



Community Resource Guide

Bowling Green City Schools
2025-2026



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This guide was created and implemented to assist families in obtaining community resources. The district does not specifically endorse or guarantee services from the resources listed in this guide. The determination of resource utilization is ultimately at the discretion of the guide user. If you have any questions on how to get connected to some of these resources, please contact Danya Claes, Student Wellness Coordinator, at dclaes@bgcs.k12.oh.us.



BOBCAT BASICS

K-12 DISTRICT STUDENT PANTRY

The Bobcat Basics student pantry provides students and families district wide access to basic care items such as:

- Clothing
- School supplies
- Personal hygiene products
- Cleaning products
- Non-perishable food

Students/families may request items by speaking with their school guidance counselor(s) or principal (s).

Items will be collected for the student/family. The Student Wellness Coordinator will reach out to determine pick up/ drop off time.

Use of the pantry is kept private and confidential.

HOURS OF OPERATION:

Monday - Friday
(8:15 AM - 4:00 PM)

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Danya Claes
Student Wellness Coordinator
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General Supports

Agency	Phone Number	Notes
United Way	211	Anonymous information and referral service.
Wood County Job and Family Services	419-352-7566	https://woodcountyjfs.com/public-assistance/ https://benefits.ohio.gov/

Housing

Resource	Contact Information	Website
Great Lakes Community Action Partnership	800-775-9767	https://www.glcap.org/
Community Housing Impact	877-836-3206	https://www.bgohio.org/DocumentCenter/View/4051/CHIP-WoodCo-Flyer-Digital?bidId=#.~:text=County%20Community%20Housing-.Impact%20and%20Preservation%20(CHIP)%20program,modifications%2C%20plumbing%2C%20and%20more.
Salvation Army	(419) 352-5918 1045 N Main St #8, Bowling Green, OH 43402	https://www.salvationarmy.org/
City of Bowling Green	419-354-6221 305 N Main St, Bowling Green, OH 43402	https://www.bgohio.org/222/Housing-Programs
Habitat for Humanity	(419) 481-8100 326 Industrial Pkwy Suite 1, Bowling Green, OH 43402	https://wchabitat.org/
Habitat for Humanity: Restore	(419) 481-8100 829 W Newton Rd., Bowling Green, Ohio 43402	https://wchabitat.org/restore.html



Food

Resource	Where?	When?	Notes
Bobcat Basics	BGCS School District	Open 8:00-4:00 by request	Please contact the district Student Wellness Coordinator dclaes@bgcs.k12.oh.us with needs your family may have
Brown Bag Food Project	419-960-5345 530 Sand Ridge Rd. Bowling Green, OH 43402	Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 5:00-6:30pm	Now offering delivery within 10 mile radius upon request
First Christian Church	419-354-3989 875 Haskins Rd Bowling Green, OH 43402	Second Friday of every month 5:00-6:00pm	A dinner with possible groceries to take home
Bowling Green Christian Food Pantry	419-353-5174 419 Gould St, Suite 6 Bowling Green, OH 43402	Monday 1:00-2:45pm Wednesday/Friday 10:00-11:45am	Referral needed
St. Mark's Lutheran Church	419-353-9305 315 S College Dr Bowling Green, OH 43402	Wednesday 4:15-6:00pm	September-May only
St. John's Food Pantry	419-837-5115 5520 Fremont Pike Perrysburg, OH	Third Saturday of every month 7:30-8:30am	
St. Aloysius Food Pantry	419-352-4195 150 S. Enterprise Bowling Green, OH 43402	Monday-Friday 10:00-12:00pm 1:00-3:00pm	Can attend once per month
St. Thomas Moore Food Pantry	419-352-7555 425 Thurstin Ave Bowling Green, OH 43402	Tuesday and Thursday 10:00-12:00pm Wednesday 3:30-5:30pm	Can attend once per month
All Saints Catholic Church	419-666-1393 628 Line City Rd Rossford, OH	One day a week; must call ahead to find out which day	Can attend once per month



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Resource	Where?	When?	Notes
First United Methodist	419-353-0682 1526 E. Wooster St Bowling Green, OH 43402	First Friday of each month 10:00-11:30am	Eligible if you qualify for federal assistance or if you are facing recent hardship (etc. job loss)
Weston Food Pantry	336-280-5311 419-669-3895 13355 Center St Weston, OH 43569	First and third Saturdays of the month 10:00-12:00pm	
Christ United Methodist Church	419-686-2621 301 W Main St, Portage, OH	Second and fourth Saturdays of the month 10:00-11:00am	
Falcon Food Pantry	109 Central Hall Bowling Green, OH 43402 foodpantry@bgsu.edu	Monday and Thursday 10:00-1:00pm Wednesday 2:30-5:30pm	BGSU students, faculty, and staff only No summer hours on Wednesdays
Welcome BG International Friday	567-413-4003 980 W Poe Rd Suite #7 Bowling Green, OH 43402	Third Friday of the month 6:00-7:30pm	
Food Stamps (SNAP)	844-640-6446	Online application: odjfsbenefits.ohio.gov	
Wood County Jobs and Family Services	844-640-6446 1928 E Gypsy Lane Bowling Green, OH 43402		
Free and Reduced School Breakfast and Lunch	419-354-0800 ext. 4040 137 Clough St Bowling Green, OH 43402		



