Food Bank – Take Action Assignment

Now that you better understand the global food crisis, you can take action starting with your own community. By organizing a food drive you can help alleviate the needs of some food insecure homes in your city. Contact a local food bank to learn about the needs in your community, they will have some ideas about how you can make your food drive effective, and they will give you guidelines about what foods make the best donations. Below are some suggestions for organizing your food drive:

- A homeroom competition in which the home room with the most cans or boxes of food earns a prize.
- A grade level competition where the seniors take on the freshmen, sophomores, and juniors.
- A student competition where the individual with the most cans or boxes earns an award.

Once all the cans or boxes are collected, head over to your local food bank to make a special delivery!