

Project Title	In 200 words or less, describe your project and its outcomes.
Trick-Or-Treating For Canned Goods	Teaming up with FBLA and Key Club, our chapter dressed up and went trick-or-treating for canned goods around our community. It was a very cold night, but over 50 students came out and collected 540lbs of food that was donated to local food banks.
Thanksgiving in a Bag	Thanksgiving in a Bag is a yearly project where we collect food for families that are part of our school backpack program. Members of FCCLA and FBLA are split up into groups to based on chapter officers and encouraged to bring food items to fill a bag for the long weekend over Thanksgiving break. Each bag contains: graham cracker pie crust, instant pudding, sweet potatoes, stuffing mix, instant mash potatoes, canned vegetables, muffin mix and gravy. Our goal was to fill 30 bags of food. We had enough to fill 35 bags of food. The 5 leftover bags of food was donated to our local food pantry.
Hemingford Collects S'more Goods	Our chapter conducted a Food drive for our District FCCLA conference's keynote speaker, United way. We hosted a competition between teams and then delivered the food to our district conference. They coordinate the holiday food baskets. We collected over 200 cans of food toward this cause.
Pancake Feed	Cozad FCCLA served over 150 people at our Pancake Feed. We raised 250 dollars for our local food pantry. We served pancakes, sausage, and orange juice. FCCLA members provided all of the items needed to make the event a success.
Feed Nebraska	On November 25 through December 20, FCCLA, FBLA, FFA, and our student council all did a can food drive in our district. Both the Elementary and JH/SR High school were to try and raised 3,000 cans each and for the high school, which ever class raised the most in the two different lunches would get to be the first class to get lunch in their respected lunch periods. We combined raised of 6,062 cans worth of actual can food and money to give to the food pantry. On the 21st of December, both FCCLA, FFA, and FBLA also decided to have a bake sale to raise more money for the food pantry. With the bake sale, we raised about \$72 for the food pantry. We want to improve and help the community is as many ways as possible. Our community means a lot to us and we are here to support it.
Mobile Food Pantry	On January 3, 2020, the Boone Central FCCLA Chapter volunteered at the mobile food pantry. The mobile food pantry brings free fresh food to needy citizens. Members arrived early that day to set up tables and chairs and to unload and display food. As citizens came through the line, we distribute food, carry boxes for patrons and haul their selections to their vehicles. Following the event, unused food must be reloaded in the truck and the building put back in order. This is a very rewarding experience to see all the people we help.
Trick or Treat so Others May Eat	We collected 1200 non perishable food items and \$140.00 in donations for the Howard-Greeley Food Pantry in St. Paul, NE.
Flood Relief Worker thank you	The FCCLA provided lasagna, garlic bread, salads and desserts to 40 workers from the Greeley County Road Dept, NE Dept of Roads, Country Partners Co-op, McManus Dirt Moving, Greeley County commissioners and individual farmers who worked/provided equipment for repairing county roads for the school bus routes and harvest season.
Help feed Antelope County	There are several events that the chapters complete for the food pantry. The FCCLA helps with the food truck and helps collect food items for the food pantry at the yearly One-Act performance while the FBLA collects goods at their Halloween dance for elementary.
FCCLA/Boy Scouts Food Drive	The Sutton FCCLA and Boy Scouts teamed up to conduct a Food Drive for the local food pantry, The Bread Box, on Monday, October 28th. The Boy Scouts hung empty grocery sacks on all 700 houses in Sutton. Then the residents filled the bag with non-perishable items and set it on their front porch for the FCCLA to pick up. Ten ladies on the Sutton Bread Box Board helped us sort and weigh the items at the Catholic Church then we took them to the Bread Box to put on the shelves. The week prior to the door-to-door food drive a competition was held at the school between homerooms to see which homeroom could donate the most. The top two homerooms earned a donut party! The total amount collected from the door-to-door food drive and the school homeroom competition was 2,225 pounds which is equivalent to \$3,782.50!! That's over a TON of food!
Chambers FEEDS Nebraska	Collaborating with FFA during FFA week, our chapters collected loose change throughout the week. These proceeds are being used to purchase goods for the food pantry in O'Neill. We also hosted a wear orange day during this project, as a way for students to raise awareness of No Kid Hungry. We do not know the total donation amount due to this ending Feb 28th. However, we are hopeful that student at Chambers are raising awareness about the hungry in our very own state during this. Pictures will be posted on all of our social media accounts following this great project.

