



# JOHN HERSEY HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Hersey Band students/parents,

The 2018 Hersey Food Drive has officially kicked off! This annual event is a great way for us to give back to our community, just in time for Thanksgiving. This wonderful tradition has proven to be extremely successful in previous years. Last year, Hersey was able to gather over 40,000 cans and dry food items. One part of the food drive is the Thanksgiving Food Basket Project. This year, as a band, we will again participate in this mission. These food baskets include specific non-perishable food items off of a list that ensure the recipient a few decent meals. These boxes have already been promised to Hersey families in need.

To take advantage of this opportunity, participating band members will be shopping for the food together. We will be meeting to shop at a local grocery store Sunday, November 11, from 11-12, and then assemble the boxes in the band room 12-2 pm. Details of store location will be determined as soon as possible. We ask that you send any monetary donations so that we have the funds to fill as many food baskets as possible. This year there are over **70 Hersey families who need our help**; please consider helping us support this cause.

Please fill out the form below, listing the student's name, whether he or she will be attending the shopping spree on Sunday, and if you are willing to commit to a box. Please fill out the Google Form Document link below by **Wednesday, November 7**. It is imperative that we know ahead of time who will be attending and who will be contributing to food basket costs.

Thank you for your generosity,

Filip Kempa, John Hersey Band Student Auxiliary Vice President

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## HERSEY BAND FOOD DRIVE 2018

Go to this link to register for a box or volunteer:

<https://goo.gl/forms/r5fZ6Gj2H7KkPOfr1>

Here are the options you can register for on the Google Form:

- Full food basket - \$90.00
- Half of a food basket - \$45.00
- Help at the Band Shopping Spree on Sunday, 11/11 from 10am-noon(10 students needed).
- Help the band assemble the boxes in the band room on Sunday, 11/11 from Noon to 2pm (20 students needed).

**Please respond on the Google Form link above by Wednesday, November 7.**

**Checks should be made out to HIA and dropped in the box in Mr. C's office by Friday, 11/9, at the latest.**

**Return check with the bottom of this form.**