

North Carolina Annual Conference UMC 2024 Project AGAPE Christmas Boxes for the Children of Armenia (Packing List)

1. Please use only plastic shoe size (6 qt.) boxes with lids. An example of this is made by Sterilite Plastic Box. Please do not use a cardboard shoe box, it cannot be accepted. The plastic boxes with lids will be useful in other ways to the children and their families.
2. Feel free to include in your box a note of greeting and encouragement. You may want to include a picture of yourself or a group in your church. Also, if you want to correspond with the child who receives your box, please include your postal address.
3. **Please enclose \$5 in cash or check** for transportation costs for each box. Checks are to be made out to **“NC Conference” & marked for Agape Christmas Boxes**. Checks may be placed inside of the box ***ON TOP*** of the gift items or mailed to NC Conference, PO Box 890202, Charlotte, NC 28289-0202. Checks from Churches may include the total amount of the shipping cost for boxes that are sent from that Church. All boxes should be taken to the MERCI Mission Warehouse at 676 Community Drive in Goldsboro. Many Districts will have drop-off points in those Districts. Special deliveries can be arranged by contacting Bill Haddock at revbillh@nccumc.org or at 910-262-3831. All boxes and items for the boxes are needed at the MERCI Warehouse no later than October 1, 2024.
4. Please choose the age level and sex of the child for whom you want to prepare a box. Fill the box as specified below. LIST EVERYTHING YOU PUT IN YOUR BOX AND THE AMOUNT USING THE CHECK LIST AND TAPE IT SECURELY TO THE OUTSIDE OF THE BOX. If you add anything that is not listed, please write it in under “other.” Wrap box with 3 rubber bands to secure the lid.

Please write in the number of items included on the blank lines instead of a check mark if the quantity is other than the mentioned one.

No Toothpaste, Candy, Gum, Batteries, Used Items or Perishables!

AND, PLEASE, MAKE EQUAL NUMBERS OF BOXES FOR GIRLS & BOYS OF ALL AGES

FEMALE Infant – 2 years

- ___ 1 Baby Receiving Blanket
- (Other baby blankets are needed but should not be put into the box..Send separately)
- ___ 3 Bibs
- ___ 3 Cloth Diapers
- ___ 2 Plastic Pants (worn over diapers)
- ___ 6 Diaper Pins
- ___ 4 Socks (pairs)
- ___ Baby Cap/Hat
- ___ 1 Comb/Brush
- ___ 1 Sippy Cup
- ___ 1 Teething Ring
- ___ 1 Book (with pictures for toddler)
- ___ 1 Rattle
- ___ 1 Soft Toy (no buttons or eyes)
- ___ Other items: (please list below)

FEMALE Ages 3-6

- ___ 1 Cap/Toboggan
- ___ 1 Mittens/Gloves (pairs)
- ___ 3 Socks (pairs)
- ___ 1 Comb/Brush
- ___ 1 Hairbands/Bows (pack)
- ___ 1 Toothbrush
- ___ 1 Book
- ___ 1 Coloring Book
- ___ 1 Box of Crayons (24 pack)
- ___ 1 Pack of Washable Markers
- ___ 1 Notepad
- ___ 1 Stuffed Animal or Beanie Baby
- ___ 1 Doll
- ___ 1 Toy or Game
- ___ Other items: (please list below)

FEMALE Ages 7-12

- ___ 1 Cap/Toboggan
- ___ 1 Mittens/Gloves (pairs)
- ___ 3 Socks (pairs)
- ___ 1 Comb/Brush
- ___ 1 Hairbands/Bows (pack)
- ___ 1 Toothbrush
- ___ 1 Coloring Book
- ___ 1 Box of Crayons (24 pack)
- ___ 1 Box of Markers
- ___ 1 Pack of Erasers
- ___ 1 Notepad
- ___ 1 Box of Colored Pencils
- ___ 1 Box of #2 Pencils
- ___ 1 Pencil Sharpener
- ___ 1 metric ruler
- ___ 1 Doll
- ___ 1 Stuffed Animal or Beanie Baby
- ___ 1 Toy or Game
- ___ Other items: (please list below)

FEMALE Ages 13-18

- ___ 1 Cap/Toboggan
- ___ 1 Mittens/Gloves (pairs)
- ___ 3 Socks (pairs)
- ___ 1 Underwear
- ___ 1 Comb/Brush
- ___ 1 Hairbands/Bows (pack)
- ___ 1 Mirror
- ___ 1 Toothbrush
- ___ 1 Pack of Markers
- ___ 1 Notepad or Journal
- ___ 1 Box of Colored Pencils
- ___ 1 Box of #2 Pencils
- ___ 1 Pack of Erasers
- ___ 1 Pencil Sharpener
- ___ 1 Sewing Kit or Manicure Kit
- ___ 1 Cosmetic Pouch/Bag with Makeup Kit
(NO LIQUIDS)
- ___ 1 Picture Frame
- ___ 1 Game
- ___ Other items: (please list below)