

SNACK PACKS! SNACK PACKS! SNACK PACKS!

Did you know?

- ❖ **That as of January 6, 2010, there were 1,059 students attending school in DPS who have experienced homelessness this school year (that is a 16% increase over last school year!)?**
- ❖ **That 46 of those students are in Early Childhood Education programs in DPS?**
- ❖ **That 536 of those kids are in grades K-5?**

How can you help? Contribute to our snack pack drive so we can provide meals for homeless students.

What do we need?

- ❖ **Non-perishable food items that can be eaten by someone living in a motel or shelter with access to a microwave only.**
- ❖ **Suggested Items are:**
 - ❖ **Ramen Noodles**
 - ❖ **Granola Bars/Snack Bars**
 - ❖ **Fruit cups/Fruit Snacks**
 - ❖ **Soup cups/Ravioli cups**
 - ❖ **Tuna/Chicken packs**
 - ❖ **Crackers/Cookies/Chips Packs**
 - ❖ **Juice Boxes/Bottles of Water**
 - ❖ **Silverware packets with Napkin**
 - ❖ **Other non perishable snack items**

Combinations of these items will be placed in Ziploc bags and given to DPS's Educational Outreach Program. The EOP will give the snack packs to homeless students to help them get three meals each day.

Last year, with the help of families at Morey Middle School, Bromwell Elementary School, Children's Garden Montessori School and some wonderful young women at Girls, Inc., we made over 500 snack packs for the EOP! Help us get to 600 this year!

Special thanks to our current Morey Family, the Bertrons, for organizing this big need for our DPS Families.

To find out more about the EOP, please visit eop.dpsk12.org. Questions about the snack pack drive? Call the Bertrons (Megan, Cameron, Simon, Ruby or Hazel) at 303.331.8373 or email thebertrons@msn.com

Please leave your donations in outside Karen Duell's office, room 102.



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