



## **Back-to-School Assistance Programs**

**Please contact each agency for specific eligibility guidelines and intake requirements.**

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### ADAIR COUNTY

New Life Church  
Stillwell

(918) 696-2041

- Provides backpacks (no school supplies) on July 29th at old Circle Inn Motel site on S 2nd St.
- For students in Adair County schools.
- Hours: F 6 PM - 8 PM (7/29/11).

### BRYAN COUNTY

Salvation Army - Durant  
1303 W Waco, Durant  
(580) 920-8677

- Offers free school supplies. Those wishing to get school supplies through the program must contact the school their children attend and request school supplies through the Salvation Army program.
- For students in Bryan County Schools.
- Hours: M, T, W, Th, F 10 AM - 3 PM

### CARTER COUNTY

Salvation Army - Ardmore  
123 A St SW, Ardmore  
(580) 223-6176

- Provides school supplies. First-time recipients must complete application.
- For students in Carter County Schools.
- Hours: M, T, W, Th, F 8 AM - 4 PM

### CHEROKEE COUNTY

Zoe Institute  
1009 S Muskogee Ave, Tahlequah  
Plaza Shopping Center

(918) 453-9778

- Provides a one-day Back to School Bash in conjunction with the Cherokee County Christian Ministerial Alliance on Saturday, August 6th at Tahlequah Community Building, 908 S College Ave. Free backpacks, school supplies and haircuts will be available.
- Pre-registration required at Zoe Institute offices. Ticket will be given for entrance to Back to School Bash either for a 9am time slot or for a 10:30am time slot.
- For students K-8 in Cherokee County schools.
- Pre-registration Hours: M, T, W 9 AM - noon; 1 PM - 3 PM; Th 9 AM - noon; 2:30 PM - 3 PM

### CHEROKEE NATION

Cherokee Nation Johnson-O'Malley Program  
Contact school district.

- Provides school supply assistance for Native American students.
- Must be a member of a federally recognized tribe.
- For students attending one of the public schools served by the JOM program within Cherokee Nation's 14 county jurisdictional boundaries.

### CRAIG COUNTY

Salvation Army - Vinita  
224 W Sequoyah, Vinita  
(918) 256-2037

- Provides school supplies to children with identified need. Must be referred by a teacher or school official.



- Contact agency for program details.
- Hours: M, W, F 10 AM - 2 PM

#### MIAMI TRIBE OF OKLAHOMA

Miami Tribe of Oklahoma  
202 S. Eight Tribes Trail, Miami  
(918) 542-1445

- Provides funding assistance to tribal members to purchase school supplies. Checks in the amount of \$35 for pre-school students and \$50 for K-12 students will be mailed within three weeks of application deadline.
- Must go to website [www.miamination.com](http://www.miamination.com) and click on Community Bulletin Board to download application. Completed applications must be postmarked by 7/29/11. No late applications will be accepted.
- For students PreK-12 who are enrolled Miami Tribe members.
- Hours: M - F 9 AM - 5 PM

#### OKMULGEE COUNTY

Salvation Army - Okmulgee  
301 W 6th St, Okmulgee  
(918) 756-9224

- Provides school supplies once a year on "Manna Day" but only through vouchers distributed by Okmulgee Public Schools. Parents receive vouchers during enrollment day at their child's school. Vouchers are then redeemed on Manna Day (August date TBD) at location to be determined.
- For students in Okmulgee Public Schools.

#### OTTAWA COUNTY

Ottawa County DHS  
Civic Center  
129 5th Ave NW, Miami  
(918) 541-2400

- Offers a one day Back to School Fair event on 8/2/11 with free school supplies, immunizations, health screenings at the Miami Civic Center. No pre-registration required.
- For students K-12 in Ottawa County schools.
- Hours: T 9 AM - 12 PM (8/2/11)

#### PONTOTOC COUNTY

Salvation Army - Ada  
Back to School Basics  
324 W 20th, Ada  
(580) 332-1377

- Provides a backpack and basic school supplies.
- Must bring documentation needed for enrollment to school enrollment day and ask about the "Back to School Basics" program. Supplies are distributed at the individual school locations on day of enrollment.
- For students PreK-12 in Ada Public Schools.

