




2019 Operation Christmas Child and Appalachian Mountain Backpacks Donation Collection

Month	Donation Category	Ideas
February	Stuffed Animals/Dolls Blankets 	Be sure to check for the after Valentine's Day sales! Blankets are for the Backpacks – check with Walmart (normally \$2.50)
March	Hair Care 	Combs, Brushes, Hair Bows, Hairbands, Clips, etc.
April	Accessories 	Watches, Sunglasses, Jewelry
May	Toys – Girls 	Playdough, Crowns/Dress up, Stickers, Jump Ropes, Musical Instrument, etc.
June	Toys – Boys 	Playdough, Stickers, Jump Rope, Happy Meal Toys, Ball, Musical Instrument, Play Cars, etc.
July	Clothing 	Shirts, Pajamas, Caps, Socks, Gloves, etc. Be sure to check for clearance sales.
August	School Supplies 	Composition Books, Pens, Pencils, Coloring Books, Glue Sticks, Colored Pencils, Crayons, Pencil Sharpeners, Notepads, Calculators, etc.
September	Hygiene Items 	Soap, Washcloths, Toothbrushes, Small First Aid Kits, Band-Aids, Nail Clippers, etc.
October	Misc. 	Cups, Batteries, Flashlights, Rope, Gardening Kit/Gloves, Fishing Hooks/Line, Sewing Kits/Cloth, etc.
November	Packing Party/ Can Goods 	We will have a packing party for OCC!! Snackable Can Goods for Backpacks.
December	Prayer 	Please remember to pray all month long for the precious child that will receive your box and backpacks!

We will accept donations for the shipping charge of the shoeboxes all year long. The shipping is \$9 per box. Please indicate OCC shipping on your checks.

Items that CANNOT be included are: Toothpaste, gum, used or damaged items, war-related items, chocolate or food, seeds, fruit snacks, drink mixes, liquids, lotions, medicine, vitamins, breakable items, and aerosol cans.

Please see Rebecca Raschke or Donna Rambo for any questions or to turn in donations! We will also have a collection box in the Welcome Center.