

Gift packs for Lifeline Christian Mission

In 2020, Lifeline restructured their child sponsorship program. As a result, individual sponsors no longer sponsor individual children but became part of a group, who, "Together" (as the new program is called) sponsor a group of children on one of Lifeline's mission fields. It follows, then, that individual sponsors no longer send gifts to individual children as in the past, which had become an issue of inequity. To solve that issue and continue the gifting, the field staff recommended two different packs composed of common necessities that each child would receive once a year: a school supplies pack and a hygiene pack (contents listed below).

Greenwood collects completed packs and all the individual components year round. In 2021, delivery of the accumulated complete packs and add-ons will take place shortly after April 25 and August 29 so please bring your items to the church by those dates.

It is important that we adhere to Lifeline's lists of gift pack contents so that the gifts are as equitable as possible. Pencils, crayons, colored pencils, soap, toothpaste and individually-packaged toothbrushes may be sent in their retail packaging.

In addition to the packs and their components, the field staff suggested additional useful items that can be distributed individually as needed. These are listed below as "add-ons".

Donations to buy needed components and help pay the \$3 shipping fee are also welcome.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES PACK

- 1 gallon ziploc bag
- 1 70-page wide-rule spiral notebook
- 1 art pad
- 24 #2 yellow pencils
- 3 black or blue stick pens
- 2 small glue sticks
- 1 box of 24 crayons OR
- 1 box of 12 colored pencils

ADD-ONS

- 12" rulers
- Round-tipped scissors
- Pencil sharpeners
- Construction paper
- Masking tape
- Wet wipes
- Boxes of tissues

HYGIENE PACK

- 1 gallon ziploc bag
- 1 12oz bottle shampoo
- 1 5.5-6oz toothpaste
- 1 toothbrush
- 2 washcloths
- 3 bars of soap

ADD-ONS

- 12oz conditioner
- Hair brushes / combs
- Deodorant
- Razors
- Feminine pads
- 8oz hand sanitizer

Thank you for your involvement in this on-going project to show Jesus' love to the children in Lifeline's program.