

Backpack & School Supply Program

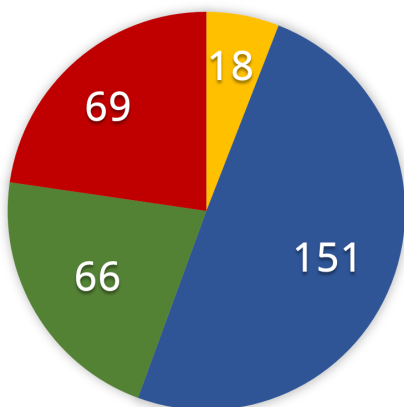
2022 Report

Every August Waldo CAP distributes free backpacks and school supplies to income-eligible Waldo County kids to ensure that all area children start the school year out on the right foot equipped with the supplies they need to succeed!

In 2022 the agency **expanded the program to offer distribution events** at the **Mount View School** in Thorndike and the **Leroy H Smith School** in Winterport with a goal to improve program access for families throughout the county. Thanks to these community partnerships and an enhanced marketing campaign, WCAP was able to increase the number of clients served by 48% over the previous year.

304 Backpacks Given in 2022!

OF STUDENTS SERVED BY GRADE



Preschool / Head Start

Elementary School
(1-5)

Middle School
(6-8)

High School
(9-12)



"Very well organized and stream-lined. Thank you for this service & materials. "

"Thank you all so much for helping the kids with supplies. You guys are the greatest! "

"Thank you so much this is an amazing support & wonderful people. "

Special Thanks to the Belfast Dairy Queen for partnering with WCAP to provide every kid receiving a backpack with a free cone or dilly bar to celebrate the end of summer!

