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Dear Parents,

Each autumn, we send the items donated at our Harvest Festival to the Cheltenham Food Bank to support families who need help. We know that the school holidays can be a time when demand at food banks is much higher given that families with children will need to provide lunches and possibly breakfasts usually provided by schools. With this in mind, as the Easter holidays approach, we will again be collecting for them. Please send in packets and tins during the week 25th-29th March. We have contacted the organisers and they said that while they are grateful for any and all donations, they would particularly like:

- Cup-a-soup/tinned soup
- Baked beans/spaghetti hoops
- Cereals
- Pasta and pasta sauces
- Crackers/biscuits

The food bank also collects toiletries and cleaning products. They would appreciate donations of shower gel, shampoo and deodorant for males and females.

If you are able to add an Easter treat for a child less fortunate than your own, we would be very appreciative. Last year, we took several boxes of Easter Eggs down which were gratefully received. (Thank you to the family who remembered our collection from last year and have already contributed!)

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Katie James
Head teacher

