

BOYS  
5-9  
A "Wow" Item

Soccer ball (Make sure to include a manual air pump so that the ball can be re-inflated.)  
Stuffed animal  
An outfit of clothing to wear  
Small musical instrument (such as a harmonica or woodwind recorder)  
Toy truck or boat  
Backpack

Personal Care Items

Comb  
Hairbrush  
Toothbrush  
Washcloth  
Bar soap (packaged and/or in a container)  
Adhesive bandages  
(Colorful ones can help a child be more willing to wear a bandage. Do not include liquid antibiotic ointment.)  
Reusable plastic containers: cup, water bottle, plate, bowl, blunt-edged utensils  
(Consider filling an empty container with non-liquid items such as combs, markers, sunglasses, or washcloths to maximize the space.)  
Blanket  
Non-liquid lip balm  
Flashlight (solar-powered or hand-crank; if battery operated, be sure to include extra batteries  
of the type needed)  
Nail clipper and file  
Stick deodorant

School Supplies

Pencils  
Small manual pencil sharpener  
Erasers

Colored pencils  
Pencil case  
Pens  
Crayons  
Markers  
Notebooks  
Blank index cards  
Solar-powered calculator  
Safety (blunt tip) scissors  
Ruler  
Protractor  
Glue stick (Do not include liquid glue.)  
Small adhesive tape

#### Clothing and Accessories

Shirts and pants  
Underwear  
Shoes and socks  
Flip-flops  
Hat/scarf/mittens  
Sunglasses  
wrist watch  
Bandana

#### Crafts and Activities

Pencils  
Small manual pencil sharpener  
Colored pencils  
Pencil case  
Pens  
Crayons  
Markers  
Coloring pads  
Coloring books  
Picture book  
Notebooks  
Glue stick (Do not include liquid glue.)  
Small adhesive tape  
Watercolor set- (Finger paint palette/crayons/markers [non-liquid containers], paint

brushes, canvas or paper)

Building blocks

Playdough - (Consider adding plastic cookie cutters as non-sharp utensils the child can use with the playdough.)

Stickers

Make your own items such as finger puppets and friendship bracelets.

Puzzles

Binoculars

Make-it-yourself craft items or kit

Compass

Chalkboard with chalk

Tool set with work gloves

Fishing kit

Brightly colored rope or twine

Gardening kit with gloves and trowel (no seeds)

Magnets

Kaleidoscope

Skipping rope/jump rope

Playing cards

Marbles

### Toys

Foam ball

Kickball (Make sure to include a manual air pump so that the ball can be reinflated.)

Tennis ball

Finger puppets

Slinky

Etch A Sketch

Play cars/trucks/boats

Plastic tools

Plastic dinosaurs

Interactive toys that include push buttons, lights, noise (include extra batteries)

Baseball and mitt

Yo-yo

Small Frisbee

Small kite

Etch A Sketch

Hacky sack

### A Personal Note

You may enclose a note to the child and a photo of yourself, your family, or group. If you include your name and an address, the child may be able to write back.