

Prairie Ridge Early Learning School's
Fight Against Hunger Project



Our Purpose:

We are committed to fighting hunger in preschool-aged children and their families.

Our Mission:

Full Tummies...Ready Minds...Happy Hearts

Our Projects:

School Food Pantry



Prairie Ridge provides an on-site food pantry for our preschool families. In partnership with **Feed My People**, we have distributed over 40,000 pounds of food since 2013.

Crock Pot Project



Three year-olds and their family members receive a crock pot at conferences. Included with the crock pot is a recipe, and ingredients for a meal. Teachers show families how they can use cooking together to build language, math, attachment and reading skills. Since 2013, we have distributed 165 crock pots and 365 recipes & ingredient bags.

Summer Food Delivery



A barrier to some families is transportation. We remove that barrier through our summer food delivery program. In the summer of 2015, we delivered over 6,000 pounds of food to 51 families. The program will do three summer deliveries in 2016.

Family Garden



Construction has started on our hoop house for the Prairie Ridge Family garden. We will be planting in the spring of 2017. Our purpose for the garden is to involve children and families in growing our own produce. Families will also have opportunities for nutrition and cooking classes.

*All of our projects are paid for through fundraising efforts.

*If you would like to donate, you can do so through the EC Public School Foundation – Fight Against Hunger Fund or click the link on the previous page.

*If you would like to volunteer or join our committee, call 715-852-3610

