

IN-KIND DONATION WISH LIST | Season of Service 2018

United Way of Salt Lake's community schools and neighborhood centers are often in need of new and like new items to support the students and families they serve. Many of the families live at or below the poverty line, so the holidays can be a difficult time. Help spread the holiday cheer by collecting or donating the items listed below.

To make a difference this holiday season, please contact Zoë Meeken, volunteer engagement coordinator, to arrange: zoe@uw.org, 603-312-7016

Fill the Boots:

Fill the needs of students at by collecting items in winter boots. Provide winter boots (Youth size 12, 13, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5) filled with warm socks, craft items (like Play-Doh), a book, waterproof mittens, and a hat. Optional to include gift card (for parents) to a local grocery store (Smiths, Walmart, WinCo.)

Winter Clothes:

As the colder weather approaches, our schools notice that the students do not have access to weather appropriate clothes. We are requesting coats, gloves, beanies, scarves, and blankets.

Books:

Give the gift of reading to elementary aged students! Books in the home are strongly linked to academic success in school, this holiday season purchase books for students to help them succeed:

http://a.co/aCT7ifU

Rewards for Students:

At our elementary community schools, students can earn points and prizes for exemplary behavior, being stewards of school expectations, and showing the will to excel in the classroom. Schools are requesting stuffed animals and new books (elementary school age.)

School Needs:

Make the holidays bright for teachers, too! Community schools are always in need of items for classrooms: Clorox wipes, tissues, hand sanitizer, white board markers, Ziploc bags (all sizes), printer paper, Band-Aids, white board markers, pencils, glue sticks, colored pencils, erasers, notebooks, printer paper, and markers.

Thank you for supporting our local community schools and centers!

For more ways to get involved visit www.org/volunteer, or email volunteer@uw.org.