

Spirit Week Food Drive Information

The most positive outcome from Spirit Week is, beyond question, the food that is collected for donation to Catholic Charities. Students and parents contribute thousands of pounds of goods desperately needed by members of our community. While the incentive of receiving class points for bringing in donations is present, students and parents are reminded of the truly charitable act in which they are involved. Please collect items that are useful to families in need and to seek out donations rather than spending large sums of money on bulk items. We encourage students to collect from families in their neighborhood or to contact grocery stores willing to make donations.

Remember that Catholic Charities provides food to low-income families and homeless people who walk in for food. Keep this in mind when making donations.

Bulk items not useful for individual family consumption will be accepted, however, they will not count for spirit points.

Food Drive guidelines:

1. Donations may be made after school until 4:00 p.m. to Ms. Combs in the library.
2. Items donated at other times will not count toward points.
3. Ms. Combs will not be responsible for lost or stolen donations before they are weighed in so do not leave them unattended.
4. Donations simply dropped off in or near the library will not count toward class points.
5. A student must remain with the donations until the items have been weighed in and added to the display.
6. Donations must be turned in by Thursday at 4 p.m. in order to count toward Spirit Week points.
7. Items will be weighed in the library.
8. Please see your class representatives or Ms. Combs if you have any questions.

Thank you for making the food drive such a success!