



Topsail Middle School

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

We want to let you know that here at **Topsail Middle School** we offer a *confidential* program called **MUNCH** (Meals Until No Child Hungers). In this program, a backpack/gym bag of food is sent home with the child each week by Friday. On the following Monday, the student returns the empty bag to Ms. Markijohn or hands the backpack to the homeroom teacher to give to either counselor. (In order to keep this anonymous, the backpacks are all different and not labeled as MUNCH bags.) **If the backpack/gym bag is not returned, the following week the student will bring the food home in a grocery bag.** **PLEASE** be sure the backpack/gym bag is returned, as it is difficult to send the food the next week if we don't receive the backpack.

If you have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact either of us for more information. If you have more than one child here at TMS, each child will receive a full bag each week.
(please list all the children that attend TMS on this form)

Please note that this list is kept private; the only person with the full list of names are the counselors.

If the **MUNCH** Program is something that your family needs, please *complete the following* and return it to school as soon as possible:

☐ **Yes, our family would like to participate in the MUNCH Program.**

Please send food backpack home with our child(ren):

_____, _____, _____

Please check one:

☐ **bus #** _____ **or** ☐ **car rider**

Our telephone # _____

Thank you,

Alex Bailey and Jill Markijohn
School Counselors