



Together We CAN End Hunger

Rowan County, NC *Facts* at a glance



- Rowan County has a population of 136,871.
- There are 20,464 individuals living at or below the poverty level. This represents 15% of the population.
- There are 2,271 individuals 65 years and older living at or below the poverty level. This represents 9.5% of the older adult population.
- There are 6,502 children living at or below the poverty level. This represents 21% of the child population.

Rowan County Distribution

In 2017-2018, the Food Bank distributed over 54 million pounds of food and household items throughout our 19 county service region.

In 2017-2018, the Food Bank distributed almost 1.8 million pounds to agencies in Rowan County.

Rowan County Partners

The Food Bank supports 21 programs in Rowan County including Rowan Helping Ministries, Salvation Army, CCM/Kannapolis, Nazareth Children’s Home and Main Street Mission.

Child Hunger Programs

The Food Bank sponsors a Kids Café site in Rowan County at the Salvation Army in Salisbury. The site also has a Backpack Program. The Food Bank also sponsors Backpack Programs at China Grove Elementary School, Knox Middle School and North Rowan Middle School.