

2022-2023 bite2go school year report card



year at a glance

In a year marked by inflationary forces and higher food prices, we also had wonderful expressions of compassion and generosity through the Bite2Go program. Corwin Ford, the Royal Bank of Canada and Rick's Fencing joined the program and have brought their support to Orchard, Marie Curie, and Sunset View Elementary schools, respectively.

Bite2Go helped fill the weekend food gap for over six hundred students in the Tri-Cities during the 2022-2023 school year. While many students in Benton and Franklin Counties qualify for free or reduced-price school meals, many of these same kids face chronic food shortages at home and, without Bite2Go, they would not get enough to eat on Saturdays and Sundays.

Bite2Go provides kids with a mix of easy-to-open, single-serving, nutritious, nonperishable food items for meals and snacks over the weekend during the school year. Bite2Go helps kids get the nutrition they need over the weekend, so they come to school ready to learn on Monday morning.

your impact



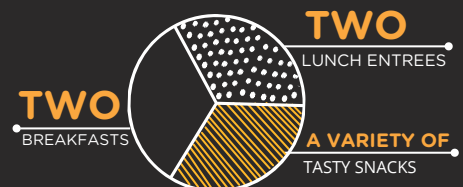
22,700 KITS DISTRIBUTED



629

KIDS SERVED WEEKLY

anatomy of a B2G kit



8,000

VOLUNTEER HOURS

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our generous adoptive organizations



By the end of the 2022-23 school year, **629 schoolchildren a week at 20 schools were receiving Bite2Go food kits** to fill the weekend food gap. We wish to acknowledge and thank the following adoptive organizations whose generosity supports the Bite2Go program and nourishes elementary school students in need in the Tri-Cities area.

Badger/Bethel Church	RSD Early Learning Center/All
Captain Gray/At The Core	Saints' Episcopal Church
Eastgate/Hillspring Church	Ruth Livingston/Faith Tri-Cities
Tri-Cities	Southgate/South Hills Church
Edison/STCU	Sunset View/Rick's Fencing
Emerson/Bethel Church	Tapteal/Bob's Burgers & Brew -
Finley/Finley Boosters,	Richland, Framatome
At The Core	Vista/The Garden
Jefferson/Bechtel	Washington/Bechtel
Lincoln/New Vintage Church	
Longfellow/At The Core	
Marie Curie STEM/Royal Bank	
of Canada	
Mark Twain/Riverview United	
Methodist Church & Bechtel	
Maya Angelou/Tri-Cities Sunrise	
Rotary	
Orchard/Corwin Ford	

open for adoption

The following schools are in need of adoptive organizations to support their respective Bite2Go programs.

- Captain Gray Elementary
- Finley Elementary School
- Longfellow Elementary

For more information, contact Steve Durham at steve.durham@2-harvest.org.

testimonials

"Bite2Go has had a great impact on our students. The support we receive has allowed us to help provide several students each weekend with the food they need and that they can prepare for themselves without the help of an adult. We know that if our basic needs are not met, that it is hard for us to thrive in any other facet of life. Bite2Go helps our students think less about where the food will be coming from and worry more about being a kid. Thank you for your support!"

- Brittany Mercer Principal, Eastgate Elementary School

"Corwin Ford Tri-Cities believes no child should go hungry. The Bite2Go program gives us a way to make a difference for local kids so they have the fuel they need and can focus on learning."

-Mario Wierzchowski, Corwin Ford Tri-Cities