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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope this letter finds you safe and well.


As you will know, each year at Harvest we support Andover Foodbank - something we continue to do throughout the year, and our contributions are always greatly appreciated.

Christmas can be a challenging time for many, especially with the rising cost of living, and it is during times like these that acts of generosity can make a real difference. This year, Year 5 and Year 6 will be helping the Foodbank by collecting donations at Tesco in Andover on Friday 28th November.

Children should meet me, Miss Dickinson, and Mrs Dickinson outside Tesco at 9:00am, wearing full school uniform and bringing their book bag. (We will be able to phone dinner orders through to the school.) A minibus will collect us at 10:30am to return the children to school for the remainder of the day, with normal pick-up arrangements.

Please complete and return the slip below, confirming that you will be dropping your child at Tesco, by Friday 21st November.

Thank you in advance for your continued support.

Small school  Big heart

Yours sincerely

H. Bulpitt

Mrs Holly Bulpitt
Head of School



Supporting Andover Food Bank at Tesco Extra – Friday 28th November 2025

I confirm that I will drop my child at Tesco Extra, River Way, Andover on Friday 28th November 2025 at 09:00am

Child's Name: _____

Date: _____

Parent: _____

Signature: _____