

GLS /C/622-23

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10th February 2023

Emergency Relief Campaign for Türkiye and Syria (H.O.P.E.)

Dear parent,

Türkiye and Syria have witnessed, what is considered, as the worst earthquakes in about half a century on 6th February 2023. Thousands of people in the affected regions have lost their lives and these numbers are expected to further rise. Several more thousands of people have been displaced with their homes partially or totally destroyed. As severe winter storms sweep these nations, families are in an urgent need of support.

As a part of the H.O.P.E. (Helping Out Possibly Everyone) initiative, GEMS Legacy School will be launching the ‘**Emergency Relief Campaign for Türkiye and Syria**’ to invite donations in kind from its community. This campaign will run from **13th February to 20th February 2023** at the **GLS Primary and Secondary campuses**.

We invite you to wholeheartedly contribute to this cause and do your bit to spread H.O.P.E. in the world. We are glad to be able to hold this campaign to send help to families in Türkiye and Syria, while teaching our students the important values of compassion, kindness, and empathy.

As we are inviting donations in kind, the list of emergency items that can be donated for this cause is given below.
We would appreciate donation of only new, unused items.



We look forward to all parents, students, staff, and management becoming an integral part of this campaign.

Warm regards,



Asha Alexander

Principal

Executive Leader - Climate Change

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List of Items that may be donated.

 **WINTER CLOTHING (ADULTS & CHILDREN) ALL THESE MUST BE NEW ITEMS.**

WE WILL NOT BE ABLE TO ACCEPT USED ITEMS SO PLEASE DO NOT SEND OLD CLOTHES OR USED ITEMS. THESE WILL HAVE TO BE RETURNED.

Coat-Parka
Raincoat
Boots-Ankle boots
Sweater
Pants
Gloves
Scarf / Hat
Cap
Socks
Underwear

 **FOOD**

Pasta-Macroni,Noodles.
Biscuits
Protein Bars
Rice
Wheat
Oil
Dates
Tomato Paste/Sauces
Lentils
Sugar
Tea Bags/Coffee
Milk Powder
Non-perishable Food - Canned Food
Baby food

CLEANING / HYGIENE MATERIALS

Diapers
Hygiene Materials
Cleaning Materials
Women's sanitary pads

 **OTHER MATERIALS**

Blankets
Sleeping bag
Thermos
Flashlight (without batteries)