



Holiday Gift Baskets - Created by our Spanish River Chapter *Recommended for All Ages*

Students will create holiday gift baskets that include gift cards, holiday plushies, and holiday snacks/treats.

1. Getting Started

- Decide how many children you wish to gift these to and commit to that number.
- Email marisa@speakupforkidspbc.org and ask for a list of names. Please provide as many details as you can about who, age, group, specific instruction wishes about the types of children, grades, etc.

***NOTE:** Plan way ahead. You will be given a deadline that is about one month out since it takes time to connect and deliver the items to the children*

- Begin working on your project. Take LOTS of pictures along the way and send them to us, so we can give you a shout-out during your process.
- Stay in touch along the way, so we know the status of your project and if you are on-target for your delivery date.
- When finished, organize and label your gift baskets so it's clear where they are going. We will provide instructions.
- Contact the same email for a delivery date and make arrangements with us to collect the items from you.

- **Supplies needed:**

- Shoeboxes & wrapping paper
- Holiday plushie/ stuffed animal
- Gift Card
- Holiday themed snacks

Please do not include any candy/chocolate that will melt easily



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2.Launching Your Project:

- **If this is your FIRST PROJECT with STUDENTS Speak Up for Kids:**
 - 1) Click [here](#) to sign up as a volunteer. Make sure to complete the Parent Permission Qualification - as you will need that to proceed.
 - 2) Then, click [here](#) to select the Small Group Activity opportunity & sign up. Once we receive this signup, we'll reach out to you to work on making it happen!
- **If this is a REPEAT PROJECT with STUDENTS Speak Up for Kids:** You are already in our system, and you should only need to select the [Small Group Activity](#) opportunity in our system. If you haven't logged onto our NEW volunteer platform yet, please follow the steps above.

3. After Your Project:

Anyone can take part and administer any of these service projects. ***To receive community service hours for your time, please follow these five simple steps:***

1. Complete the steps from "Launching Your Project" steps from above.
2. Track your hours for learning, planning, launching, social media time, etc.
3. Take pictures of the students working on the project, the lesson plans, & the zoom meetings. Email any pictures to STUDENTS@SpeakUpForKidsPBC.org
4. Post your pictures and share your project on Social Media by using **#StudentsSpeakUpForKidsPBC**. Tag the social media profiles found at the bottom of this page.
5. After your project is complete, return to our website and click on "Add Hours" in your [volunteer dashboard](#).