<p>Foodbank countdown</p>	<p>In October my family decided that we were going to collect a different food item every day for the month of November and then donate it. I then decided that I wanted to extend this activity to our FCCLA chapter. It then extended even further to all of the clubs at Waverly High School. The clubs that participated were FCCLA, SkillsUSA, Slam poetry, FBLA, History, and Math. I reached out to these clubs to let them know how the project works. I had no funding for my project as it was all volunteers that helped. In total, these clubs raised 607 items of food which we then donated to The Lincoln Tree of Hope organization. I was also interviewed by the news to get the word out about families that are food insecure especially over the holiday break. With the food that we raised we were able to double the number of families that The Lincoln Tree of Hope was able to help from 30 to 60 families. This project not only helped raise food for food insecure families for over the holiday break, but it also helped bring our community together and raise awareness for these families in need.</p>
<p>Trick or Treat for the Food Pantry</p>	<p>Thirteen FCCLA/FFA members met for their Annual Food Pantry Drive on October 24th. Members divided into teams and selected different areas of the town to "trick or treat" for food items for the Plainview Food Pantry.</p> <p>Members then spent the next 45 minutes collecting food. When returning to the room, members counted the items for documentations and warmed up with hot apple cider, hot chocolate, and cookies. . Members were excited to find out that they had collected a total of 230 items. The next step in the process was to deliver the food to the food pantry so it could begin to be used.</p>
<p>Maxwell FCCLA Backpack Program</p>	<p>We began our project by visiting with the administration about a need in our school. Our teachers were concerned about how many students would come to class talking about not having a lot of food in their cupboards and in their refrigerators. Our chapter had a STAR project from the previous year that addressed this problem. The staff wanted it back. We sent out an "alert" to get parents to contact the school to put their children on the list. We had 20 families ask for assistance with our food. We then had a food/cash drive with our chapter and our school to get our first few weeks of food items. We then reached out to the Maxwell community and churches to see if we could add to the list. We were then connected with Hope's Cupboard in Sutherland to help us provide food. They joined up with the senior citizens in Maxwell, and we now get food (both perishable and non-perishable) every Friday morning to pack in the bags. Our chapter bought nice vinyl bags with the FCCLA logo. The students pick up the bags on Friday and return them on Monday. Our FCCLA Leadership class and Skills USA members pick up 5-6 crates of food on Friday mornings, and we pack and deliver the bags at the end of the school day. Wal-Mart DC has graciously provided us over \$250 to help with the project as well. We recently had a referral for another family with 4 children who we will add to our list. We know this is such an important service to our school and our families, that we want to continue to make it work.</p>
<p>Food Drive</p>	<p>Our FCCLA and FFA chapters held a Food Drive between Thanksgiving and Christmas to replenish the local food pantry. 1200 items were gathered.</p>
<p>Trick or Treat So Other's Can Eat</p>	<p>Our chapter noticed how big of a problem food insecurity was in our community and we knew we needed to help. We knew our school did not have great success in food drives so we took to the community to help. We set our goal at 300 and then jumped into action. We collected food goods around our community on the night of October 23rd for an hour and a half. We promoted FCCLA at every house we went to and told them what we were striving to do and where the food goods would go. We also supplied a list of most needed items so we were able to make the biggest difference possible. Overall we collected 557 various food goods. We had such a great impact that we were able to split the goods between two food banks. We donated all of the various food items to Foodbank for the Heartland on November 4th and donated all the canned goods to COPE through Open Door Mission on November 5th.</p>
<p>Feed the Bees</p>	<p>Bloomfield FCCLA put up flyers around the school and community to collect canned items for the local food pantry. Students went around on December 9th and collected canned items from people that contacted us with their donations. We collected 375 cans of food that we donated to the food pantry. Some people donated money and we raised \$97.</p>
