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# ***Shoebox Santa***



**Imagine having to leave your home with just the clothes on your back. If you only had a shoebox to pack with a few items, what would they be?**

The idea is very simple. Cover an empty shoebox with holiday paper, determine whether you are making the box for a mom, dad, boy or a girl and fill the box with your creativity and thoughtfulness!

- FIND A MEDIUM SIZED EMPTY SHOEBOX
- WRAP THE LID AND BOX SEPARATELY IN WRAPPING PAPER
- FILL THE BOX USING THE LIST BELOW FOR IDEAS & INSPIRATION:
  - ✓ PERSONAL ITEMS (SHAMPOO, DEODORANT, HAIRBRUSH, KLEENEX, ETC.)
  - ✓ THINGS TO LOVE (MUSIC, TOYS, BODY LOTION, ETC.)
  - ✓ THINGS TO DO (PEN, PAD, NOTE CARDS, CRAYONS, PUZZLE BOOK, ETC.)
  - ✓ THINGS TO WEAR (JEWELRY, HAT, GLOVES, MAKE-UP, NAIL POLISH, ETC.)
  - ✓ THINGS THAT DON'T FIT IN THE BOX (GIFT CARD TO WAL-MART, TARGET, GROCERY STORE, GAS CARD, SUBWAY)
- LABEL YOUR SHOEBOX (GENDER, AGE)

**Shoebboxes will be picked up Wednesday, Dec. 14th**

All items should be new, unwrapped & age appropriate

No perishables or food items please!

*Thank you for your generosity this holiday season!*

Safe Futures provides shelter and support to families affected by domestic violence and abuse.