Hungry for Change

Make your own donation collection can and use it to collect donations for people struggling with hunger. You can keep the can at home for your family or get permission to leave in a store, office building, or other public space to encourage others to donate.

Materials

- Empty container with a soft plastic lid (instant coffee canisters work especially well)
- Popsicle stick
- Small piece of cardboard
- Scissors
- Paper
- Crayons/markers
- Glue

Instructions

1. Cut a small hole in the center of the lid of the container. The opening should be wide enough for change or dollar bills to go through.
2. Wrap one piece of paper around the can, gluing it down and covering the entire can.
3. On another piece of paper, use crayons or markers to write words and draw pictures related to hunger. Some ideas include: plates of food, empty plates, Food Bank U logo.
4. After writing and drawing on your paper, cut out what you’ve created and glue it to your can. When the entire can is decorated, make a label or cut out the ones found at the end of this activity sheet.
5. Color in the label, sign your name on the line, and glue the label to a small piece of cardboard.
6. Glue the cardboard to the popsicle stick to create a flag and finally glue the popsicle stick “flag pole” to the back of the canister.
7. Place the container at home for your family or get permission to leave in a store, office building, or other public space to encourage others to donate.
8. Take a picture when you’re done. Tag us on Facebook or Instagram at @okfoodbank so we can share.
9. **Always ask a parent for permission before asking for donations.**
10. Fill out your [Activity Tracker](#) and submit to Cathy Wilkie at [cwilkie@okfoodbank.org](mailto:cwilkie@okfoodbank.org)

Labels for containers can be found on the following page.
KIDS FOR CHANGE

Please donate your spare change.
I will take the money collected and donate it to the Community Food Bank of Eastern Oklahoma.
Thank you for your support!

Name: ____________________________