



Doorstep
Donations

Meet The Team



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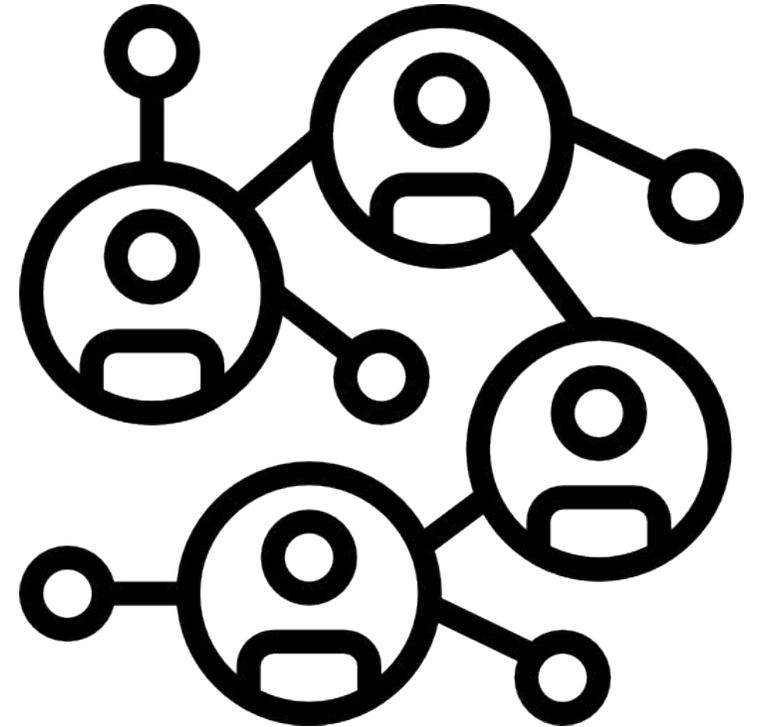
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Doorstep Donations was founded by high schoolers Ben Gleeman, Jonah Gleeman, and Ryan Spiegel. All three live and attend school in New York City. The trio started Doorstep Donations to serve their community as well as to mitigate the disastrous food crisis in the New York area caused by COVID-19.





The Issue: Food Insecurity

According to Feeding America

Unfortunately, food insecurity is on the rise due to COVID-19. More than 37 million people in the United States are suffering from food insecurity; that number is expected to increase.

50 million
people

may experience hunger
because of COVID-19.

60%
increase

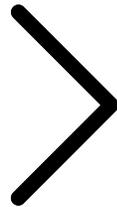
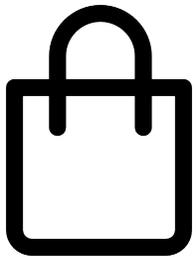
in the number of people
seeking help from food
banks.

8 billion
meals

needed to meet
increasing demand

The Solution: Doorstep Donations Bag Program

The Bag Program enables donors to easily give nonperishable food on a recurring basis.



After signing up, patrons receive a Doorstep Donations bag.

Every two months, donors fill the bag with nonperishable food and put it outside to be collected.



The Bag Program

Students Find Donors

With the help of the school administration, students should find a substantial amount of donating participants. Donors are sent details about the program and a Doorstep Donations reusable grocery bag.



Filling The Bag

Students are asked to send reminder emails and texts to donors periodically throughout the two months. We supply template emails and texts for the students. Additionally, the students should fill out a Google Sheet with their data. We will share the templates and Google Sheet through Google Drive.

Pickup And Dropoff

At the end of the two month cycle, donors are asked to leave the food on their doorstep for day-of pickup. Students drive or are driven to donors' homes to pickup the food. Students remove the food from the bag, return the bag to the donor, and dropoff the food at a partner food pantry.



Benefits

Community:

The food pantry you are serving needs help. If your school can acquire **50 donors**, you will have donated more than **2.5 tons** of food over the course of a year.



Students:

Students learn essential **leadership and organizational skills**. Our program will instill a sense of **pride and purpose** within each of the students. Most importantly, they will feed their community.

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