

Thank you for your interested in ensuring Christmas happens for kids living in Foster Group Homes! Without people and organizations like you, these kids might not have presents to open on Christmas morning!

Here are the guidelines to ensure the kids receive not only great gifts, but also what they NEED at this stage in their foster journey.

When you adopt a house/child you are *committing to purchase* these new items for each child:

- 1. Shirt
- 2. Pants
- 3. Shoes (we don't always have size)
- 4. Socks (full package)
- 5. Girls: Underwear/panties (full package, no thongs), Boys: boxers (full package)
- 6. Hairbrush (girl), comb (boy)
- 7. Blanket

Optional ideas:

- 8. Bra (girls) (we don't always have sizes)
- 9. PJ's
- 10. Hygiene items (no razors)
- 11. Light jacket

Some of our Foster homes will provide Christmas "wish lists" however many do not. If your home DOES provide a Wish List, feel free to purchase an item from that list in addition to the first list above. That said, please be mindful we try our best to ensure all kids within the home receive an equal amount of gifts.

If your home does not provide a wish list, and you would like to purchase additional items, these kids love Gift Cards from stores like Wal-Mart, Target, Ross, TJ Maxx, or fast food, etc.

DO NOT WRAP the gifts!! Return all the gifts purchased for each child unwrapped. Label each item for the child it was purchased for (or bag and label all gifts together for each child).

All unwrapped gifts must be returned to your Kiwanis Rep no later than Saturday, December 2nd.

Again, thank you for helping the Kiwanis Club of Ahwatukee make these kids feel special on Christmas through your generosity! We could not do this without you!