Together, we can ensure everyone in the UK has access to good food, and no one has to go to bed hungry.
End Hunger UK is supported by many national organisations, including:

- Baptists Together
- Caritas Social Action Network
- The Church of Scotland
- First Steps Nutrition
- Food Bank As It Is
- Food Ethics Council
- Food Matters
- Magic Breakfast
- The Methodist Church
- Quaker Peace and Social Witness
- The United Reformed Church
What is End Hunger UK?

We have a vision of a UK where everyone has access to good food and no one needs to go to bed hungry.

Local groups and individuals are the key to ending hunger in the UK. It is by building a powerful movement of individuals, groups and networks, united by a common goal of ending food poverty in the UK, that we will achieve real change. Together, we can persuade government to adopt policies to reduce food poverty.

From 2016 to 2018, End Hunger campaigners worked on issues around holiday hunger, Universal Credit and getting food insecurity measured in the UK. Nearly 1,000 individuals and 50 groups have taken action. As a result of their campaigning...

- The government provided £2 million in funding for school holiday food and activity programmes.
- Annual measurement of household food insecurity has been introduced.
- An extra £1.7 billion of measures was announced in the 2018 Budget because of increased awareness of the impact of Universal Credit on family incomes.
Meet some of our local End Hunger groups

Being part of End Hunger UK initially gave the Cornwall Independent Poverty Forum a platform from which to base a structured programme of lobbying our MPs and to raise issues of awareness through the media. Interest and support has grown fast.

Given that Cornwall tends to have unique problems of poverty due to its geography and economy, we have now set up End Hunger Cornwall in order to forward the national campaign whilst giving ourselves a vehicle to raise serious local issues as well.

We are already planning a high-profile food poverty hearing later in the year and have fantastic media support. The End Hunger campaign is a great way to engage people and to start the long process of doing something positive to change things!
A small group of us, different every time, have been to meet with nearly every MP in the city. We make sure the group includes someone from a foodbank in the MP’s constituency, someone who can talk with expertise about the welfare system, and other campaigners.

We were delighted when two of our Conservative MPs got together and visited the then Secretary for Work and Pensions, Esther McVey, to raise our concerns!

Being part of a national campaign to tackle food poverty on our doorsteps has enabled us to campaign locally with more visibility and educate the public on these issues. It’s also helped build the skills of frontline community groups and services to feel more confident in campaigning. It has given us access to information, data and resources.

In 2018, for example, we took part in the National End Hunger UK Week and hosted a national exhibition highlighting food poverty at the local theatre. As part of a national movement we feel more empowered to push for policy change.
What happens if I join the End Hunger UK movement?

You can commit as much or as little time as you want. You can campaign on your own, or with others from a food bank, your church, colleagues, voluntary organisations, or action groups.

**Things you could get involved with**

- Meeting your local MP to talk about issues that End Hunger UK is campaigning on, and to ask them to take action
- Spreading the word about food poverty issues in your community or church, or to colleagues, friends and family
- Dealing with the media, both locally and nationally
- Taking part in e-actions via the End Hunger UK website
- Organising campaigning events
- Developing your skills through regular training
- Connecting with other End Hunger supporters in your region and nationally

**How End Hunger UK will support you**

- We will provide training on campaigning, dealing with the media, meeting your MP and more
- We will provide resources and materials to support you in your activities
- We will support you in your media work
- We will provide opportunities for you to get together with other supporters to share learning and ideas
- We will provide actions for you to take on the campaign topics
- We will organise key national campaign moments

www.endhungeruk.org/jointhemovement
The End Hunger UK approach

We all share a vision of a society in which everyone has access to good food, and no one goes to bed hungry.

We ask that, if you are going to join the End Hunger UK movement you adhere to our simple code of conduct:

- Our dialogue with politicians is respectful and polite.
- We are seeking to build cross-party consensus.
- When we talk about the issues in the media and public spaces, we focus on solutions.
- The problem can only be solved with the involvement of government.
- We work collaboratively wherever possible.

As a local group, we ask you to:

- Develop local activities in support of End Hunger UK’s national campaigns
- Share your activities with us, so that we can celebrate all the fantastic work going on around the country
- Follow the brand guidelines

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Joining End Hunger UK

There are two easy steps to joining the End Hunger UK movement:

1. Read our shared values statement (at our website or on the reverse of this page), and make sure your group is able to support these values in your activities.

2. Sign up at the ‘Join the movement’ page on the End Hunger UK website:

   www.endhungeruk.org/jointhemovement

That’s it! We’ll get in touch with you to say hi, and welcome you to the movement.