

How You Can Support Immigrants During the Holiday Season

Hold a donation drive for critical supplies

Canal Alliance is currently seeking donations of certain items that are in high demand in the Canal community. This is a great opportunity to come together with family or friends to support this cause. We are currently accepting these items:

- Adult Masks
- Child Masks
- Hand Sanitizer
- VISA Gift Cards
- Diapers
- Formula
- Gloves
- Packs of Toilet Paper
- Feminine Hygiene Products
- Basic Hygiene Products (Soap, Deodorant, Toothpaste, etc.)
- Baby Wipes

Gift students & families with gift cards at the holidays

During the holiday season, gift cards provide people with the flexibility and autonomy to make the purchases they need most to support their family's health, stability, and celebration. With your donation, Canal Alliance will purchase gift cards to be distributed directly to students and families. This year in particular, gift cards will be most appreciated as they allow recipients to purchase holiday gifts, holiday foods, or critical supplies.

Learn more and make a gift at: donate.canalalliance.org/HolidayGiftCardProgram.

Donate school supplies for first-generation, college-bound students

Support students and their educational goals by donating the following supplies:

- Erasers
- Colored Pencils
- Pencil Sharpeners
- Highlighters
- Binder Paper
- Colored Paper
- Graph Paper
- Glue Sticks
- Scotch Tape & Dispenser
- Black & Blue Ink Pens
- Rulers
- Felt Pens
- Crayola Markers
- Pencils

Create a fundraiser for Canal Alliance

A great option for individuals or groups! Create a fundraiser for the Canal Alliance and ask people in your network to contribute to help support immigrant families. Set a goal to inspire people to help you reach a certain number of donations. Fundraisers can easily be created on Facebook (learn more at <https://bit.ly/2WOAlxE>) or through Classy, our online donation platform (learn more at <https://bit.ly/2xTSj9z>).

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