# **Help Our New Neighbors**

September 13-17, 2021

During Democracy Days 2021, SCC's Service-Learning & Civic Engagement Program is sponsoring a donation drive to benefit the International Institute of St. Louis and the Immigrant Home English Learning Program of St. Louis (IHELP).



# **New American Wish List**

Help us provide "the basics" that will help our clients make a new start.

#### Clean Kitchen Items

- salt & pepper shakers
- can openers
- cutting boards
- cooking utensils
- kitchen knives
- · mixing bowls
- pots & pans
- tea kettles teapots
- cereal bowls • rice cookers
- · working microwaves

Cleaning Products (new)

· dishwashing soap · laundry detergent

• brooms & dustpans

· mops and buckets

· laundry baskets

• trash bags • bathroom trash cans · working vacuums

· all-purpose cleaning spray

• large & small trash cans

- clean food containers w/ lids
- potholders & kitchen towels

# Collection Tip #1

Personal Items (new)

• soap, shampoo

• combs

deodorant

· baby shampoo

· toilet paper

toothpaste and toothbrushes

sanitary napkins (no tampons)

• baby wipes, diapers (size 3-6)

· new socks and underwear

A convenient way to carry your collected items is to buy large, rectangular laundry baskets or large plastic storage tubs! The baskets and tubs are then given to our new

Red = most needed at this time

## Collection Tip #2

If you are buying new items, buying generic brands allows you to buy more items for less, which will support more familie

Thank you for helping new Americans feel welcome in the St. Louis community!

#### General Family Use

- box or table fans
- · space heaters
- working alarm clocks
- · new school supplies
- · working flashlights
- umbrellas
- soccer balls, clean dolls
- Legos, cars & trucks
- · working irons
- 2021 calendars

#### Linens (no stains)

- · washcloths, bath towels
- blankets (twin and full) • sheet sets (twin and full)
- · new pillows
- shower curtain and hooks

### Furniture

- bassinets/strollers
- · car seats that are clean & unexpired, and haven't been in an accident

\*We cannot accept furniture that is extremely heavy or large, has animal hair on it, or is not in good condition, and we are not able to pick up donations. Please contact Wafa Osman at (314) 773-9090, ext. 182 or osmanw@iistl.org with questions.

https://www.iistl.org/

# Teacher and student wish list for IHELP St. Louis:

Washable markers Magnetic dry erase boards Dry erase markers **Dry Erasers** Spiral notebooks (wide ruled) Index cards Copy paper

New or used children or teen books for students to read to their children or for fun.

https://ihelpstl.org/

Donation bins for each organization are in HUM 203 and the SSB Auditorium.

