

## HOLIDAY MEALS

For many children a holiday break from school is exciting, but for children who suffer from food insecurity, a holiday break from school means a break without food. Tens of thousands of kids in our area rely on free or reduced meals at school.

Connecting Kids To Meals currently has 50 partner sites where healthy meals are served at no cost to kids enrolled in afterschool programs. Many of the partner sites close during school holiday breaks. For those kids who rely on these sites for meals, we have a modified list of open sites and the time where meals are being served.

From the first day of the recent holiday break, December 20, 2018, thru the last day of the break, January 7, 2019, Connecting Kids to Meals served 4378 meals at 24 locations.

We were also able to provide 1000 weekend take home meal packs, each pack provided the components for two complete nutritious meals. The take home packs were available Friday December 28<sup>th</sup> and Friday January 4<sup>th</sup>.

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Spring break is coming soon and again schools will be closed. Please check back as that time gets nearer to find an open site near you where kids can eat healthy meals during the break.