

Nebraska School Break Emergency Food Options

While schools are closed, these food resources are available

Economic challenges continue to affect tens of thousands of Nebraskans. Please make use of these food resources if you or your family need them.

Emergency Food Distributions and Pantries

Across the State:

- Call 2-1-1 or text your zip code to 898-211 to find a list of local food distributions and their hours of operation. 2-1-1's resource database can also be found online at <u>search.ne211.org/</u>.
- Visit the Nebraska Preparedness Partnership's COVID-19 page for a list of food resources: <u>neprep.org/Food-Assistance</u>.
- Visit Civic Nebraska's Little Free Pantry network webpage to find food resources accessible throughout communities 24 hours a day, 7 days a week at <u>civicnebraska.org/little-free-pantry/</u>.

Lincoln and Southeast Nebraska:

• Food Bank of Lincoln serves 16 counties in Southeast Nebraska including Lincoln. Find their monthly distribution schedule at <u>lincolnfoodbank.org/get-food/food-distribution-schedule</u>.

Omaha, Northeast, Central, and Western Nebraska:

• Food Bank for the Heartland serves 77 counties in Nebraska. View an interactive map of meal distributions in their service area at <u>foodbankheartland.org/food-resources/find-food/</u>.

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

If you think you may qualify for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), you can apply using the Nebraska Food Banks' SNAP resources at <u>lincolnfoodbank.org/services/snap/</u>. Call the Nebraska SNAP Hotline to check your eligibility and get signed up at (855) 444-5556.

Apply through the Nebraska Dept. of Health and Human Services directly through ACCESSNebraska using <u>dhhs.ne.gov/pages/accessnebraska.aspx</u> or (800) 383-4278.

Summer Food Service Program

The Summer Food Service Program offers free meals to kids ages 1-18 over the summer months when school is out. Find seasonal meal service locations and details through the USDA's interactive map <u>fns.usda.gov/meals4kids</u>.