

FREE FOOD FOR YOUR CHILD THROUGH THE BROOKINGS BACKPACK PROJECT



The Brookings Backpack Project (BBP) works with school staff to provide a **free supply of meals and snacks** to students who may need an additional food resource over weekends. The food is given to the children before they leave school each Friday (or, in case of holiday, the last day before the break).

Any child enrolled in the Brookings Public Schools, Sioux Valley School, Elkton School or Brookings Head Start may participate. There is no eligibility requirement.

If you believe that your child would benefit from this assistance, please register her/him right away. While you may register anytime during the school year, the sooner you do so, the sooner your child may begin to receive food.

To register, simply complete the consent form below and return it to your child's school counselor. If you have more than one child in school, you only have to submit one form, listing all your children and the schools they attend. **(A separate form must be completed for children in Head Start and is available from that agency.) This information will be kept confidential.**

Please consider letting this terrific program assist your family. Questions? Contact your child's school counselor, or visit the BBP website, www.brookingsbackpackproject.org, or contact us through Facebook.

(Note: This program is not associated with the free/reduced-cost lunch program operated through the Brookings Public Schools.)

Brookings Backpack Project Consent Form

Please register my child(ren) for the Brookings Backpack Project. I understand that if BBP has sufficient funds, my child(ren) will soon start to receive a supply of food at the end of each week for his/her use over the weekend or school holiday.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY.

Today's Date _____

Child's Name _____ Grade _____ School _____

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Please check box below.

- Okay to share information with Brookings Back Pack
- Prefer only school have information

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Parent Signature _____

Address: _____ Telephone Number _____

Parent/Guardian Email Address _____