

# Prince George's County Reaching Out to Assist Homeless Youth



## Homeless Youth Top 10 List

1. Cash (checks should be made payable to the Prince George's County Department of Social Services and "Homeless Lay Fund" noted in the memo section.)
2. Welcome kits (sample-sized hygiene items including shampoo, conditioner, body wash, toothpaste, toothbrushes, mouthwash, deodorant, combs, disposable razors, body lotion, tampons and sanitary pads.)
3. New youth-appropriate clothing items or gift cards for essentials like shoes, uniforms, and underclothes.
4. New linens (twin bed sized), towels and washcloths.
5. After-school activity equipment (art supplies, board games, school supplies, sports equipment, books, cameras, video cameras, card table, etc.)
6. School supplies/electronics - lap tops, notebooks, pens, backpacks, flash drives, GED/ SAT/ACT test prep books, graphing calculators, etc.)
7. Vinyl covered twin size mattresses (bed bug resistant)
8. Scholarships / Sponsorship for youth to attend summer enrichment or after school programs
9. Food gift cards
10. Metro SmartTrip™ cards with funds pre-loaded

**Thank you for donating to Prince George's County's  
homeless youth shelter, Promise Place.**

**The 24 hour, 7 days a week shelter provides a safe haven  
with 20 beds for youth ages 12 – 24. Please contact  
301-909-6330 or [promise.place@maryland.gov](mailto:promise.place@maryland.gov)**



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