Technology

Agency	Phone Number	Notes
Buckeye Broadband FreeNet	419-724-7980	https://www.buckeyebroadband.com/freenet
Spectrum Internet Assist	855-860-9068	https://www.spectrumonlineoffers.com

Basic Needs

Resource	Where?	When?	Notes
Bobcat Basics	BGCS School District	Open 8:00-4:00 by request	Please contact the district Student Wellness Coordinator dclaes@bgcs.k12.oh.us with needs your family may have
First Presbyterian Church Deacon's Shop	419-352-5176 126 S. Church Street Bowling Green, OH	Thursdays 9:30-11:00am	Free clothing
St. Timothy's Episcopal Church Clothesline	419-874-5704 871 E. Boundary St. Perrysburg, OH	Fridays 9:30-11:00am	Free clothing Can get 10 free items per week
St. John's Shared Bounty Thrift Shop	419-837-5115 5520 Fremont Pike Perrysburg, OH	First Saturday of the month 10:00am- 12:00pm	Free clothing pay what you can
Goodwill	1058 N Main, Bowling Green, OH 10027 Fremont Pike, Perrysburg, OH	Daily 10:00-8:00pm *10:00-6:00pm on Sundays	Extremely low priced clothing and household items
Salvation Army Store	4405 Woodville Rd, Northwood, OH	Daily 9:00-7:00pm *Closed on Sundays	Extremely low priced clothing and household items



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The Fringe Thrift Store	1234 N Main St in the Woodland Mall	Tuesday-Saturday 10:00-6:00pm	Extremely low priced clothing and household items
Once Upon a Child/ Clothes Mentor	142 E South Boundary, Perrysburg, OH	Daily 10:00-8:00pm	Gently used clothes for children (Once Upon a Child) and adults (Clothes Mentor)
St Mark's Lutheran Church	419-353-9305 315 S College Dr Bowling Green, OH	Timing based on request	Furniture Pantry
Let's Build Beds	(567) 246-0616	Contact any time	Application: https://letsbuild.org/request-beds/

Transportation

Resource	Contact Information	Website
PRC Car Repair Wood County JFS	419-352-7566 ext. 8492	https://www.woodcountyjfs.com/social-services/emergency-assistance/
NetPLUS	1-844-353-6779	https://www.woodcountyjfs.com/netplus/
Wood County Committee on Aging (60 or older)	419-353-5661	wccoa.net/wccoa-services/
Wood County Veterans Service Office	419-354-9147	https://woodcountyvets.com/
Black and White Cab	419-536-TAXI	www.blackwhitecab.com
BG Transit	800-579-4299	https://www.bgohio.org/227/BG-Transit---Public-Transportation
BGSU Shuttle Services	419-372-0236	https://www.bgsu.edu/parking-services/shuttle-services.html



Mental Health

Agency	Address(s)	Phone Number(s)
RFS TACKLE	Within BGCS schools	419-354-0800 ex. 4036 (Student Wellness Coordinator)
Children's Resource Center	1045 Klotz Rd, Bowling Green, OH	419-352-7588
Harbor Behavioral	1010 N Prospect St Bowling Green, OH 309 S Main St, Bowling Green, OH 800 Commerce Dr, Perrysburg, OH	419-352-5387 419-354-4200 419-874-1902
InLight Mental Health Services	1021 Revere Dr, Bowling Green, OH	419-556-6807
The Willow Center	440 East Poe Rd, Suite 202 Bowling Green, OH	419-720-5800
Mighty Oak Christian Counseling	141 E Court St, Bowling Green, OH	419-575-7910
Sound House Counseling	126 N Main St, Bowling Green, OH	419-262-9401
Unison Health	1084 S. Main St Suite A Bowling Green, OH	419-352-4624
Presence of Mind Counseling	1234 Ridgewood Dr, Suite C Bowling Green, OH	419-408-5533
Ohio Guidestone	874 Commerce Dr, Perrysburg, OH	419-330-1349
The Anxiety Treatment Center	1070 Commerce Dr, Building 2 Suite 301 Perrysburg, OH	419-931-3029
Premier Counseling (Perrysburg Counseling Center)	1070 Commerce Dr 101 Perrysburg, OH	419-482-8382
Person to Person Resources	836 W South Boundary St Perrysburg, OH	419-874-3201
Julia Burrow, M.D. and Associates	830 W South Boundary St, Suite A Perrysburg, OH	419-930-3020
Kindervater & Carroll LLC	702 Commerce Dr, Suite 150 Perrysburg, OH	419-874-0274



