

Community Outreach Project

Backpacks for Homeless

Introduction

While utilizing a number of resources, the challenge is for the class to develop a year-long “acts of kindness bucket list” to accomplish inside and outside of the classroom.

Pre-Activity

Using the [anchor video](#), I introduce the year-long challenge that the entire class must work to accomplish. Once an act of kindness is accomplished, a student must share what he/she did, and then I cross it off the list and we celebrate.

The list should be comprehensive, and your end-goal can certainly be changed to fit your needs. Resources that I use are below.

Activity

Providing students with the acts of kindness ideas (I encourage them to research themselves as well), I challenge each student to come up with several ideas that fit my criteria:

- Is the challenge feasible? *Is this a realistic goal that we can accomplish?*
- Is the challenge affordable?
- Find a mixture of challenges that can be accomplished in-school, and outside of school
- Can this challenge be replicated? *Always encourage others to pay it forward.*

Materials:

Website 1	Website 2	Website 3	Website 4
Additional PDF Resource			