

You can make a difference in the lives of children and their families and build a caring community where everyone can thrive!

Strengthening families is at the core of what we do. We know that supporting families is the best thing possible for children, youth, and families. It's also a good thing for our community. Families that are resilient, that can bounce back in the face of hardship or adversity, are families that can heal better and grow stronger **together**.

Our wish list, developed with input from frontline workers and clients, highlights the items that help families respond to the day-to-day needs of the children, youth, and families we serve.

PLEASE CONTACT FOUNDATION@FACSWATERLOO.ORG TO ARRANGE DROP OFF TIMES FOR YOUR IN-KIND DONATION

Child Safety Supplies

- Baby gates
- Baby-proofing items such as outlet covers, cupboard locks, etc.
- Bed railings for toddlers
- Baby monitors

Everyday Family and Youth Supplies

- Disposable diapers (all sizes)
- Pull ups
- Wipes
- Formula (liquid and powder)
- Baby bottles

Gift Cards

- Preferred Vendors
 - Zehrs/Loblaws (President's Choice)
 - o Wal-mart
 - $\circ \quad \text{Amazon}$

Holiday Season Only

- Puzzles
- Board games
- Art or craft supplies

- Strollers
- Highchairs
- Car seats infant and booster
- Cribs and bedding
- Toddler beds
- Toiletries or personal care products
- Laundry or cleaning supplies
- Bed linens of all sizes
- Pillows
- Bath linens
- Denominations of \$25, \$50 or \$100
- Please attach the activation receipt
- Gift cards for family experiences
- Gift bags
- Tissue Paper

<u>Please Note:</u> Due to allergy and infection control reasons, all items received must be **new** and unwrapped. Your gift is most appreciated to help children, youth, and families supported by Family & Children's Services of the Waterloo Region Foundation during the holidays and all year round.

Please contact Family & Children's Services of the Waterloo Region Foundation for more information about providing meaningful, ongoing support for children and families at <u>foundation@facswaterloo.org</u> or visit <u>www.facsfoundation.org</u> for more information.