The School Market Program helps alleviate child hunger in our community by providing food to children and their families. School-based markets are located on the grounds of a school to provide an easily accessible source of food assistance.

School Markets are set up like a small grocery store at a consistent location within a school’s campus, with set distribution schedules. School Markets also may operate through a mobile market that brings food to a school campus on a truck with a large refrigerated trailer.

FISCAL YEAR ‘20 FACTS AND FIGURES:*

44 Sites
2.9 Million Meals Accessed
4,761 Kids Served per Month
4,273 Households Served per Month

HOW DOES IT WORK?

Houston Food Bank delivers the food and the school facilitates the distribution. School Market volunteers are students, parents, and administrative staff and they receive orientation/training provided by a representative of the Houston Food Bank.

RUN BY STUDENTS FOR STUDENTS!

Helping develop social skills, customer care skills, making an impact in their community.

For more information about School Market Pantry please email: schoolpantry@houstonfoodbank.org

*Fiscal Year ‘20 spans July 2019 - June 2020