

BACKPACK PROGRAM INFORMATION

Dear Luverne School Families:

In cooperation with the Luverne Backpack Program, we will once again participate in a special program called the "BackPack Program." This is a special program that requires families to contact one of our designated individuals below. At the end of each week, your child will be given a backpack of nutritious, easy-to-prepare foods for the weekend helping your family stretch its food buying dollar. This will begin on Friday, September 15 and continue until the end of the school year. In the elementary, the bags will be discreetly distributed to their locker on Fridays by the end of the school day by your child's teacher.

At the middle school/high school, your child will be allowed to pick the food they wish to receive. Additional details will be provided once enrollment is completed, however it will be your child's responsibility to pick their food each week.

There are only two requirements that you must meet for your child to receive the bags:

1. You must contact one of the designated individuals below
2. You must qualify for the free and reduced meal program

This program is highly confidential! The Luverne Backpack Program will not know which children receive the bags. We will simply provide the bags of food. If you would like your child to participate, please contact one of the individuals below. They would also be able to answer any questions that you may have about the program:

Ms. Zoe DeBates at the Elementary School – 507-283-4497 ext. 3270 – z.debates@isd2184.net

Mrs. Stacy Schepel at the MS/HS – 507-283-4491 ext. 2070 – s.schepel@isd2184.net