

ANNUAL SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

The Dysart Unified School District includes 23 West Valley schools, and according to the Arizona Office of the Auditor General, 17% of the students come from homes under the poverty level. That was last year's statistic. It may be higher this year. This year's school supply drive sponsored by our Presbyterian Women and the Congregational Care & Mission Commission of Session ensures that grade school children will have backpacks and school supplies that otherwise might have to do without.

This year's "wish list" is the same as last year's:

- Box of 24 crayons
- Rulers (inches and centimeters)
- Box of 8 washable markers
- Highlighters
- 3-pocket folders (in solid colors)
- Packages of blue or black pens
- Hand-held erasers
- Index cards
- Glue sticks
- Hand-held pencil sharpeners
- Composition books
- Boxes of facial tissues
- Spiral notebooks
- No. 2 pencils



We will collect items all through August. If you wish, you may donate money and we will shop for you. The school supplies will be blessed at our Labor Day lunch at noon on Monday, September 4, and delivered to the school district the next day.

