



www.brcoh.org/events **Toys & Ideas List** [*most needed items](#)

***0 - 12months:** rattles, brightly colored mobiles, small stuffed animals or dolls with smiling faces, small fabric balls, unbreakable mirrors, activity boards, teethingers

1-2 years: “cause & effect” toys, stacking rings, nesting cups, push and pull toys, pop up or moving parts toys, simple & sturdy musical instruments, tools, vehicles, 4-5 piece puzzles, rubber ducks or bath toys, shape sorters

2-3 years: dolls & stuffed animals, imaginative props (toy phone, kitchen items, tea-party sets), lights and sound toys, puzzles, constructions toys, toys that snap together

4-5 years: educational toys & games, arts & craft kits, blocks, phonics toys, Legos, lincoln logs, puzzles, action figures, barbies, dress-up costumes, transportation toys, board games (no reading required for play), basketballs, soccer balls

6-7 years: remote-control cars, basic science kits, magnets, telescopes, craft kits, Barbies, Legos, K'nex, construction sets, sports equipment, board games (with strategy)

***8-11 years:** arts & craft kits, musical instruments, STEM learning toys, dolls and action figures, animal toys, silly games, outdoor play, board games (trivia, word games), vehicles, trains, remote control toys

***12-17 years:** music & pop culture trends, jewelry, journals, arts and crafts, headphones, earbuds, tech accessories, bath and body lotions & scents, hair accessories, make up, nail polish, sports accessories, key chains, dice and card games, picture frames