



BACKPACK MEALS FOR KIDS PROGRAM

West Holmes Local Schools

United Way Wayne and Holmes County and the Love Center are partnering to provide nutritious weekend meals and snacks for West Holmes Local Schools students in need at no cost to families. Through the Backpack Meals for Kids Program, participating students will receive supplemental food to help bridge the gap between school meal services and weekends.

Food items will be packed in a small paper bag and discreetly placed in your child's backpack every other Friday, or on the last day of school before a scheduled weekend break. Each bag will contain a variety of breakfast items, lunch items, and snacks intended for your child's use over the weekend.

If you believe your child could benefit from this program, please complete the consent form below and return it to your child's teacher. A separate form should be completed for each child you wish to enroll. All information provided will be kept confidential and shared only with program coordinators and appropriate school personnel.

Once enrolled, your child will continue to receive food bags every other week while attending West Holmes Local Schools unless you notify the school that you wish to discontinue participation.

Program Begins: Friday, October 2, 2026

Thank you for helping us support the health and well-being of our students.

Sincerely,
United Way Wayne and Holmes County
The Love Center
West Holmes Local Schools

Backpack Meals for Kids Program Consent Form

Please check one:

☐ **I do not want my child to participate** in the Backpack Meals for Kids Program.

☐ **I want my child to participate** in the Backpack Meals for Kids Program. I understand that my child will receive a bag of food in their backpack every other week for use over the weekend. The bag will contain breakfast items, lunch items, and snacks.

Student Information

Student Name: _____

Grade: _____

Teacher: _____

School Building: _____

Special Dietary Needs or Food Allergies: _____

Parent/Guardian Information

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Signature: _____

Phone Number: _____

Help Support Local Students

Would you like to help make a difference for students and families in West Holmes Local Schools?

Scan the QR code below to learn more about donating or volunteering with the Backpack Meals for Kids Program.

Every donation and volunteer hour helps ensure students have access to nutritious food outside of the school day.

Scan Here to Donate or Volunteer; Feeding Our Future - www.uwwh.org/feedingourfuture



