

# **Good Deeds for 9/11 Day**

# 11 Ideas for Supporting Hunger Relief

# 1. Create or Tend a Community Garden

Collaborate with neighbors, classmates, or colleagues to grow fruits and vegetables for local food banks, shelters, or low-income families in your community.

# 2. Sponsor Meals for Families in Need

Partner with Family-to-Family to sponsor meals for a veteran, an elderly Holocaust survivor, or a family in need.

# 3. Organize a Canned Food Drive

Collect canned goods with your classmates, colleagues, or neighbors and donate them to a local food bank. Use the Feeding America website to locate one near you.

#### 4. Host a Personal Fundraiser

Raise money to support your local food bank. Feeding America provides all the resources you need to get started.

### 5. Support the Give Healthy Movement

Organize a Give Healthy drive to collect and distribute fresh, nutritious food, become an ambassador, or make a donation to help communities in need.

#### 6. Feed Vulnerable Children

Donate to No Kid Hungry to help provide meals to children who rely on school lunches and might otherwise go hungry.

# 7. Volunteer with Meals on Wheels

Connect with your local Meals on Wheels chapter to deliver hot, nutritious meals to elderly or homebound neighbors.

#### 8. Set Up a Front Porch Food Drive

Use Move for Hunger to set up a Front Porch Food Drive, making it easy to collect and donate food from your neighborhood.

# 9. Use Your Voice for Advocacy

Write a letter to your local city and state representatives encouraging them to protect and expand programs that provide food assistance to families in need.

#### 10. Volunteer at Local Food Pantries and Soup Kitchens

Contact local nonprofits and community centers to find opportunities to help with food pantries, packing meals, or serving at soup kitchens—there's always a need for volunteers.

# 11. Drop Off Canned Food Items

Keep it simple—purchase and drop off canned food items at your local food bank or pantry to help restock their shelves.