#### SEQUOYAH COUNTY

Catholic Charities Helping Center  
111 N Elm St, Sallisaw  
(918) 775-6111

- Provides the Pastor's Fellowship Back to School Giveaway, a one day community-wide event at the Sallisaw Civic Center, 115 E Choctaw Ave, on 8/4/11, where needy families can receive free school supplies.
- Must bring Social Security card for each child. If custodial parent or legal guardian cannot attend event, they may send a representative in their place along with a signed permission letter from them indicating the representative by name who can apply for assistance.
- CDIB card holders are not eligible in order to avoid duplication of services.
- For students PreK-12 in Sequoyah County schools.
- Hours: Th 9 AM - 1 PM (8/4/11)

#### TULSA COUNTY

Bixby Community Outreach Center  
10 E Dawes, Bixby  
(918) 366-9226

- Provides school supplies to be distributed 8/5/11.
- Registration deadline is 7/21/11. Contact agency for eligibility requirements. New clients must complete application.
- Must bring Social Security cards for all household members; proof of income; proof of address.
- For students in Kiefer, Mounds, Haskell, Bixby, Glenpool, Jenks, Leonard, and Liberty Schools.

- Registration Hours: T 9 AM - noon; 1 PM - 7 PM; W, Th 9 AM - noon; 1 PM - 4 PM.

Broken Arrow Neighbors  
4600 S Olive Ave, Broken Arrow  
(918) 251-7781

- Provides a free health and safety Back to School Bash in conjunction with the Broken Arrow Police Department on Saturday, 8/6/11. The event will include free school supplies; haircuts; vision, screening, blood sugar tests; Child find ID program.
- Remaining school supplies left over from the Bash event will be distributed to needy students in the Broken Arrow or Coweta school districts through a walk-in visit to the Broken Arrow Neighbors offices.
- Distribution will be 8/6/11, 9 AM - 12 noon. No advance registration required. Distribution site will be the Tulsa Technology Center, 4600 S. Olive Street.
- For students in Broken Arrow or Coweta Public Schools.
- Hours: Sa 9 AM - noon (8/6/11)

First United Methodist Church - Skiatook  
(918) 396-2519

- Provides school supplies
- School supplies will be distributed at Skiatook First United Methodist Church on 8/3/11 and 8/4/11.
- Must be pre-approved by one of the three participating agencies (Dept. of Human Services, First United Methodist Church; Skiatook Emergency Assistance Center) by the deadline of 7/8/11. Applicants will receive pre-approval letter. Must bring letter to pick-up date.
- For PreK-12 students in Skiatook and Sperry Public Schools.
- Hours: on Monday, 8/3/11 from 9 AM - 7 PM and Tuesday, 8/4/11 from 1 PM - 7 PM.

John 3:16 Family & Youth Center  
2027 N Cincinnati Ave, Tulsa  
(918) 592-1186

- Offers free backpacks, jeans, and uniform pants to youth in Tulsa or surrounding area on Saturday, 8/13/11, during the Klothes 4 Kids Back to School Festival. Will also have an expanding clothing shopping area with new and gently used clothing, kids' activities and food for the whole family. Immunizations will be given.
- The Back to School Festival will be held at

the Family & Youth Center, 2027 N Cincinnati Ave.

- Must bring photo ID; SS cards/birth certificates for each child. Must bring shots records to receive immunizations.
- For students in Tulsa area schools.
- Hours: Sa 10 AM - 3 PM (8/13/11)

New Heights Church - Owasso  
106 N Main St, Owasso  
(918) 274-1725

- Provides school supplies in backpacks appropriate for elementary level students on Wednesday, 8/3/11. Also provides haircuts, clothing closet and eyeglass screening during event. Free dental services provided with a pre-screening appointment made prior to day of event.
- For students in Owasso Public Schools.
- Hours: W 8 AM - 8 PM (8/3/11)

Northside Christian Church - Broken Arrow  
1201 N Elm Pl, Broken Arrow  
(918) 258-2577

- Provides a one day (8/6/11) Back to School Fair event with free school supplies, clothing and haircuts. No pre-registration required.
- For any student.
- Hours: Sa 9 AM - noon (8/6/11)

Owasso Community Resources  
109 North Birch, Suite 109, Owasso  
(918) 272-4969

- Provides a grade appropriate school supplies bag with pre-registration. Supplies are distributed to families on 8/11/11 at First Presbyterian Church, 12800 E 85th St N.
- Must provide proof of residency, proof of enrollment in Owasso Public Schools, and an ID for parent/guardian. Must meet income guidelines.
- Application form required. Registration period is 7/5/11 - 7/7/11 and supplies are distributed to families 8/11/11.
- For student PreK-12 in Owasso Public Schools.
- Hours: Th 10 AM - 4 PM (8/11/11)

Partnership for the Availability of School Supplies (PASS)

Tulsa Community Foundation, Tulsa

- Students in 42 TPS elementary schools and 6 Union elementary schools will receive school supplies through the PASS program.

