

# THE LITTLE FREE

# **PANTRY** Shopping Suggestions

#### Include items that are:

- Shelf- stable (non-perishable)
- Unopened
- Not expired
- Canned in pull-up top cans, when possible

#### Do <u>NOT</u> include the following:

- Razors/sharps
- Glass containers
- Aerosol containers
- Chocolate or chocolate covered items (during summer months)
- Items that require refrigeration
- Fresh fruits and vegetables
- Items that are alcohol-based
- Medications

### **Proteins**

- Meats: chicken, ham, corned beef
- Fish (canned or packets): tuna, salmon, sardines
- Nut/seed butter: peanut, almond
- Cheeses (Shelf-stable): parmesan, spreads
- Meats (Shelf-stable): pepperoni, sausage, etc.
- Jerky: mushroom, beef, turkey
- Nut Mixes
- Protein bars (not chocolate covered)

#### Fruits & Vegetables

- Apple Sauce
- Dried Fruit: mango, cranberries, raisins
- Individual fruit cups
- Canned fruit: peaches, pineapple, etc.
- Fruit strips/roll-ups
- Canned vegetables: beans, peas, corn
- Pizza sauce (cans or plastic jars)
- Baby food (plastic jars or pouches)

### Grains & Carbs

- Pasta
- Rice (instant packages or small bags)
- Shelf stable pizza crust
- Tortillas
- Cereal & granola (boxes or single servings)
- Trail Mix
- Crackers
- Rice Cakes
- Pretzels
- Pudding or Jell-O cups

#### Soups, Stocks & Broth

- Soups (low-sodium; boxed or canned)
- Broth or stock (boxed or canned): beef, chicken, vegetable

#### **Boxed Entrees**

- Mac and Cheese boxes
- Canned chili

#### Have questions? Email <u>LFPWestborough@gmail.com</u>

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## <u>Milks</u>

- Powdered milk (year-round)
- Shelf-stable milk (almond, soy; not in summer months)

### **Condiment & Spices**

- Salt/Pepper/Sugar (individual packets or in small plastic/paper containers)
- Taco Mix
- Salad Dressing (plastic containers)
- Mayonnaise (plastic jars/ squeeze bottles)
- Mustard (plastic jars/squeeze bottles)
- Ketchup (plastic jars/squeeze bottles)
- Cooking oil (small plastic bottles)

### Personal & Home Items

- Toothbrush/toothpaste
- Sanitary napkins/tampons
- Alcohol-free mouthwashDeodorant
- Deodora
- Shampoo & conditioner
- Lotion
- Sunblock lotion
- Latex Gloves
  - Masks (cloth or surgical/individually – wrapped with size labeled)
- First Aid supplies: bandaids, ointments
- Wipes
- Toilet Paper (individually-wrapped)
- Laundry detergent (NO PODS; small containers)
- Dishwashing detergent
- Sponges
- Tissue paper packs (individually-wrapped)
  - Wipes (small packs)