

TOY DRIVE SUGGESTIONS



FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN

- Interactive flipbooks that teach phonetics to young children (i.e. Leap Frog)
- Educational preschool toys (i.e. sing along, numbers, alphabet and shapes)
- Wooden puzzles/puzzles marked with appropriate age groups (including educational puzzles dealing with counting, shapes, animals, and the alphabet)
- Crayons, washable markers
- Craft materials: coloring books, paper pads, sketch pads, washable paints, etc.
- Building blocks, matchbox cars
- Plastic food toys, toy medical kits
- Toy telephones, train sets
- Push and pull toys
- Plastic tea sets
- Sturdy toy trucks, buses and cars for toddlers
- Stacking toys
- Baby dolls (multi-cultural, if possible)
- Playskool toys
- Mega blocks for young children
- Soft, bouncing balls
- Toys for "Little Tikes"
- Duplos or Legos for little ones
- Gift cards for Toys R Us, Babies R Us
- Gift cards for Walmart, Target

FOR OLDER CHILDREN

- Arts/Crafts Materials and Activity sets: Beads, Ceramics, Sand art and jewelry making kits
- Phone Clock Radios
- Sports related gear: Hats, T-shirts, Sweatshirts (only Boston teams, please)
- Headphones
- School Organizer Sets
- Watches
- Legos Designed for 8 + (for girls and boys)
- Portable Speakers
- Movie Theater Gift Certificates
- Diaries and journals
- Jewelry Boxes
- Puzzles
- Calculators
- Board Games
- Etch-a-Sketch/Magna Doodle
- Game Stop
- Gift Cards for Target, Marshalls, TJ Maxx
- Gift Cards for Old Navy, Claire's, Kohl's

It would be helpful to have unwrapped toy donations

****Please do not donate guns or toys that encourage violent behavior****