

Resources - Forsyth County

Soup Kitchens:

1. Samaritan Ministries | 414 E NW Blvd.

Hours of Operation: Monday- Saturday | 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Requirements: Open to the public and are serving to-go meals.

2. Christ Rescue Temple Church | 1500 N Dunleith Ave.

Hours of Operation: Thursday | 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm (arrive no later than 12:30 to ensure food)

Requirements: Individual has to bring a photo i.d. with you in order to receive a Second Harvest Food Bank Card if you do not already have one.

Food Pantries:

1. Winston-Salem Rescue | 710 Trade St.

Hours of Operation: Tuesday | 9:00 am | Friday | 1:00 pm

Requirements: You will have to sign a form, but they are no longer requiring a state i.d. and proof of living address.

Information: They will be handing out boxes of food that includes meat and non perishables. There is a limited supply, so you should arrive early. Please call Bob at (336)723-1848 ext. 104 if you have any questions. Leave a clean message and a good phone number if it goes to voicemail.

2. Mount Zion Baptist Church | 950 File St.

Hours of Operation: First and third Thursday of the month | 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Requirements: Anybody is welcome to come, you will just need to fill out a short form in order to receive food.

3. Sunnyside Ministry | 319 Haled St.

Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday | 9:00 am - 11:00 am | Monday - Thursday | 1pm-3pm

Requirements: Individual must complete the TEFAP (The Emergency Food Assistance Program) Form and be a resident of Forsyth or Northern Davidson County to receive food.

4. Shalom Project | 639 S Green St.

Hours of Operation: Tuesday | 9:00 am - 11:30 am

Requirements: Individual must have a valid form of i.d. And can only receive food once every 30 days.

Free Lunch Options:

1. K&W Cafeteria | 3169 Peters Creek Pkwy. | 3300 Healy Dr. | 800 E Hanes Mill Rd.

Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday | 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Requirements: Children between the ages of 1 to 18 can eat at K&W for free (**dine-in only**). Participating restaurants include: Winston-Salem, Salisbury, and Statesville.

2. Hope of WS

Hours of Operation: Wednesday - Friday | 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Information: They will be distributing lunch to kids at the following locations: Plaza Apartments, Townview Apartments, Astor Park, Glen Oaks and Cambridge Apartments.

3. Pick up meals at WSFCS (location varies)

Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday | 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Information: Participating WSFCS will have breakfast and lunch available for pick up only. The meals are free to anyone 18 years and under. Adults can purchase breakfast for \$1 and lunch for \$2.

Participating Elementary Schools: Ashley, Bolton, Brunson, Caleb's Creek, Cash, Children's Center, Clemmons, Cook, Diggs/Latham, Downtown, Easton, Forest Park, Gibson, Griffith, Hall-Woodward, Ibrahim, Jefferson, Kernersville, Kimmel Farm, Kimberley Park, Konnoak, Lewisville, Meadowlark, Middle Fork, Mineral Springs, Moore, Morgan, North Hills, Old Richmond, Old Town, Petree, Piney Grove, Rural Hall, Sedge Garden, Sherwood Forest, Smith Farm, South Fork, Southwest, Speas, The Special Children's School, Union Cross, Vienna, Walkertown, Ward, and Whitaker.

Participating Middle Schools: East Forsyth, Jefferson, kernersville, Hanes, Main Street Academy, Northwest, Paisley, and Wiley.

Participating High Schools: Carver, East, Glenn, Kennedy, Mt. Tabor, North Forsyth, Parkland, and Reagan.

Free Dinner Options:

1. Winston-Salem Recreation and Parks AND Second Harvest Food Bank

Hours of Operation: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday | 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Information: Evening meals for youth (18 and under) and for those who have disabilities (22 and under) will be given free dinner at the following locations:

- Fourteenth Street Community Center, 2020 N.E. 14th St., 336-727-2891.
- Little Creek Neighborhood Center, 610 Foxcroft Dr., 336-659-4303.
- Hanes Hosiery Community Center, 501 Reynolds Blvd., 336-727-2428.
- Old Town Neighborhood Center, 4550 Shattalon Dr., 336-922-3561.
- Polo Park Community Center, 1850 Polo Rd., 336-659-4309.
- Sedge Garden Community Center, 401 Robbins Rd., 336-650-7694.
- William C. Sims Sr. Community Center, 1201 Alder St., 336-727-2837.
- William R. Anderson Jr. Community Center, 2450 Reynolds Park Rd., 336-650-7684.

