

Backpacks for



Each week children find shelter at SafeHouse Center. While their mothers work with SafeHouse Center advocates and counselors, the children try to go on with their lives. Many of them need to continue going to school. Often their possessions, including school supplies, have had to be left behind. **You can help** by assembling backpacks to be given to children as they enter the shelter. Suggested items include:

Elementary School Backpacks (brightly colored)

- Spiral notebooks
- Small assignment notebook
- Folders with pockets
- Loose leaf paper
- Construction paper
- Pencils
- Pens
- Erasers
- Markers
- Glue
- Safety scissors
- Rulers
- Lunch boxes
- Colored pencils

Middle School Backpacks

- Planners
- Spiral notebooks
- 1 inch - 3-ring binders
- Folders with pockets
- Loose leaf paper
- Pencils
- Pens
- Erasers
- Markers
- Colored pencils
- Glue
- Scissors
- Rulers
- Basic calculators

High School Backpacks

- Planners
- Spiral notebooks
- 1 inch - 3-ring binders
- Folders with pockets
- Loose leaf paper
- Pencils
- Pens
- Erasers
- Markers
- Colored pencils
- Highlighters
- Glue
- Scissors
- Rulers
- Scientific calculators (TI 83 is used in schools)
- Reams of White Copy Paper
- Reams of Colored Copy Paper

Small personal items for all children are also welcome: age appropriate books, stickers, small stuffed animals, locker mirrors, Kleenex, etc.

Gift Cards to Staples and Office Depot are very much appreciated

For further details, please call Casey Kasper at 973-0242, ext. 259