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Dear Talbott Springs Families,

Each year, Talbott Springs Elementary, in collaboration with the Talbott Springs Elementary School PTA assure that many families in our community have access to food for the weekend or during days off from school. As you know, there are many in our school community who struggle for funds to pay for food when students are not in school receiving free breakfast and lunch. This letter is our annual appeal for donations to support those who may not have the resources to provide children with food. For the past decade, each Friday (or last day of the school week), Talbott Springs Elementary School has provided up to 100 children with supplemental food to take home for the weekend. Assuring that our students are nourished is essential to assuring that each of our students has access to the learning that they deserve.

Your generous gift of \$130.00 will provide hunger-free weekends to a child living with food insecurity in our Talbott Springs Elementary School Blessings in a Backpack Program. This year we again estimate to serve 100 students each week. Any donation amount is appreciated!

For one in five children, weekends mean 65 long hours of hunger. Your gift is an investment in Blessings in a Backpack's work to ensure children receive the nutrition they need to grow, learn, and thrive-to be a kid. Thank you for being a Weekend Warrior and partnering with us to end childhood hunger at TSES. *Please know that donations made in previous years have made a difference for our students!* 

Please make a donation by linking to <u>www.tsespta.org</u>. Select programs, Blessings in a Backpack, Donate Here and make a donation. All donations are tax deductible.

We are thankful to you for any donation that you can offer.

With Gratitude,

TSES PTA Community Outreach Committee and TSES Principal, Nancy Thompson