



BROWN BAG LUNCH 2.0

Hello Parents! The Medicine Hat and District Food Bank is excited to share with you our plan to ensure children in our community are fed. In light of Covid-19 we had to do some "out of the box" thinking and evaluate our program to meet the needs of schools, students and our organization.

At the end of the school year and through the summer we have been providing at home "super packs" to our families. We have been offering a drive-thru weekly pick up or home delivery if absolutely necessary when transportation is a challenge. We also have our own YouTube channel where children can go and learn how to use the food in the box to make easy, nutritious meals on their own at home.

We are excited to take this program into the new school year. We will continue to send food home to children directly so that they have food to take to school each day. We also have our own YouTube channel (under Medicine hat and district food bank) where we are posting videos weekly on how to make healthy meals for children. We will also post them on our Facebook page as well.

To sign up families log onto our website (www.mhfoodbank.com), click on the programs tab then, click Brown Brown Lunch and fill out the form. You will be sent an email to confirm with your pick up or delivery time and you can also set it up to be a reoccurring appt. If families have any questions about the program please ask your school administrator or email programs@mhfoodbank.com.



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Hello Schools! We are excited to move forward with Brown Bag lunch in a unique way this year. Our goal is to make sure children are being fed while keeping everyone safe.

We will continue with our at home "super pack" program into the fall. This program gives families access to a weekly hamper full of items needed to make lunch each day. To sign up families log onto our website (www.mhfoodbank.com), click on the programs tab then, click Brown Brown Lunch and fill out the form. They will be sent an email to confirm with their pick up or delivery time and they can also set it up to be a reoccurring appt. This has been a very successful program feeding children over the summer and we are excited to be able to continue it through the school year. We also have our own YouTube channel (under Medicine hat and district food bank) where we are posting videos weekly on how to make healthy meals for children. We will also post them on our Facebook page as well.

We are also providing "Nutrition start up packs" To every school in all three districts. These will be delivered before the first day of school.

Our goal is to give schools food on hand in case it is needed. This will be an ongoing partnership between all schools and the Food Bank. For ongoing access to the program I will attach a form that will need to be completed and sent into us on the Thursday prior to each week it is required. As we have done in the past one person from each school will send in a request to me at mhbrownbag@gmail.com any questions please call Melissa at 403-594-0285

Thank you for your dedication to our children, we are so happy to partner with you all.