

# Child and Family Charities' Fill-the-Backpack Supply List

## Supply List

Begin with one NEW Sturdy Heavy Duty Backpack

Fill it with the items listed below to help a child or youth in need as they begin school:

**\*These Items are mostly for teens**

- One Trapper-Keeper (or similar brand) Zippered 3-Ring Binder\*
- Seven or more binder dividers and/or binder pouches\*
- Two 100 sheets or more lined filler paper or 7 spiral notebooks (*college-ruled for teens\**)
- Seven portfolios/folders--different colors & gender neutral if possible
- One school planner\* (*optional*)
- Five or more composition notebooks
- Index cards (large pack)
- Pencil/supply box
- One small bottle of hand sanitizer
- One stapler with one box of staples\*
- One calculator\* and one protractor\*
- One Ruler
- One large box of crayons-- *not needed for teens\**

### One set of the following:

- Package of colored pencils
- Package of #2 Pencils & Pink Erasers
- Package of Pens--blue or black\*
- Washable multipack markers or Sharpies\*
- Highlighters--(any color)\*

### One package of the following:

- Antibacterial hand wipes
- Kleenex
- Locker accessories\*
- Kid-safe scissors or paper scissors\*
- Stick glue
- Tape
- Optional:* Dictionary & Thesaurus\*

**Donations of ANY of the items LISTED ABOVE instead of filling a backpack are also appreciated.**

### Specialty Items are as follows (always needed):

- Sturdy Heavy-Duty Backpacks & Trapper Keepers *type 3-Ring, Zippered Binders\**
- Texas Instruments: TI-89 or TI-92 vs Casio: fx-CP400 Calculators \*
- Thumb/Flash Drives\*

### Dream Wish List

- Laptops, PCs, and/or Notebook Computers (Reconditioned with warranty, okay)



### Please bring the Backpacks & School Supplies to:

Child and Family Charities  
4287 Five Oaks Drive • Lansing, MI 48911

OR

Townsquare Media Lansing  
3420 Pine Tree Road • Lansing, MI 48911

**Separate School Supplies are welcome and always needed.**

Contact Demphna Krikorian at (517) 882-4000 or demphna@childandfamily.org to schedule a pickup or for more information on the

**Thank you for your help!**