



Kit Assembly Checklists

Welcome to Kit Assembly!

Thank you for being part of A Sense of Home's Kit Assembly Volunteer Experience. These kits provide the right essentials at move-in, helping young adults save on basic needs, settle into their homes with confidence, and feel the support of a community that believes in them.

Your kits send a powerful message: you are supported, valued, and you belong.

This guide includes curated checklists for each kit type, making it easy for your team to assemble thoughtful, complete, and meaningful kits that will be placed directly into new homes across our community. Every kit you assemble brings comfort, dignity, and care into the first-ever home of a young adult or family transitioning out of foster care.

Quick Tips for Building Your Kits

Add Your Personal Touch. A handwritten note or card from your team makes a powerful difference and reminds recipients they are not alone.

Choose a Useful Container. All of our kits are carefully designed to fit into a 24kg container. Select a box, basket, or storage bin that can be reused for storage in the home.

Keep Everything in One Kit. All items should fit into a single container for easy transport and smooth placement during Home Creations.

Pack with Care. Arrange items neatly so opening the kit feels like opening a gift, not a box of supplies.

Group Small Items Together. Use pouches, bags, or small organizers inside the kit so nothing gets lost and everything feels intentional.

Include a Printed Checklist. Place a completed checklist inside every kit so our team knows exactly what's included.

Stick with New or Like-New Items. Whenever possible, include unopened or gently unused items so every recipient receives their kit with dignity and confidence.

Neutral and Versatile is Best. Choose colors, scents, and styles that go together and will feel welcoming in many different homes. Dishwasher-safe and durable materials are always preferred!

Share Your Impact! Take photos of your kit assembly day and tag @asenseofhomeorg to inspire others to join you in supporting youth transitioning out of foster care.



Welcome Home Kit

Turn a furnished space into a place that truly feels like home.

- Bath Salts
- Cookies and/or Candy
- Body Lotion
- Chapstick
- Bathrobe
- Candle(s)
- Diffuser
- Inspirational Books
- Inspirational Words in Art
- Welcome Home Wall Decor
- Recipe Book(s)
- Cozy Throw Blanket
- Welcome Home Card
- Gift Card(s) - \$25 to \$100
 - Home Goods (ex. Target)
 - Grocery (ex. Ralphps, Superior)
 - Gas (ex. Shell, Mobil)
 - Visa



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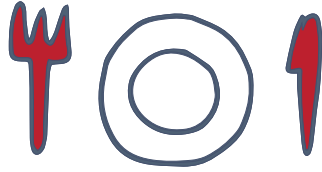


Cooking Kit

Everything needed to prepare, cook, and clean up meals, giving young adults the tools to nourish themselves with confidence.

- Tongs (1)
- Whisk (1)
- Spatula (1)
- Ladle (1)
- Wooden Spoon (1)
- Spaghetti Server (1)
- Salad Server (1)
- Utensil Holder (1)
- Dish Rack (1)
- Peeler (1)
- Can Opener (1)
- Cutting Knife (2)
- Bread Knife (1)
- Baking Dish (1)
- Assorted Pots (3)
- Assorted Pans (3)
- Cutting Board (1)
- Strainer (1)
- Tupperware (3-5)
- Dish Soap (1)
- Sponges (3)
- Dish Towels (2)





Dining Kit

These items ensure the recipient can eat, host, and live comfortably from day one, turning everyday moments at the table into a true sense of home.

- Coffee Cups (6)
- Drinking Cups (6)
- Glasses (6)
- Cereal Bowls (6)
- Salad Plates (6)
- Dinner Plates (6)
- Mixing Bowls (2)
- Serving Bowls (4)
- Platters (2)
- Dinner Napkins (6)
- Placemats (4)
- Kitchen Towels (4)
- Utensil Drawer Holder (1)
- Utensil Set
 - (6 forks, 6 spoons, 6 knives)



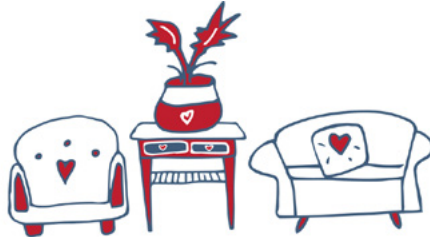


Bathroom Kit

These essentials help a new bathroom feel complete, functional, and welcoming from day one.

