

# Growing in Grace

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Purpose/Goals of Ministry: What is to be accomplished by this ministry team?	To provide supplemental food to identified children of Eastern Elementary and Wahl Coats Elementary on weekends and extended breaks during the school year.
What talents, skills, and spiritual gifts would be helpful to this ministry?	A desire to help children.
Time Commitment: When & how often do you meet? What other time commitments are there?	Our ministry has weekly needs as we deliver bags of food to the schools weekly. You can sign-up for a specific duty and a specific month. Special events such as food drives, Christmas meal and Easter Egg hunt happen at specific times.
What specific responsibilities do members of this team have?	There are many different jobs for this ministry: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maintain inventory and determine what needs to be purchased</li> <li>• Shop for needed food</li> <li>• Deliver bags to the schools</li> <li>• Collect boxes throughout the community for extended break food boxes</li> <li>• Plan parties for Community Christmas meal and Easter Egg hunt</li> <li>• Volunteer with Community Christmas meal and Easter Egg hunt (serve food, help with crafts, help with games)</li> <li>• Help with fund/food raising.</li> </ul>
Connections: What other ministry teams does this team work with directly?	We work with the 5th grade Living Water Sunday school class, 5th and 6th grade afterschool groups, and the JOY Club.
Mission: How does this ministry team help people to follow Jesus, love others, and change the world?	Follow Jesus, Love Others, Change the World - One Child at a Time  Jesus has called us all to serve. This ministry allows us to serve children that are often forgotten. We cannot expect students to be successful in school if their basic needs are not met. The supplemental food we provide helps to meet those basic needs. Our community parties give us an opportunity to meet these families and spread God's word and love.
Other: What else do we need to know about this ministry team?	It takes a village. This ministry requires more than just a few people and all help is welcome.
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