## List of Items Accepted for OCC (Operation Christmas Child) Donations

- School Supplies
  - Water color paint (This is dry and will not spill on anything)
  - Colored Pencils
  - o Erasers
  - Glue sticks
  - Markers
  - o Pens
  - o Pencils
  - Scissors
- WOW Items (specific to age related groups 2-14)
  - Tool kit (Do Not include Saw or pocketknives, but screwdrivers, nails, screws, and hammer items are ok).
  - Teddy Bear/Stuffed Animal
  - Etch-a-sketch
  - Wooden
    - Instrument/Harmonica
- Hygiene Items
  - Bar of Soap
  - Washcloths
  - Toothbrush
  - Flossers
  - Band-Aids (Colorful if possible)
- Clothing
  - Socks
  - Underwear
- Toys
  - Bouncy/Foam/Plastic Balls
  - Play dough (Consider adding plastic cookie cutters)
  - Watch
  - Glow sticks
  - Finger puppets
  - Slinky

- o Tape
- Notebooks (small enough to fit in shoebox)
- o Rubber bands
- Coloring books
- Pencil Sharpeners
- Stickers
- Index Cards
- Calculator
- Ruler
- o Flip-Flops
- o Picture Book
- o Jump rope
- Binoculars
- o Puzzle
- Gardening Kit (Do Not include seeds)
- Travel size Kleenex pack
- o Wet Wipes
- Lip Balm (Not Liquid)
- Deodorant Stick
- Menstrual Pads
- Nail clippers/file
- Hats, scarfs, mittens
- Shirts/pants
- Chalk/Mini chalkboard
- o Compass
- o Yo-yo
- Marbles
- Kaleidoscope
- Small Frisbee
- Playing Cards

- Miscellaneous Items
  - Compact Mirror
  - Hair Ties/clips/brush
  - o Comb
  - Sunglasses
  - Jewelry
  - Batteries (Only if they are in packaging still)
  - Wallet

- Plastic Cup/plate/bowl
- Water bottle
- Blunt-edged utensils
- Blanket
- o Purse/Tote Bag
- Handmade Items (Ex. Friendship bracelets)
- Flashlight

## What is NOT Accepted for OCC Donations

- Toothpaste
- Liquids (Ex. Lip Gloss, ball with water in it, liquid glue, paint, lotion, etc.)
- War related Items (Ex. Army men, play guns/water guns, knives, etc.)
- Food/Candy (No Exceptions)

- Medications
- Dry drink mixes (
- Breakable Items (Ex. Snow globe, glass containers, etc.)
- Matches (Anything that is combustible).
- Aerosol Cans

We are asking for no bibles to be donated because the company offers us to purchase a journey book for them, like a bible, in their own language and every box will be receiving one.

Be mindful of how big your items are as well because we want to get as much as we can into a shoebox for them and we would like a good variety of items.

If you have questions about an item please contact or you may also go to the website to check as well:

https://www.sumaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/

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Text messages are ok, but please just let us know that it is pertaining OCC in your message!

Thank you for all your help; we really appreciate all you can do!