

Celebrate the Season – Adopt a family in need



In celebration of the holiday season, district employees and community partners have the opportunity to “adopt” families in need. You are invited to participate in the ***Celebrate the Season*** program to help local EGUSD families have a happy holiday season. Families are chosen through the Regional Student Support Centers and Foster Youth Services.

Here’s how the program works:

Please fill out and submit the attached form by Monday, November 13th to Diane Lampe – dlampe@egusd.net

Using the form, you would select from the following family sizes ~ small 2-3, medium 4-5, large 6 or more – indicating how many. Any number is GREAT and you can support more than one family!

Once your form is received by Annette, she will work to place you with a family. You will receive information with the family’s contact information by **November 17th** from Diane Lampe.

Gifts: You will be assigned a family to adopt and provide gifts to. Each adult would receive one present (this is more of a token gift like lotion, slippers, scarf etc. or something for the family like a gift card, blanket or pots & pans). Adults provide the children’s requests that are on the form you receive as options, but never promised. We would also request each family receive a gift card for food to provide for a holiday meal for each family member. You do not have to provide any ‘special requests’ indicated on the form, but can do so if you choose. We would like each child to receive a minimum of approximately \$50 in gifts.

The family will be expecting to hear from you. Your group would make arrangements with your family for a convenient time to deliver the holiday goodies. If you have difficulty in making contact with your family, contact Annette Stringer.

Diane’s contact information:

dlampe@egusd.net

Prairie Elementary -Student Support Center - Monday and Tuesday 916-422-1091

Valley High School –Student Support Center – Wednesday and Thursday 916-681-7577

We are asking that you deliver the gifts to the family by Monday, December 11, 2017. This provide time to ensure all families are taken care of before school vacation begins on December 18th, as all sites will be closed.

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Have fun spreading holiday cheer! Be creative, and know that anything you do is greatly appreciated!

Questions? Contact Diane Lampe at dlampe@egusd.net.