

# Let's Send HomeFront Kids — **Back to School** Ready to Learn!

Join our annual campaign for clothing, shoes, backpacks, school supplies, and gift cards for over 1,500 children in our community impacted by poverty.

Here's how:

- **SIGN-UP TODAY** TO SPONSOR A CHILD OR CHILDREN
- **ORGANIZE A DRIVE**
- **MAKE A TAX-DEDUCTIBLE DONATION** to our Back to School Fund

To **SIGN-UP**, or get more information, please visit [www.homefrontnj.org](http://www.homefrontnj.org), email [homefront@homefrontnj.org](mailto:homefront@homefrontnj.org) or call 609-989-9417 x 107

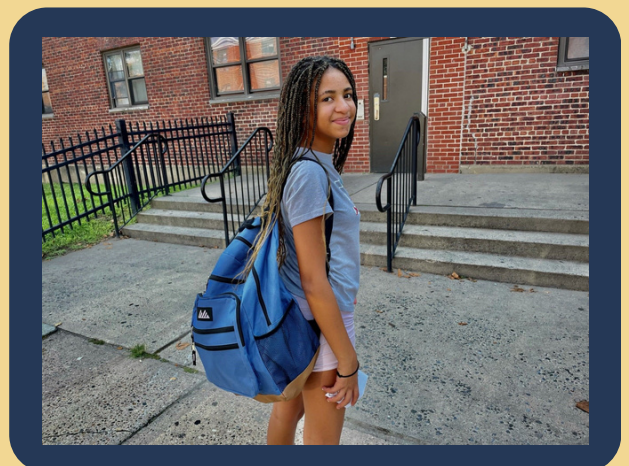
Donations can be dropped off at our main office, 1880 Princeton Ave, Lawrenceville, NJ, Monday - Friday between 9am and 3pm and Saturdays between 9am and 12noon.

Drop-off by August 18th to ensure the items get to our families in time for the first day of school!



Thank you so much for supporting HomeFront's annual Back to School drive. The first day of school can be hard – especially for students affected by poverty and homelessness. Your support allows our kids to start the school year off with the tools they need to thrive in the classroom and beyond.

Sincerely,



The Back to School Drive aims to give each child under our care the supplies that they need to thrive in a new school year. When you choose to sponsor a child, you will be given a set list of items needed for their individual backpack. As well, each child's list will establish whether they need a back to school outfit or a new uniform and the sizes of clothing and shoes that they wear. Not every child will need every item listed on the next few pages, depending on age, but here is a sample list to guide you as you get your sponsored child ready for a new school year.



## New Clothes:

- Shirt
- Pants or skirt
- Uniform shirt
  - (Polo in white or light blue)
- Uniform pants (Khaki)
- Socks
- Underwear
- Shoes or sneakers (typically toddlers size 12 to adult size 10)
- Gift Cards for Clothing and Shoes
  - Suggested stores
    - Old Navy
    - Children's Place
    - Target



## School Supplies:

- Backpack
- Notebooks (3 - 5 for High School)
- 3-ring Binder (1.5") with paper
- Folders with pockets (5 per student)
- Pens and #2 Pencils
- Pencil Sharpener
- 2-thin black dry erase markers
- Highlighters
- Erasers
- Tape
- Scissors
- Rulers



## School Supplies, con't:

- Lunch Box or Bag
- Tissue Packs
- Glue Sticks
- Colored Pencils
- Crayons
- Markers

## Additional Supplies for Ages 13 - 17:

- College Rule Paper
- Scientific Calculator
- Geometry Set
- Stapler
- Composition Notebook
- Subject Dividers

## Optional Add Ons:

- Tissues
- Period Products for Age Appropriate Students
- Ear Buds/Headphones
- Flash Drives
- Portable Chargers with USB-C Cable
- Travel-Sized Hand Sanitizer
- Travel-Sized Hand Lotion



Once you have finished collecting the items for your assigned child/children, please pack everything neatly into their backpacks for drop off. \*

Place each backpack into a bag marked with the family code given as well as the child's first name. Each child's code will be highlighted on your assignment sheet.

Examples:

JHD - 148 Katie

HS - 27 Robert

HE - 08 Taylor

Please make sure you are labeling each individual backpack with the correct code.

\* If all items needed do not fit directly into the backpack, please put overflow into the labeled bag that you are placing the backpack into.



If you have any questions, please reach  
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or by calling us at

609-989-9417 x 150

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