



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 '24 FACTS AND FIGURES:*



**5.4 Million
Pounds Distributed**



**4.5 Million
Children Meals Served**



**66,606
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:
schoolpantry@houstonfoodbank.org**

*Fiscal Year '24 spans July 2023- June 2024