

Back 2 School Illinois Build-A-Kit Program – Corporate

Here's an opportunity to <u>Make A Difference</u> and participate in Illinois' largest Back 2 School program by building school supply kits to distribute to children from low-income families. It makes for a great corporate team building opportunity.

The program is very simple.

- **Select the location** you want to have the supplies sent to for assembly. You can choose any location such as your office, warehouse, retail location or you can choose to assemble them on site where they will be distributed such, as a school, church or other community organization.
- **Select an organization** that you want to give the Back 2 School kits to or choose from one our existing Community Partners. Currently we have distribution programs with:
 - YMCA of Metro Chicago
 - Boys & Girls Clubs of Chicago
 - Operation Homefront (children of military families)
 - Chicago's Department of Family & Support Services DFSS (children in homeless shelters)
 - Jewish Community Centers of Chicago
 - Chicago Public Schools
 - Academy for Urban School Leadership (AUSL Charter Schools)
 - Catholic Charities
 - The Harbour (Program for teens requiring housing and transitional services)
 - USO of Illinois
 - Illinois Department of Children & Family Services DCFS (foster children)
 - Vietnamese Association of Illinois
 - Camp of Dreams
 - UCAN
- Select the number and type of kits: There are four types of kits available; Head Start/Pre-Kindergarten, Primary, Elementary and Junior/Senior High. You choose how many of each type and the supplies are shipped in bulk, along with the cardboard kit boxes and plastic handles. Once assembled each kit will contain approximately 30 supplies.
- Cost: Each kit costs \$15.00 complete.
- Shipping/Handling: Materials sent via UPS/FedEx Ground. Cost determined by delivery location.
- **Delivery Time**: 2-3 weeks
- **Customization**: We can custom print your artwork on stickers to affix to the cardboard boxes for an additional charge. If you want to add/change the elements that go into each kit we can do that as well. For additional options, please call or email for complete details.
- To place an order or for more information: contact Joey McDonald, jmcdonald@b2si.org