



Are you looking for a meaningful way to take action and a great opportunity to get involved with Kids' Meals? Food, fund, and donation drives raise awareness of hunger in the community, collect food for families in need and play an essential role in the fight against hunger.

We need your help!

Donation drives are welcome throughout the year, especially during the summer and holiday months. Listed below are items to get you started. Please add to the list if you would like.

What do you want to collect?

Food Drive:

- * Juice boxes
- * Fruit cups
- * Canned goods
- * Granola bars
- * Easy Mac
- * Rice
- * Beans
- * Peanut butter
- * Jelly
- * Stuffing
- * Gravy
- * Pasta
- * Sauce
- * Tuna
- * Shelf-life milk
- * Soup/stews
- * Hot/cold cereals
- * crackers

Donation Drive:

- * Paper bags #6
- * Plastic sandwich bags
- * Grocery bags
- * School supplies
- * Backpacks
- * Books
- * Diapers
- * Baby wipes
- * General baby products
- * Clothing
- * Shoes
- * Gift cards
- * Gas cards
- * Toiletries
- * Paper goods
- * Office supplies
- * Cleaning supplies

Fund Drive:

No room or time to conduct a food drive? Try a fund drive instead! Your group or company can raise funds to benefit hungry children. Call Kids' Meals at **713-695-5437** for tips on making your fund drive a success.

Steps for hosting a successful drive:

- * First step, let us know you are interested in hosting the donation drive.
- * Second step, decide when, where, and who will lead the donation drive.
- * Third step, decide what you want to collect and for how long the drive will last and set a goal for your donation drive.
- * Fourth step, promote your drive by posting flyer's, sending out letters and emails to your friends, families, and co-workers.
- * Fifth step, start collecting the donated items and keep a count of what has been collected. Send out updates to your supporters regularly so they will be involved.
- * Sixth step, coordinate with Kids' Meals about pick ups and/or drop offs of the donation drive items.

Please let us know if you have any questions or need ideas for making the most out of your drive! You can also check our website, Facebook, and Twitter pages for more information.

To set up your drive please fill out registration form or contact: Bonnie Hill at bonnie@kidsmealshouston.com