



Gifts in Kind



Book Wish List January - August 2020

Thank you for your generosity in donating new books to the kids at the Alberta Children's Hospital. These thoughtful gifts are used in a variety of ways throughout the hospital. Donations are used throughout the year as distractions and rewards during procedures and tests; as special gifts to celebrate birthdays, holidays and other milestones; as prizes for bingo nights; and in playrooms. Book donations also help to supplement the Family and Community Resource Centre library collection and inpatient book cart program. We are so grateful for your support!

Donation Guidelines Due to the hospital's infection control guidelines and space constraints only certain items can be accepted. We cannot accept used or previously owned items. Please understand that for reasons of safety and privacy donors can not hand out books personally to patients.

All books must be new, unwrapped and:

- ✓ come from a smoke-free, pet-free environment.
- ✓ specifically written for children. No mature or rated T comics please.
- ✓ be free of corporate branding and personal messaging.

Young Children (age 0-7)

- Board Books
- Picture Books
- I Spy Books
- Pop Up, Touch and Feel books
- Paw Patrol Books
- Disney books
- Lego Books
- Dinosaur Books
- Sports books
- Books about Trains, Planes or Vehicles
- High Five by Adam Rubin
- Ten Rules of the Birthday Wish by Beth Ferry
- Horse Museum by Dr. Seuss
- Dragons are Real by Holly Hatam
- The Sad Little Fact by Jonah Winter
- Jasper & Ollie by Alex Willan
- Goodbye, friend! Hello, friend! by Cori Doerrfeld

- Dory Fantasmagory series by Abby Hanlon
- Princess Pink and the Land of Fake-believe by Noah Z. Jones
- Any Books by Ben Clanton
- Owl Diaries series by Rebecca Elliott West
- Dragon Masters series by Tracey West
- Eerie Elementary series by Jack Chabert
- The Bad Guys by Aaron Blabey

Middle Grade (age 8-12)

- Terrible Two series by Mac Barnett
- Shouting at the Rain by Lynda Mullaly Hunt
- Origami Yoda series by Tom Angleberger
- The World Ends in April by Stacy McAnulty
- Diary of a Wimpy Kid series by Jeff Kinney

- To Night Owl from Dogfish by Holly Goldberg Sloan
- Far Away by Lisa Graff
- Ali Cross by James Patterson
- Not if I can Help It by Carolyn Mackler
- Any chapter book

Teens (age 13-17)

- War Girls by Tochi Onyebuchi
- Two Can Keep a Secret by Karen M. McManus
- Jackpot by Nic Stone
- Imprison the Sky by A.C. Guaghen
- Four Dead Queens by Astrid Scholte
- DC Icons series
- Songs of the Dead by Sarah Glenn Marsh
- Any young adult book (fiction, non-fiction, biographies, graphic novels)

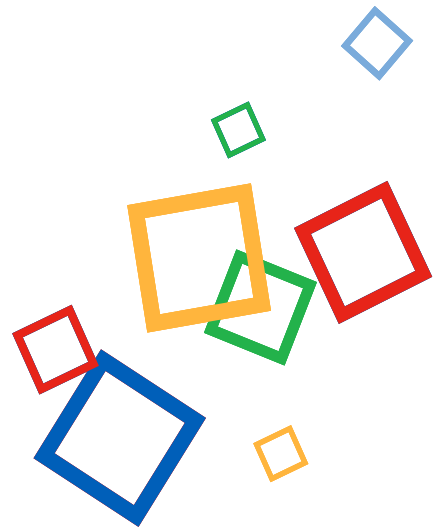
Non-Fiction/Miscellaneous Books

- Minecraft/Lego
- Crafting/Drawing
- Star Wars/Pokemon
- Trivia/Facts
- Hazardous Tales series by Nathan Hale
- Who Was? Series

Graphic Novels/Comics

- Any Graphic Novel books
- Any Comic books (Garfield/ Archie/Calvin and Hobbs/Marvel/ Super Hero comics (No mature or rated T comics please.)

- Any books by the following authors
 - Terri Libenson
 - Judd Winick
 - Shannon Hale
 - Doug Tennapel
 - Victoria Jamieson
 - Raina Telgemeier
 - Dav Pilkey
 - Ben Hatke
 - Jeff Smith
 - Lincoln Peirce
 - Max Brallier
 - Dana Simpson
 - Noelle Stevenson
 - Svetlana Chmakova
 - Kazu Kibuishi



Drop-Off Times and Locations

Please contact us at 403-955-8818 or kids@achf.com to arrange a time to deliver your donation.

Foundation Office (Level 2 - take elevator or main stairs)
Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 4:30 pm *Closed statutory holidays

Shipping and Receiving – for Sizeable Donations that require a cart or assistance
Monday – Friday 9:00 am – 3:00 pm *Please make an appointment by calling 403-955-8839 or 403-955-2632

Admitting Desk (Level 1) – after hours and weekends / small donations only
Monday – Friday 4:30 pm – 8:30 am / Saturday and Sunday all day

For more information about our Gifts in Kind program, please contact the Alberta Children's Hospital Foundation or visit www.childrenshospital.ab.ca/giftsinkind. **Thank you!**



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