBANK**

This term, the Reception classes across our Trust have been learning about God as a Creator in their Religious Education lessons. Next week the children will be learning about the Christian festival of Harvest that usually falls in the Autumn.

As you know, we encourage our pupils to be 'Agents of Change' throughout their time at our school and we would like to give our Reception children the opportunity to be an 'Agent of Change' by taking part in our planned Foodbank initiative. During our whole school Harvest celebrations in October, we usually ask for food gift donations to be brought into school for Bourne Foodbank and this is what we would like the Reception children to do.

We are aware of the incredibly important service that the Foodbank provides not only to our local community but also to members of our own school family and would therefore like to invite families to donate one tin or one packet of food to support this important local cause.

Items can be brought into school next week between Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April and Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May. Donations will then be taken to the Foodbank.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

*Mrs Simpson*

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Director of Church Distinctiveness