

29th September 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

Harvest Festival
Friday 13th October 2023

On Friday 13th October we will be celebrating Harvest at The Park School. Students from most year groups will be performing a play to the whole school about the history of Great Ormond Street Hospital and about its link to "Peter Pan". Some students will also be singing in the choir.

We will be collecting monetary donations to support Great Ormond Street Hospital. Please can any donations be brought into school on, or before Friday 13th October in a named envelope and handed to your child's tutor or TA. There will be an opportunity at the end of the performance for students to come up to the front of the hall and place their donations on a display table. As you are probably aware, Great Ormond Street Hospital is currently fund-raising for a new children's cancer ward and it would be great to raise as much money as possible to support this.

As usual, we will also be collecting donations to support the York Road Food Bank. The York Road wish list includes the following:

- Variety of crisps & snacks
- Sugar sachets
- Jars of coffee & hot chocolate
- Sweetener sachets
- Cordials (orange/blackcurrant)
- Bottled or cans of water.
- Individually wrapped biscuits / sweet treats
- Fruit, vegetables and potatoes (fresh and must be in date)

The students have been working extremely hard in their Drama lessons to prepare for the play. If your child has brought home a script, I would be extremely grateful if you could help them to practise their lines at home.

Please note, this play is for students only. Parents are not invited on this occasion, due to numbers allowed in the hall according to fire safety regulations.

Yours Sincerely,

Naomi Harwood - Drama Teacher