

Black Hills Children's Home & Community Based Services

**Children's
Home
Society**

OF SOUTH DAKOTA

W I S H ♥ L I S T

Thank you for keeping the children we serve in your thoughts and prayers.
Donations may be delivered to **5301 Mount Rushmore Road in Rapid City.**

Monetary gifts are also greatly appreciated and will be used to purchase gifts for children, and host special activities and celebrations throughout the year. **PRIORITY GIFT-IN-KIND Wish List items are in bold.**

Call Abby or Theresa at 605.343.2811.

MUSIC, ARTS & CRAFTS, GAMES, BOOKS & TOYS

- Batteries AA & AAA
- Craft and science kits for pre-teens
(six of same kit works great for groups)
- Preloaded hand-held game consoles
(without internet, please) ([click here](#))
- Hand-held arcade games for kids such as
Frogger or Pac-Man ([click here](#))
- Remote control cars and trucks
- Portable, personal CD players (without radios) ([click here](#))
- Personal headphones
(*\$10-\$15 over-the-ear style work well for children*)
- Kidz Bop & Disney CDs
- Snap Circuits
- Lego® building sets (especially for age 8+)
- Lego® figures
- K'nex building sets (especially for age 8+)
- Power Clix® or Magna-Tile® Magnetic building sets
- Perplexus Maze balll games
- Small Perplexus Maze balll games
- Rubik's Cube
- Wacky Track Snap fidget toys such as ([click here](#))
- Mini Play-Doh tubs (Birthday Treat Bag Section) ([click here](#))
- Play-Doh activity sets
- Lap desks
- Gel pens
- Colored pencils
- Scented markers and crayons
- Easel
- Watercolor and acrylic paints
- **Drawing pencils and sketch pads**
- Brushes
- Canvases such as ([click here](#)) ([click here](#))
- **How-to-draw books**
- Activity and puzzle books (especially for ages 8-12)
- Mandala coloring books
- Origami books and fun paper
- Discovery Kids books
- National Geographic Kids books
- **I spy or Find-it games and books**

- Mindfulness books
- Adoption and Foster Care books
- **Kids scrapbooking stickers and fun paper**
- Superhero figures
- Collectible sports cards
(baseball, basketball, football, Pokémon)
- Board games and card games such as:
(Monopoly, Aggravation, Sorry, Cup Stacking, Loopz, Hyper Toss, Bop It, Find It, Googly Eyes, Fantastic Gymnastics, Blockus, Jenga Quake, Heavy Duty Checkers/Chess, Jangle Toys, Farkle, Spot It, Boggle, Boggle Jr., Wig Out, Wonky, Barrel of Monkeys, Hungry Hippos, Life Junior, Life, Perplexus Maze Balls, Simon, Turtle Flip, Fast Flip, Pass the Pig Party Addition, Wig Out, Go Nuts, Too Many Monkeys, Hyper Toss, Risk, Ring It, Conversation Cubes, Choices in a Jar, Zingo, Brain Freeze, Blurt, Clue, Life, Perfection, Crazy Eights, Word Search, Quirkle, Operation, Taboo, Candy Land, The Ungame, Let's Go Fishing, Banana Grams, Travel Size Etch-ASketch Games)

OUTDOOR AND GYM ACTIVITIES

- RipStiks and Razor scooters
- Good quality individual jump ropes
- **Nerf balls and sport balls** (No nerf guns, please)
- Buckets with shovels for digging in the rocks and sand/dirt
- **Kid's Bike Helmets** (small, medium, large and adult small)
- Knee, elbow and wrist guard sets
- **Heavy-duty sandbox toys and trucks**
- Heavy-duty yard games
- **Two heavy-duty bean bag toss and yard games**
- Rollerblades and roller skates

COMFORT, SLEEP, THERAPY

- Noise cancelling headphones
- Essential oils
- Crazy Aarons Putty
- Stress balls
- **Dollhouse with people and furniture**
- Sand table such as ([click here](#))
- Sand tray accessories such as ([click here](#))
- Sand tray people such as ([click here](#))
- Kinetic Sand kit such as ([click here](#))
- Fidget toys such as #1 ([click here](#)) #2 ([click here](#))
#3 ([click here](#)) #4 ([click here](#))

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CLOTHING AND SHOES

- New athletic shoes (*youth sizes 2–6/mens 7–9*)
Call for sizes if you wish.
- New athletic pants, t-shirts, athletic shorts, hoodies, sweatshirts and jackets (*especially boys size 7+*)
- New athletic socks and under clothing (*especially boys small socks in black, medium socks in blue and large in white*)
- Women's and men's sweatpants and hoodies (*small, medium, large and extra-large*) for larger teens served by Children's Home Child Advocacy Center (CAC).
Clothing worn to CAC may be confiscated as evidence.
- New winter coats (*in women's size XL, XXL and XXXL*) for larger teens
- Boys and girls underwear (*sizes 3T–5T*)
- Sweatpants (*sizes 3T–5T*)

ORGANIZING SUPPLIES

- Vacuum seal bags for storage (*L or XL*)
- Stacking totes for storage (*18–36 gallon sizes*)

PERSONAL NEEDS HYGIENE

- Deodorant
- Shampoo and conditioner
- Hotel-size soap, shampoo and conditioner for CAC
- Brushes and combs

SPECIAL REQUESTS

- Keurig coffee pot for Forensic Interview Conference Room used by Law Enforcement, Child Protection, State's Attorney Office staff. ([click here](#))

MISCELLANEOUS

- New backpacks and duffel bags
- Individually packaged Fish Crackers, Cheez-Its and healthy snacks for CAC and CBC
- Stacking totes (*18–36 gallon sizes*)
- Indigenous Buffalo Box for each residential living unit and Community Based Services programs
- Donations of supplies for Indigenous crafts and books

OWEN SCHOOL CLASSROOM WISHES

Our vision is to create Calming Corners or Peace Corners within our classrooms. These are spaces designed for students to self-regulate or co-regulate with an adult prior to re-engaging in the classroom. These spaces allow dysregulated students to stay within the classroom.

- No. 2 pencils, erasers and pencil boxes
- Colored pencils
- Wide-ruled journals
- 2-pocket folders
- Blunt-tip scissors
- Glue sticks
- Construction paper
- Markers

GIFT CARDS & SPECIAL FUNDS

- Walmart gift and meal cards \$25–\$50 for families served by CAC
- Gas cards for families traveling for forensic interviews
- Passes to Watiki, Roosevelt Swim Center, Jump Craze, movies, pizza and restaurant gift cards, Walmart/Target for good-behavior reward outings
- Meal gift cards for therapists to treat kids

