

Harvest Festival Collection & Assemblies

This year, we are supporting the **Watford Foodbank (Trussell Trust)** with a collection of non-perishable goods to help local families in need.

- **Collection Dates:** Thursday 15th October – Wednesday 21st October 2026
- **Drop-Off Point:** Donation box situated by the seating area in the school office.
- **Requested Items:** Tinned soup, meat, fish, beans, vegetables, and fruit; dry goods (rice, pasta, oats, cereal, lentils); sauce jars and spreads; long-life (UHT) milk, juice, tea bags, coffee; and basic toiletries/nappies/washing powder.
-  **Note:** Please ensure all items are strictly in date, unopened, and non-perishable.

Harvest Assembly Dates

Join us as we present our donations and celebrate the Harvest Festival together:

- **KS2 Assembly:** Thursday 22nd November at 9:30 am
- **EYFS & KS1 Assembly:** Friday 23rd November at 9:30 am

Kitchen Appreciation Lunch: Thursday 22nd October

Thank you so much for your patience and understanding during our recent kitchen issues. As a token of our appreciation, we are delighted to offer a special celebration lunch:

- **Main:** Beef Burger (Halal) or Veggie Burger
- **Sides:** Crispy Potato Wedges served with Peas or Beans
- **Dessert:** Ice Cream

End of Term Raffle

We are holding an End of Term Raffle with fantastic prizes up for grabs! A huge thank you to Finnley's Mum (Year 4) for her kind and generous prize donations.

- **Ticket Prices:** £1.00 per ticket / £3.00 for a strip of 5 (Cash only via the School Office).
- **Ticket Sales:** On sale now until Thursday 22nd October.
- **Live Draw:** Friday 23rd October!

Non-Uniform Day: Friday 23rd October

Celebrate the end of term while helping us raise funds to buy every child a special gift for Christmas!

- **Donation:** Voluntary £1.00 cash donation per child.

- **Guidelines:** Suitable, practical casual clothes. Normal school rules regarding sensible footwear, jewellery, and makeup still apply.

School Photo Day: Monday 9th November

Individual and sibling school photos will take place starting promptly at **9:00 am**.

- **Uniform:** Full school uniform required.
- Please ensure your children arrive on time so they do not miss their slot!

Update on Learning Sessions (Nursery)

We are pleased to invite parents of our **Nursery children** to our upcoming "Update on Learning" sessions on **Monday 9th, Tuesday 10th, Wednesday 11th, and Friday 13th November 2026**, from **12:00 pm to 12:30 pm**.

- **Bookings:** 10-minute appointment slots open **today at 3:00 pm** via the Arbor App.

Parents' Evening: 10th & 11th November

Parents' Evening will take place on **Tuesday 10th November** and **Wednesday 11th November 2026** from **3:30 pm to 6:00 pm**.

How to Book Your 10-Minute Appointment:

1. Log in to the **Arbor App** (login.arbor.sc).
2. Select **Guardian Consultations** from the main dashboard.
3. Choose your child and select your preferred teacher, date, and time slot.