

# Food Drive

## Grammar Rule Use Action Verbs

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A **present-tense action verb** tells what happens now or what happens often. If the subject of the sentence tells about one other person or thing, add **-s** to the end of most action verbs. For other subjects, do not add **-s**.

Examples: *Tony **buys** eggs.*

*His sisters **buy** milk.*

 Fill in the blanks with present-tense action verbs.

Many families need help. Our teacher \_\_\_\_\_ a food drive  
(lead)  
to help families. First, Ms. Garcia \_\_\_\_\_ an advertisement  
(write)  
about it. Then students \_\_\_\_\_ canned food from home.  
(bring)  
Briana \_\_\_\_\_ the food. Carlos \_\_\_\_\_ it. Then our teacher  
(collect) (sort)  
\_\_\_\_\_ the food to a local food bank. Many helpers \_\_\_\_\_  
(take) (work)  
together to accomplish something good.