- Contact school district for list of eligible schools.

Restore Hope Ministries  
2960 South Charles Page Blvd., Tulsa  
(918) 582-5766

- Provides school supplies through program called Project School Supplies. Supplies are distributed at the time of registration, August dates TBD.
- Must bring Social Security cards for parent/guardian and for children; photo ID for parent/guardian. Application form required.
- For students K-12 in Tulsa County schools.
- Hours: M, T, W, Th, F 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM (August dates to be determined).

#### UNITED KEETOOWAH BAND OF THE CHEROKEES

United Keetoowah Band of the Cherokees  
18263 West Keetoowah Circle, Tahlequah  
(918) 456-8698

- Provides vouchers (Wal-Mart gift cards) for school supplies to eligible UKB students. Amount is \$75 for K-9 students and \$100 for 10-12th grade students. Voucher sites are for specific districts. No voucher will be issued from a site for any district not associated with that site.
- Voucher distribution locations:
  - Mon, July 18, 2011, 9 AM - 4 PM: Sallisaw Gaming Commission; Illinois and Sequoyah Districts
  - Tue, July 19, 2011, 9 AM - 5 PM: First Indian Baptist Church - Salina; Saline and Cooweescoowee Districts.
  - Wed, July 20, 2011 9 AM - 4 PM: Kansas UKB Suboffice: Delaware and Goingsnake Districts
  - Thu, July 21, 2011, 9 AM - 5 PM: Stilwell UKB Suboffice; Flint and Goingsnake Districts.
  - Fri, July 22, 2011, 9 AM - 5 PM: UKB Community Services Bldg, Tahlequah; Tahlequah District.
  - Sat, July 23, 2011, 11 AM - 3 PM: Muskogee location pending; Canadian District
  - Wed, July 27, 2011, 9 AM - 4 PM: UKB Community Services Bldg, Tahlequah; ALL DISTRICTS
  - Sat, Aug 5, 2011, 9 AM - 4 PM: UKB Community Services Bldg, Tahlequah; ALL DISTRICTS

#### WAGONER COUNTY

First Baptist Church of Coweta  
15296 State Hwy 72, Coweta  
(918) 486-2158

- Provides free school supplies, haircuts, gently used clothing, health and wellness Information during Back to School Rally event on Saturday, 8/6/11. No pre-registration required.
- For students in Coweta Public Schools.
- Hours: Sa 9 AM - 1 PM (8/6/11)

Wagoner Area Neighbors  
100 NW 8th St, Wagoner  
(918) 485-2309

- Offers free school supplies for PreK-6th grade students in Wagoner Public Schools. Supplies will be distributed at Wagoner Area Neighbors on Friday, 8/12/11 from 8 AM - 1 PM.
- Pre-registration required between 7/11/11-7/22/11. Must bring proof of residency.
- For PreK-6th grade students in Wagoner Public Schools.
- Registration Hours: M, W, F 8:30 - noon; T, Th 1 PM - 3 PM. Distribution Hours: F 8 AM - 1 PM (8/12/11).

#### WASHINGTON COUNTY

Agape Mission  
309 W Bucy, Bartlesville  
(918) 336-5410

CONCERN  
333 SW Penn, Bartlesville  
(918) 336-4693

Mary Martha Outreach  
1845 SW 4th, Bartlesville  
(918) 337-3703

- Provides backpacks with required school supplies. Agape Mission, CONCERN, and Mary Martha Outreach accept the applications and verify the information. On Pickup Day, (August 2011 date TBD), the backpacks are handed out at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 210 E 9th St., beginning at 8am.
- Application form required. Deadline to fill out application is 7/29/11.
- For students in Bartlesville, Dewey, Copan, Caney Valley, Osage Hills, Head Start, Tri-County, American Christian, Bowering, St. John, Wesleyan Christian Schools.
- Agape: M, T, W, Th, F, Sa 11 AM - 2 PM
- CONCERN: M, T, W, Th, F 11 AM - 2:30 PM

- Mary Martha: M, T, W 9 AM - 11 AM; Th noon - 3 PM