- Bath Mat (1)
- Shower Curtain (1)
- Shower Curtain Liner (1)
- Shower Curtain Hooks (1)
- Adjustable Shower Curtain Rod (1)
- Bath Towels (4)
- Hand Towels (2)
- Wash Cloths (2)
- Waste Basket (1)
- Toilet Paper Roll (1)
- Soap Holder/Dispenser (1)
- Toilet Bowl Brush (1)
- Toothbrush Holder (1)
- Toothbrush (1)
- Toothpaste (1)
- Deodorant (1)
- Hand Soap (1)
- Shampoo (1)
- Conditioner (1)
- Bodywash (1)





Home Decor Kit

Decorative accents that bring warmth, personality, and a sense of home to a new space.

- Colorful Glass Vases
- Large Decorative Bowls
- Tabletop Art
- Coffee Table Books
- Cookbooks
- Artificial Flowers
- Artificial Potted Plants
- Love Sign
- Home or Welcome Home Sign(s)
- Baskets (Assorted Sizes)
- Statues and/or Sculptures
- Crystals
- Trays
- Picture Frames
- Candles
- Candle Holders with Matching Candles
- Misc. Decorative Accent Pieces



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Adult Linen Kit

A collection of comfortable and practical essentials to help create a restful, welcoming bedroom space.

- Queen-sized Fitted Sheets (2)
- Queen-sized Flat (Top) Sheets (2)
- Queen-sized Mattress Pad (1)
- Comforter or Duvet (1)
- Throw Blanket or Quilt (1)
- Duvet Cover (1)
- Standard Pillows (4)
- Pillow Cases (4)
- Decorative Throw Pillows (1-2)





Adult Bedroom Kit

A collection of comfortable and practical essentials to help create a restful, welcoming bedroom space.

- Decorative Tray for Bedside Table (1-2)
- LED String Lights or Small Accent Lighting (1)
- White Noise Machine (1)
- Small Area or Bedside Rug (1)
- Small/Medium Mirror (1)
- Closet Organizers or Hanging Shelves (1-2)
- Alarm Clock or Small Bedside Clock (1)
- Aromatherapy Candle or Diffuser (1)
- Eye Mask or Cozy Slippers (1)
- Laundry Hamper (1)





Caretaker Kit

Support an adult taking care of a newborn or toddler with essentials for daily care.

- Diapers (Sizes 1–4 Mixed)
- Baby Wipes (Sensitive Skin)
- Diaper Cream
- Baby Shampoo & Body Wash
- Baby Lotion
- Baby Bottles / Sippy Cups (2–4)
- Bottle Brush
- Snack Cups
- Bibs (Cloth or Silicone)
- Baby / Toddler Utensils
- Onesies - Sizes 0-12 Months (2-3)
- Swaddle or Small Blanket
- Pacifiers or Teething Toys
- Children's Books
- Soft Stuffed Animal
- Sensory Toys
- Healthy Snacks / Protein Bars
- Hand Sanitizer Travel Size
- Lip Balm
- Ziplock Bags
- Travel-Size Kleenex





Children's Bedroom Kit

A kit designed to bring comfort, creativity, and joy to a child's new space through cozy bedding, books, and age-appropriate toys.

- New Quilt or Blanket
- New Crib, Toddler or Twin Bedding Set
- New Pillows with Cases (2)
- Night Light
- Bedtime Books
- Wall Posters
- Sensory Toys
- Action Figures
- Educational Toys
- Sports-Related Toys
- Stuffed Animals
- Wall Calendar
- Neon Signs
- Gift Card(s) - \$25 - \$100
 - Target
 - Amazon
 - Barnes & Noble

Age Ranges

Toddler (2-3 years old)

Kindergarten (4-6 years old)

Elementary School-Aged (7-10 years old)

Middle School-Aged (12- Approx. 14 years old)

High School-Aged (15 - 18 years old)



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Newborn Bedroom Kit

A thoughtfully curated set of soft, soothing essentials to welcome a newborn into a safe and comforting space.

- Soft Swaddle Blankets
- Night Light
- White Noise Machine or Sound Soother
- Soft Plush Toy (no loose parts)
- Crinkle Fabric Toys
- Baby-Safe Mirror
- Tummy-Time Mat or Blanket
- Onesies (short- and long-sleeve)
- Footed Pajamas
- Newborn Socks
- Soft Mittens
- Simple Board Books
- Newborn Hats
- Wall Art
- Gift Card(s) - \$25 - \$100
 - Target
 - Amazon

