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 ’23 FACTS AND FIGURES:**

- **5.5 Million** Meals Served
- **4.9 Million** Children Meals Served
- **73,078** Households Served

**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:

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*Fiscal Year ‘23 spans July 2022- June 2023