



Year 1

Harvest and Celebration

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What is Harvest Festival?

A harvest festival is a celebration of the food that is grown on the land.

Celebrations giving thanks for our food, happen in many countries around the world.

In Britain, harvest festivals are often celebrated in churches by bringing baskets of food to give thanks to God. People enjoy singing, praying, listening to stories and decorating the church.



In the past, it was not as easy to find food in the winter. It was important that farmers brought the harvest in before the cold winter came so that there was enough food until the spring.

Celebrations are times when we show we are grateful for something.

People celebrate lots of different things in different ways. Here are some things we might do below:



Fruit Harvest



Corn Harvest

As a school we sometimes collect food and donate it to people who may not have enough food and drink.

