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The Arkansas No Kid Hungry campaign connects kids in need to effective nutrition programs like school breakfast and summer meals, and teaches low income families to cook healthy, affordable meals through its Cooking Matters program.

Application deadline is **February 15, 2016**

(application deadline is subject to change)

For questions about the Summer Food Service Program or any other assistance, email AR No Kid Hungry team: sbrown@arhungeralliance.org



The Arkansas Hunger Relief Alliance is lead partner for the No Kid Hungry campaign in Arkansas.



Arkansas No Kid Afterschool Meals Grants

The Arkansas No Kid Hungry Campaign, through its national sponsor Share Our Strength, is providing a grant opportunity for Child and Adult Care Food (CACFP) sponsors to help organizations expand access and participation in USDA-supported afterschool meals programs.

Organizations may apply for grants up to \$2,000. Organizations that receive funding must fully align with the No Kid Hungry Campaign's goals: access, education, and awareness. These goals are further outlined on the No Kid Hungry website at:

<u>http://www.nokidhungry.org</u>. Grant funds are focused on projects with long-term impacts and/or food support infrastructure needs such as kitchen equipment and transportation.

Requirements:

- Your organization must be a Faith or Community based program and/or 501c3 nonprofit organization currently in good standing, and/or other organization recognized by the IRS as eligible to receive tax-deductible contributions.
- You must currently be a CACFP sponsor or have already started the CACFP application process at the time you submit your grant application.

Instructions:

- 1. Go to http://grants.nokidhungry.org/
- 2. Create an account by filling in the "Step 1 of 2: Account Set-Up" (Please check your junk/spam email file for confirmation email)
- 3. Complete "Step 2 of 2: Contact Information"
- 4. Complete Organizational Information Page
- 5. You will then be taken to a page where you may input your access code:

ARCACFP2016. If you have trouble accessing the application, PLEASE UPDATE YOUR WEB-BROWSER or use a different web browser than Internet Explorer.

6. Fill in all required information and submit application.

If at any time you need technical assistance or are experiencing difficulties using the online grants portal, please click on the "HELP DESK" link that is in the *top right corner of every page*.