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Karuna House	119 W 2nd St, Perrysburg, OH	419-806-6663
The Haven Holistic Service, Inc.	8245 Farnsworth, Rd, Suite B Waterville, OH	419-740-0545
Tomorrow Begins Today	27062 Oakmead Dr, Perrysburg, OH	419-517-6564
Community Health Services	5734 Fremont Pike, Stony Ridge, OH	419-318-8652

Crisis Counseling

Agency	Address(s)	Phone Number(s)
Children's Resource Center *CRC can't take students over 18. In these instances they need to report to Wood County Crisis or The Hope Institute	1045 Klotz Rd, Bowling Green, OH	419-352-7588
Wood County Crisis	1022 N Prospect St, Bowling Green, OH	419-502-4673
The Hope Institute	1070 Commerce Dr, Perrysburg, OH	419-482-8382
Crisis Text Line	Text "TALK"	741-741
Suicide and Crisis Lifeline		988
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline	Text "START"	741-741 1-800-273-8255
The Trevor Project *offers crisis support for youth who identify as LGBTQ+	Text "TREVOR"	678-678 1-866-488-7386

*****or go to your nearest Emergency Room/ call 911*****



Substance Use and Abuse Counseling

Agency	Address(s)	Phone Number(s)
Children's Resource Center *COD program for mental health and substance use	1045 Klotz Rd, Bowling Green, OH	419-352-7588
Harbor Behavioral *7 Challenges Group and one on one substance use therapy	1010 N Prospect St, Bowling Green, OH 800 Commerce Dr, Perrysburg, OH	419-352-5387 419-874-1902
Unison Health *Provides the DUAL assessment and then suggests targeted groups and/or therapy	1084 S. Main St Suite A Bowling Green, OH	419-352-4624

Primary Care

Medical Group	Address	Phone Number
Wood County Community Health Center	1840 E Gypsy Lane Rd Bowling Green, OH	419-354-9049
Bowling Green Family Physicians	950 W Wooster St Bowling Green, OH	419-354-8900
Bowling Green Family Care Center	1037 Conneaut Ave #206 Bowling Green, OH	419-353-6225
Wood County Medical Associates	970 W Wooster St #130 Bowling Green, OH	419-352-6890
Bowling Green Clinic	1039 Haskins Rd Suite A, Bowling Green, OH	419-352-1121
Bowling Green Family Physicians	1215 Ridgewood Dr #B, Bowling Green, OH	419-352-9071
Falcon Health Center	838 E Wooster St, Bowling Green, OH	419-372-2271
Heritage Primary Care and Sports Medicine	1069 Klotz Rd, Bowling Green, OH	419-728-0110



Dental Care

Dental Group	Address	Phone Number
Doctors Phipps, Levin, Hebeka & Associates	970 W Wooster St #125 Bowling Green, OH	419-352-2569
Bowling Green Pediatric Dental Group	1221 Ridgewood Dr, Suite B Bowling Green, OH	419-352-2593
Kaiser Family Dentistry	1064 W Wooster St Bowling Green, OH	419-352-4661
Corner Dental	990 W Poe Rd Bowling Green, OH	419-807-8253
Alexis Klassen and Associates	1218 Ridgewood Dr Bowling Green, OH	419-352-2371
Aspen Dental	1121 S Main St #330 Bowling Green, OH	419-353-3686
Derik E Utz LLC	1254 Ridgewood Dr, Bowling Green, OH	419-352-8679
David L Donnell Dentistry	245 S Main St, Bowling Green, OH	419-352-2222
Kelley and Thebes	735 Haskins Rd Suite E, Bowling Green, OH	419-353-1412



Vision Care

Vision Center	Address	Phone Number
Bowling Green Vision Care	111 Clough St Bowling Green, OH	419-352-3223
Premier Vision Group	1222 Ridgewood Dr Bowling Green, OH	419-352-2502
Walmart Vision and Glasses	131 W Gypsy Lane Rd Bowling Green, OH	419-352-6505
Vision Associates	970 W Wooster St Suite 221, Bowling Green, OH	419-354-3926
Associated Eye Care	960 W Wooster St Bowling Green, OH	419-352-5500
Dr. David H Scherreik	128 S Prospect St, Bowling Green, OH	419-352-3882

If your child is having vision concerns, contact your school nurse who has an extensive list of providers.