



**“Mom, thanks for the Care Package, you’re the best!”**

—S. Wallace, Class of 2008

Dear Parent:

Here’s how you can help your student through the rigors of final exams. In a few weeks your student will be studying especially hard and will really need a boost.

The free support card we’ve enclosed is our way to help. Write your note of encouragement and your student will get it at the perfect time leading up to finals. The Residence Hall Association has been distributing Final Exam Care Packages for years, and as more and more parents join in, it’s easy to see the effect that parent support has.

**We’re aiming for 100% parent participation.**

All you have to do is choose the Care Packages you want to send to your student.

The **“MAVERICKS SPIRIT” CARE PACKAGE** is the favorite with Minnesota State University, Mankato students. Your biggest and best Care Package option features both wholesome and high energy snacks. Contains all the contents listed on this page—over 60 scrumptious treats in all. Enough to last through finals.

- **THE SUPPORT BASKET PACK** includes over 20 wholesome and tasty treats, from Maruchan Instant Lunch to Nature Valley Granola Bar...Newman’s Own Organic Pretzels... Kellogg’s Pop Tarts...Planters Salted Peanuts...Dole Fruit Bowl... the brands you know and students love.
- **THE EXAM SURVIVAL KIT** offers over 20 “success snacks” for a burst of energy. Nabisco Mini Chips Ahoy Cookies...Planters Honey Roasted Peanuts... Microwave Popcorn...M&M’s® Milk Chocolate Candies...CHEEZ-IT Crackers... Kellogg’s Fruit Loops Cereal...all packed in a colorful, reusable plastic pail with a Special **Minnesota State University, Mankato** design.
- **THE CUP OF INSPIRATION** serves up comforting beverages like a fine selection of Gourmet Teas, Flavored Colombian Coffees and Gourmet Hot Cocoas in a thermal mug with matching burlap bag.

Last year parents chose the MAVERICKS SPIRIT CARE PACKAGE as the best way to support their students through the rigor of exams.

Ordering is a snap. Just fill out the order form below, seal your student’s card in the yellow envelope, and mail both in the white envelope. Please respond by **November 20th**. Your package will arrive right before exams. Your student is guaranteed to love it, and it will relieve the “study crunch.”

Even if you can’t send a package, please send the card. Our goal is that no student feels left out.

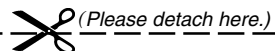
Thank you for your participation and support.

*Katie Halloran*

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President, Residence Hall Association

P.S. If you’ve sent a Care Package before you already know how much it helped. If you haven’t sent one, you can be sure your student will appreciate receiving the same kind of support other classmates receive.

Final Exams Care Package Order Form - Order by NOVEMBER 20th



Student’s Name:

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**Please check which care package option you are ordering:**

**Make your check or money order payable to:**  
**RHA**

**Order by November 20th**

**The “Mavericks Spirit” Care Package..... \$55**  
*Save with the biggest & best Care Package!*

- Support Basket Pack & Cup of Inspiration ..... \$37
- Exam Survival Kit & Cup of Inspiration ..... \$32
- Support Basket Pack ..... \$25
- Exam Survival Kit ..... \$20