

COVID-19 Closures: Detroit-Area Food Assistance

We understand this is a difficult time for our school family. We remain committed to assisting families and students in accessing resources and making sure student needs are met. Please refer to the community resources listed below, and don't hesitate to contact your school's social worker for additional assistance:

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FOOD ASSISTANCE

Academy for Business and Technology Elementary

With both options (hybrid and virtual only), we will continue to provide breakfast and lunch to all of our students.

- Cohort A and B will be getting hot lunches when they are present in the building.
- Cohort A will get 3 bagged breakfast/lunches on Tuesdays.
- Cohort B will also get 3 bagged breakfast/lunches on Fridays.
- Cohort C (100% online) can pick up 5 bagged breakfast/lunches on Wednesdays from the gym.

Interactive map of Detroit meal services for kids

English:

<https://www.google.com/maps/d/u/0/viewer?mid=1ScIw-VmDeO0531HX6dkYpOdMuKssJqL&ll=42.354346112655676%2C-83.0986537&z=11>

Español:

https://www.google.com/maps/d/u/0/viewer?ll=42.35427428839455%2C-83.0986537&z=12&mid=1cXew-IH2i_RPThTJqS2rFOVaRyMhp2tC

List of Wayne County School Meal Distribution sites

<https://www.resa.net/community/feeding>

Pantrynet.org

Type in your zip code to access a list of food pantries near you

<http://www.pantrynet.org/>

United Way Hotline

Call to be connected with emergency resources such as food assistance, rent and utility assistance, etc.

Dial 2-1-1

Oakland County Help Hotline

Call to be connected with Oakland County emergency resources such as food assistance, rent and utility assistance, etc.

248-858-1000

Gleaners Community Food Bank of Southwestern Michigan

2131 Beaufait Street

Detroit, MI 48207

313.923.3535

<https://www.gcfb.org/>

Find their Facebook page for frequent updates about distribution sites:

<https://www.facebook.com/Gleanersfan/>

Ford Resource and Engagement Center (FREC) Food Distribution

FREC Southwest:

Saturdays 10am-1pm

Mondays 10am-1pm

Wednesdays 2pm-5:30pm

826 Bagley St, Detroit, MI 48216

Drive through distribution at 20th Street and Bagley Food/Hub Entrance (double sliding doors)

Call 313-962-4888 to determine eligibility

FREC East:

Check website for distribution dates: <https://www.fordfund.org/east-detroit-frec>

15491 Maddelein

Detroit, MI 48205

Meet Up and Eat Up

Check website for distribution dates and locations:

<https://unitedwaysem.org/get-help/community-resources/meet-up-and-eat-up/>

Meet Up and Eat Up meal sites provide breakfast and lunch for children 18 and younger Monday through Friday all summer long, and during some school breaks. Dial 2-1-1 or text FOOD to 877-877 to find a Meet Up and Eat Up site in your neighborhood.

Capuchin Soup Kitchen

1820 Mt. Elliot

Detroit, MI 48207

Hours: Monday - Friday 9-4

Food bank phone number - (313) 579-2100

There is also a soup kitchen. Free hot meals, clothing, and other services are for the low income and homeless in Detroit.

Latino Family Services

3815 W. Fort St. Detroit, MI 48216

Hours: Monday to Friday 9-5pm

Call for help - (313)841-7380

Immigrants and Spanish speakers are given food for their tastes. They also help with medical needs, housing, and other services.

Sacred Heart Church/Saint Vincent

3451 Rivard

Detroit, Michigan 48207

Hours: Weds 10-12

Telephone number - (313)831-1356

Many forms of financial aid and social services are offered. Volunteers pass out boxes of food, offer referrals to churches in Wayne County, and can direct clients to housing or SNAP food stamps.

Crossroads of Michigan

2424 W. Grand Blvd

Detroit, Michigan 48208

Phone number of food bank - (313)831-2000

Food pantry and Sunday soup kitchen

All Saints

7824 West Fort Street

Detroit, MI - 48209

(313) 841-1428

Food pantry open from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM on Tuesday, and from 1:30 PM to 3:00 PM on Wednesday and Thursday. Soup kitchen is open from 11:00 AM to 12:30 PM on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Operation Feed my Sheep

5540 Talbot

Hamtramck, MI 48212

(313) 366-3190

On Wednesdays from 10am- 11am, supplies are given such as bags of healthy food, basic needs, and personal hygiene products.