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Washcloths and Hand towels
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Combs and/or Brushes

Please do not include liquids, lotions, medications, vitamins, aerosol cans, or breakable items.

Back-to-school items (suggestions):

Pencils, erasers, wide-rule notebook paper, 3-ring binders, folders, color pencils, crayons, pencil sharpeners, composition notebooks, water based markers.

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Matchbox cars, polly pocket toys, yo-yo's, pocket etch-a-sketch, small dolls, small plush toys, stickers, small balls, toy jewelry, small books.

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