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Dear Parents

### JEANS FOR GENES

Did you know that 1 in 25 children is born with a genetic disorder? This coming Friday, 23 September we will be supporting Jeans for Genes day. Children should come to school in non-uniform and wearing an item of denim clothing for a minimum donation of £1 to the charity Genetic Disorders UK.

### INDIVIDUAL/FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHS

The Tempest photographer will be in school during the afternoon of next Monday, 26 September. If you would like to have your pre-school children photographed with their siblings please come along at 3.15pm.

### HARVEST FESTIVAL – CHANGE OF DATE

Unfortunately the date we originally planned for our Harvest Festival has coincided with the selection process for the new vicar and the church is not available to us. It will now take place the day before, **at 10.00am on Tuesday 11 October 2016** at All Hallows Church in Sutton. You are very welcome to join us, either by walking with the children to church or meeting us there.

**All children will register at school as normal on that day, but if you have a child in Reception then please refer to the additional page of this letter and complete and return the reply slip. We have popped a printed version of this letter in your Reception child's book bag so please look out for it!**

**At 9.20 the children will walk to Sutton.** We will be walking whatever the weather (within reason) so please ensure that your child has a warm waterproof coat and sensible shoes. If you are attending the service we would appreciate your help in supervising the children as we walk to and from Church.

This year we will be supporting Home Start which is a York based charity supporting families with young children. If you would like to make a donation they would really appreciate any dried food such as pasta and rice, all tinned food, tea, coffee, squash or anything else you would like to donate.

We will be taking the produce to church prior to the service so please bring your contributions **to school by Monday 10 October 2016.**

I expect the service to last approximately 45 minutes after which time the children will walk back to school in time for lunch.

After our Harvest Festival, parents, grandparents and carers are very welcome to join us back at school for lunch. There will be a change to the set menu on that day and the cook will serve sausages, baked beans/peas, potato wedges and herb bread followed by apple crisp and custard or fresh fruit.

The cost of the meal will be £2.10 and to assist the cook we do need to know numbers beforehand. Please book your meals using the attached slip and return to school by **Friday 7 October at the very latest.**

### AUTUMN SCHOOL MEALS MENU CHANGE

The Exeter Shortcake and Gravy meal on Wednesdays of week 2 hasn't been well received by the children. Therefore, the cook has decided to serve mince beef pie on future days. Please note, that for future reference if minced lamb is shown on a menu our cook always substitutes this for minced beef.

Yours sincerely

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