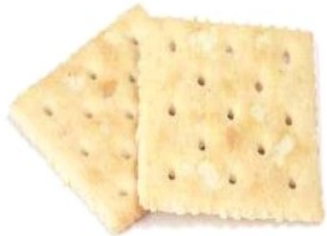




Fill the Backpack!



Once again we will participate in the backpack program. This program works by sending the backpack home on Friday with food in it. The student is required to bring it back on Monday to participate for the next week. This has proven to improve the attendance rate and grades for those students in poverty because they are not going hungry over the weekend. That makes this type of program a win/win project for everyone.



We will be doing this project the entire month of May. If you bring one or more items each week, they will add up and be appreciated more than we will ever know.



Peanut butter (16-28 oz.)

Crackers (small packages, 6 crackers or more in a wrapper).

Individual servings of apple sauce (usually in a 6 pack)

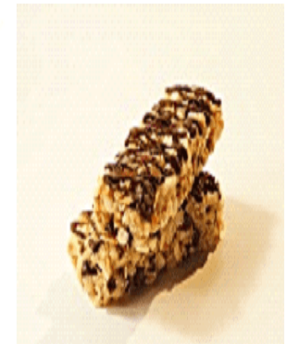
Jelly (small plastic jars)

Beef Jerky

Pop Tarts

Granola bars (individually packaged)

Small packages of dried fruit



Just a reminder: Nonperishable items only and no glass!