Childcare:

1. Hoops 4 Lyfe | Brittany 336-231-7968 | 4130 Oak Ridge Drive (NAACP Building)

Hours of Operation: March 16 - March 27 | 8:30 am - 5:30 pm

Information: Call Brittany Ward (number above) for more information. Registration is required and space is limited. It is \$20 per day to send your child to this camp.

2. Smarties LLC | smartiesnc@gmail.com | Talaya (336)529-3565 (text first) | 1530 Martin St. Suite 101

Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday | 8:00 am - 5:30 pm

Information: Smarties LLC is open for the remainder of the week of March 16 through March 20. The cost is \$20 per day or \$80 per week. This is for children between the ages of 5 and 12. Children will receive free breakfast, lunch, and snacks.

Requirements: You must sign a disclosure saying that you have not traveled outside of North Carolina in the past 3 weeks and you have not come into contact (as far as you know) with COVID-19.

3. Sherman's Drop In | 336-727-3519 | 2101 Peters Creek Pkwy.

Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday | 8:00 am - 6:30 pm

Information: This is for children between the ages of 4 and 12. It costs \$20 for one day, \$40 for two days, and \$60 for three or more days. Children will participate in structured activities and games. Children will receive a snack, but parents/guardians have to send their child(ren) with a bag lunch. Call for more information.

4. Imprints Cares | Lori Richards | lrichards@imprintscares.org | (336) 722-6296 ext: 218

Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday | 6:30 am - 7:30 pm

Information: Starting Monday, March 23, Imprints Cares will be offering child care (ages 5-12) to families of first responders (Police, Fire, EMS), medical staff, and critical staff in the community. You **must** contact Lori Richards if your family falls into this category and needs help. On-site at 7 locations: Morgan, Bolton, Brunson, Union Cross, Piney Grove, Ashley, and Meadowlark Middle. There will be certified teachers on-site.

5. YMCA | Locations vary

Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday | 6:30 am - 7:30 pm

Information: Starting on Thursday, March 26, emergency child care services will be available at the William G. White Jr. Family YMCA, Emergency child care will also be offered at the Davie, Stokes, Statesville, and Wilkes Family YMCA starting on Monday, March 30. Emergency child care is for first responders, healthcare workers, and other essential front-line workers (grocery store, pharmacy, etc.). Child care is for K-5th grade and is \$20 a day or \$100 per week at all locations. No registration fee will be charged, and there are financial scholarships available. It is encouraged to register online. You can also call the above YMCAs if you have any questions. For more information click [here](#) or visit ymcanwnc.org/keepingyouhealthy.

Education/ Learning:

1. Spectrum Wifi

Information: Spectrum is offering free wifi access for 60 days to households with K-12 and/or college students who do not already have a Spectrum broadband subscription. To enroll call 1-844-488-8395. Installation fees will be waived.

2. Educational Shows on Netflix

Information: If you have access to Netflix, you can put on these educational shows for your child(ren) to watch: Nature's Greatest Events, A Plastic Ocean, Planet Earth, Forces of Nature, Blue Planet, Liquid Science, Bill Nye the Science Guy, The Magic School Bus, Brain Games, Wild China, Wild Alaska, and so much more.

3. Forsyth County Public Library

Information: The County Public Library has a digital registration form to get a library card. Students now have access to digital materials. The Virtual Children's Library is open 24/7. Registration is [here](#). You can also sign up on their website.

4. eLearning Hotline

Information: eLearning continues through May 15. If you have technology, eLearning, or closure questions, call the WSFCS Hotline at (336) 661-3128.

5. Reading Websites for Kids

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Site	Address	Audio?
Storyline Online	http://www.storylineonline.net	Yes
Read to Me	http://readtomelv.com	Yes
We Give Books	http://wegivebooks.org	No
Starfall	http://starfall.com	Yes
Online Storytime by Barnes and Noble	http://www.barnesandnoble.com/u/online-storytime-books-toys/379003588/	Yes
TumbleBooks	http://tumblebooks.com http://www.tcpclibrary.org/tumblebooks.htm http://www.portlandlibrary.com/kidsplace/tumblebooks.htm	Yes
International Children's Digital Library	http://en.childrenslibrary.org/	No
ABCya!	http://abcya.com	Yes
Storynory	http://www.storynory.com/	Yes
National Geographic Young Explorers	http://ngexplorer.cengage.com/ngyoungexplorer/index.html	Yes
Oxford Owl	http://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/	Yes

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