<p>Food Blitz</p>	<p>Southwest FCCLA worked cooperatively with FBLA (LSW, LNS, LSE, LHS, and East), DECA (LSW, LNS, and LSE), HOSA (LHS), and EdRising to collect 4961 pounds of food for the City Mission and the Lutheran Food Pantry. As people went into the grocery store, students would give them a flyer listing needed items including items like canned vegetables, canned soup, cereal and pasta. Students were at 3 different Super Saver locations and 4 different Russ's Market locations. This project has been going on since 2012 and we have collected 30,000 pounds of food total over the years. In addition as a club, we have donated \$620 to the Lutheran Food Pantry.</p>

<p>Feed BC</p>	<p>On Wednesday, December 18th, 2019, chapter members traveled to the Our Savior’s Lutheran Church to help sort items for the Boyd County Food Pantry. After the items expiration date was checked and they were sorted according to the kind of food, people from the community were able to come and take the items that they needed. We collected over 5,000 items and over 50 families were positively impacted by this project. These families were provided plenty of food for the holidays thanks to our efforts. The people of Boyd County were humbled by our efforts to fight hunger in our county.</p>
<p>Family Movie Night to Feed Hungry Families</p>	<p>Our FCCLA chapter decided to hold one of our annual Family Movie Nights on October 5th. We do no charge for these events, however we sometimes collect donations and then donate them to a local project. This year we decided instead of donations, we would collect canned food items or other non-perishable items to donate to the Overton Food Pantry. Families in our town were invited to come watch Hocus Pocus on the big screen in our school gym and bring 2 canned food items per person. We ended up having about 50 people in attendance and collecting 157 food items.</p>
<p>Milford FCCLA Canned Food Drive</p>	<p>During the 2020 FCCLA week Milford FCCLA teamed up with the local FBLA chapter to do activities throughout the week. On Wednesday the 12th we held a canned food drive for students of our school to donate cans of food. We created posters to put up around the school and made announcements throughout the week reminding members and students to bring cans. Over 45 cans were collected throughout the day and we donated them to the Milford Food Bank.</p>
<p>Canned Food Drive</p>	<p>Every year our schools FBLA, DECA and FCCLA hold a school wide canned food drive to support our local food pantry. We hold a competition to see which of our home rooms can collect the most cans and have prizes for the winner of each grade level. This year we collected about 2500 cans to donate and are very pleased with the turn out. We feel it is a super important and beneficial project and will continue to do it annually.</p>
<p>Feed Nebraska Food Drive</p>	<p>The Howells-Dodge FCCLA Chapter hosted a food drive competition for students in grades 9 - 12 in our school to collect non-perishable food items to benefit families in need in our community. A poster was placed in the Commons Area promoting our project and total donations for each class were put up each day during the drive. At the end of the drive, the freshman class emerged as the winner. The class enjoyed an ice cream sundae party on December 20. Over 300 items were collected from the students. These items were sorted and taken to the Howells Community Center, where the Howells Community Club distributed these and other items to families in need in our community during the Christmas season. The Howells-Dodge FFA also cooperated in this project by donating fresh fruit from their fruit sales to go to along with the other food collected.</p>
<p>Canned Food Drive</p>	<p>For the FEED Nebraska project did a canned food drive throughout our school. We held a raffle for a basket that contained \$20 worth of items. FCCLA members were given bingo cards with activities to fill out. For each square stamped, a ticket was inserted into the raffle. One of the squares said “Donate a Canned Good.” For every non-perishable item that you brought, one ticket with your name on it would go in for the drawing during FCCLA National Week, February 10 - 14 and National FFA week, February, 24-28. 15 canned goods were collected to be donated to the local food pantry.</p>
<p>Faith Food Pantry</p>	<p>Our chapter’s FEED Nebraska project this year was ridden with hardships that almost made it seem as if we would be unable to accomplish our annual tradition. From scheduling conflicts, snow days, and miscommunication. Finally, we were able to unite everyone in our chapter to at least bring one non-perishable to donate to our local Faith Food Pantry to help those our that are still dealing with the consequences of the flood. Our 40 members in turn were able to come up with more than 300 items to donate at a time when the Faith Food Pantry traditionally faces shortages after the holiday season. Proactive members were even able to communicate with friends and teachers, where they were also able to bring items. In the past we have been able to collect great amounts of items. Though our drive was only able to take place in the few days before spring break. With all of the challenges that our chapter faced this year, our drive was a massive success because we still were able to provide our community with a service that gave back to them.</p>