



Christ Child Society of Texas Service Project Toys for Spindletop - Early Childhood Intervention Program



Spindletop Center provides critical services to children and adults with disabilities across a four county area in Southeast Texas. Spindletop's Early Childhood Intervention (ECI) Program annually provides services to over 300 children age birth to three with significant developmental delays.

Over 200 children receiving ECI services from Spindletop were affected by Hurricane Harvey; most lost all of their belongings in the flooding. While this loss would be devastating for any child, it is especially damaging for children in ECI who rely on play-based learning to help overcome developmental deficits and reach important milestones.

On behalf of Spindletop, CCS is collecting **new or gently used toys (must have all the parts) suitable for babies and toddlers up to age 3.**

Baby Toys

- Shape sorters
- Ring stackers
- Nesting cups
- **Rattles**- Lightweight and easy to hold
- Car seat/stroller **toys that vibrate** when you pull on string
- Wooden **activity block**- that has the bead on railing to slide
- Activity **play mat**
- Snap and lock beads

Art Materials

- Floam
- Playdoh
- Window crayons
- Bath crayons
- Stickers
- Sidewalk chalk
- Tempera paint for groups,
- Magna doodle,
- Sensory bin materials: pom pom balls, feathers, pipe cleaners

Pretend

- Tea set
- Plastic fruits and vegetables

Blocks

- Small **wooden** blocks
- Jumbo **Duplo** blocks
- Soft rubber **blocks that squeak**

Active Toys

- **Balls**-big, small, or with bells inside
- Small **parachute**
- Small indoor **slide**
- Indoor kids **swing**,
- **Riding toy**- you push from behind to walk or to scoot
- Pounding Bench
- Bubbles

Books and Puzzles

- Board books
- Textured books
- Wooden puzzles with simple shapes

Musical Toys

- See N Say
- Toy Instruments (drum with sticks, wooden instruments)



Donated toys (new and gently used) and funds will be accepted until **January 8th** at the CCS Christmas Party, Miss Mary's Cottage, Janie Castillo's home, and Yarnoholics Friday knitting.

Kaleidoscope Toys (Terry Myer's store located at 110 North IH 35, #375, Round Rock- around the corner from Sprouts) is offering a **20% discount** on toys purchased at Kaleidoscope from Nov 1-15th from the CCS bin of selections.