



what to pack in a shoebox ?

105 ideas

God has chosen
a child for your box ...
pack it with love!

For all ages and gender

1. Hard candy, gum (Please remember to double bag all candy!)
2. Pencils, colored pencils, and sharpener
3. Erasers
4. Pencil case
5. Crayons
6. Pens
7. Ruler
8. Glue stick
9. Safety scissors
10. Coloring book
11. Markers
12. Notepads
13. Stickers
14. Self-inking stamp
15. shoes
16. Socks
17. Flip flops
18. Hand held toys
19. Plush small animals
20. Balls: Tennis balls, bouncy balls,
21. Jigsaw puzzle
22. Finger puppets
23. Hand Bands
24. Sunglasses
25. Scarves
26. Bandanas
27. Gloves
28. Small flannel throw (Roll it up! It will fit!)
29. Necklace
30. Watch
31. Hat
32. Shoelaces
33. Small dry erase board and markers
34. Teddy bear
35. Unopened Happy Meal toy
36. Toy binoculars
37. Inflatable balls
38. Legos
39. flashlight
40. Harmonicas
41. Recorder
42. Tambourine
43. Jump rope
44. Yo yo's
45. Handheld Etch A Sketch
46. Small board books
47. Flash cards
48. Miniature checkerboard and checkers
49. T-shirts
50. Plastic poncho in packet
51. Balloons
52. Crafting kit (beads, etc)
53. Toy toolkit set (Thanks, Jenial)
54. Plastic eating utensils
55. Sippy cup/cup with a lid
56. Masks to decorate
57. Picture books,
58. Stories
59. Card games like UNO
60. Marbles
61. Belts
62. Wallets
63. Play Dough
64. Stapler

Hygiene

65. Comb
66. Brush
67. Dental floss
68. Mild soap (Please put in plastic bag or travel container.)
69. Toothpaste (This too! Be sure it's in a plastic bag.)
70. Toothbrush
71. Colorful bandages
72. Hand wipes
73. Small pack colorful tissues
74. Lip balm
75. Emery board/nail clippers

Ideas for Girls

76. Travel sewing kit (14-10 girl)
77. Hair ribbons
78. Glitter
79. Head Bands
80. Ponytail holders
81. Ballerina
82. Small pots/pans with spatula
83. Bangle bracelets
84. Clip-on earrings
85. Doll
86. Pom poms (like the ones used at football games)
87. Purse
88. Hand mirror (unbreakable)

Ideas for Boys

89. Ball cap
90. Soccer ball with pump
91. Cars
92. Trucks
93. Super hero characters
94. Hammer (10-12 boy)
95. Screwdriver (10-12 boy)
96. LED keychain (10-12 boy)
97. Tape measure (10-12 boy)

Food Related

98. Lollipops
99. Bubble gum
100. Hard Candy
101. Collapsible water bottle
102. Curly straw
103. Plastic cup

you can also add

104. Personal letter from you
105. Picture and info about you

Do not include !

ITEMS THAT LEAK OR MELT

juice, shampoo, bubbles, batteries, chocolate

MEDICINE

of any kind!

USED OR DAMAGED ITEMS

Including clothing and toys

ITEMS THAT CAN SCARE OR HARM A CHILD

Examples are knives, war-related toys and toy gun

RACIAL OR POLITICAL ITEMS