

Adams Brown Community Action Partnership

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Back Pack Blessings Power Pack Program

For Georgetown Exempted Village Schools

A not for profit organization

Dear Community Member,

Back Pack Blessings Power Pack Program is a ministry that provides supplemental food packs to elementary school children at Georgetown Exempted Village School to be taken home with them over the weekend and or holidays. These are given to children who do not have enough food to sustain them through the weekend. Those children are in families that qualify for free or reduced lunch and are identified by school administration as being in great need or at risk. Better test scores, improved reading skills, positive behavior, improved health, and increased attendance have all been attributed to the success of this program.

The Power Pack Program delivers individual packs of non-perishable food items weekly to each child for consumption over non-school days. Power Pack Program makes its best effort to average \$2.50 per week per child which would equal \$100 per child per school calendar year.

Power Pack Program began at Georgetown Elementary School at the end of the school year in 2015 and was able to help 20 children based on the monetary donations available. By the end of the 2016 school year we were able to increase that number to 62 children. The Program depends entirely on donations and it is our desire to help all the children that are identified to be in need of assistance. *That's where you come in.* Would you please consider supporting this program? Monetary donations can be made payable to ABCAP

In the memo line please write "Georgetown School Back Pack Blessing". ABCAP has partnered with the Program to handle the funds therefore your donation will be tax deductible.

Power Packs may include but are not limited to: varied crackers, peanut butter, Mac and Cheese, applesauce, microwavable packs, canned soups & pastas, cereal, oatmeal, granola bars, popcorn, raisins, fruit cups, fruit snacks, Juice Boxes and other healthy snacks.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 937-378-4489 or 937-213-4489, or you may call Chris Burrows, Superintendent GEVS.

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