

Surveys have found that nearly 40 percent of college students endure food insecurity on a weekly basis. The Wesley Food Pantry+ provides on-campus resources to Southern Miss students and staff who are temporarily experiencing challenges accessing basic necessities, including food. The USM Wesley Foundation has a strong desire to make a difference and reduce the negative statistics within our Hattiesburg campus community.

These are the eight most commonly used items at Wesley Food Pantry+.

**2 Canned Items**

(example: milk, fruit, beans, tuna, chicken, etc.)

**2 Breakfast Items**

(example: cereals, oatmeal/grits, and granola bars)

**2 Dry Goods**

(example: mac and cheese, ramen noodles, dry beans, spaghetti, peanut butter, and jelly, and noodles)

**2 Shelf-stable Meal Items**

(example: beef stew, ravioli, lasagna, vegetarian meals, etc.)



# The Eagle Eight