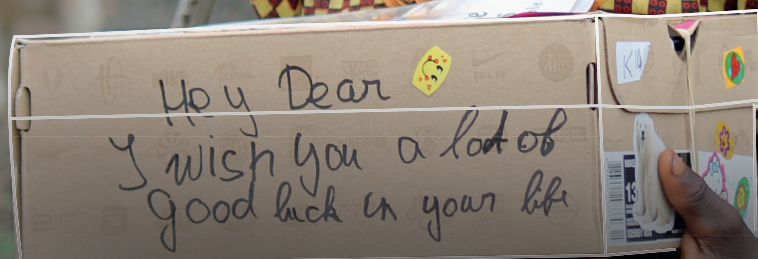


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# **FILL A SHOE BOX, GIVE A TREASURE**

What you give, has more value than you can imagine.

Start decorating and filling your shoe box now and  
discover the miracle of giving!

**JOIN  
US!**

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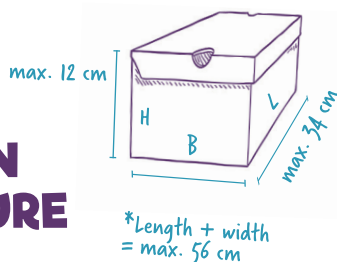


## What can you do for a child living in poverty? More than you think you can! Join the Shoe box project and magically turn a simple shoe box into a precious gift.

That red toy truck, a set of crayons or new notebooks... that means so much to a child in Africa, Eastern Europe or in a refugee camp in Greece. Receiving toys or new toothpaste just like that... that is extraordinary for them. Your shoebox might be the first gift this child receives. You are giving a real treasure!

Join the Shoe box project!  
Give a present of immense value.

## THIS IS HOW YOU CAN MAKE A REAL TREASURE OUT OF A SHOE BOX!



- 1 Use a shoe box of [these](#) measurements. More info: [schoenendoosactie.nl/maten](https://schoenendoosactie.nl/maten)
- 2 Who are you making this box for? Write this on the slip on the back side, cut the slip and fix it on top of the box.
- 3 Decorate and fill the box with items of the adjacent checklist and [remove packing material](#). Why don't you take a look for items at the thrift store ([schoenendoosactie.nl/duurzaamheid](https://schoenendoosactie.nl/duurzaamheid)).
- 4 Do not seal the box but use a rubber band. Give €5,- for transportation and processing costs.
- 5 The QR-code on this leaflet makes it easy to pay. You can also use the envelope and tuck that under the rubber band.
- 6 Hand in the box at your local committee or take it to a collection center ([schoenendoosactie.nl/inleveren](https://schoenendoosactie.nl/inleveren)).

Please remove all plastic packaging from your items.



Giving something that belongs to yourself adds extra value. It is important that the item is (as good as) new.

## THIS IS HOW YOU FILL THE BOX

- ✓ **4 notebooks**
- ✓ **3 pens**
- ✓ **eraser**
- ✓ **pencil sharpener**
- ✓ **set of colored pencils**
- ✓ **3 pencils**
- ✓ **stuffed animal**
- ✓ **piece of soap**
- ✓ **toothbrush**
- ✓ **toothpaste**



### Extra items to fill the box with:

School supplies: ruler, case

Toys: doll, car, jojo, coloring book, skipping rope, marbles (5 yrs and up), ball, musical instrument, domino, jig saw puzzle

Care articles: haircare items, make up case, jewelry

Practical items: linen bag, flip flops, cap, clothing, socks, plastic jug



### Do **NOT** add these:

Candy or other food items

Articles with batteries

War toys and items with aggressive images

Articles that can dry out fast like markers, clay, glue, paint

Stuffed pig

Deodorant

Fluids like shampoo to prevent leakage

Balloons

↑  
Add a nice card or a picture of yourself. The kids often like that very much!

Give a present of immense value

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The costs for processing and transportation the shoe boxes are € 5,- each.



Scan the QR-code  
to pay easily online or  
use the envelope.  
Enter your details  
alongside.

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☐ In this envelope I have added the amount of €  for  box/boxes.

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years/ans:

- ☐ 2-4
- ☐ 5-9
- ☐ 10-14



**SILVIA (7) FROM AFRICA** is so happy with her notebook, pen and pencil from the shoebox. Now she can attend school again. She really wants to become a doctor.



# BOY

garçon

years/ans:

- ☐ 2-4
- ☐ 5-9
- ☐ 10-14



## THE JOURNEY OF YOUR SHOE BOX

When your shoe box is ready it travels first to the nearest collection station. From there it goes to a processing center. An important place, because this is where we check the content. Now it is time for the long trip by boat or truck to one of the countries. That's where your treasure is received by a child! In countries where it is permitted, we also distribute booklets with Biblical stories.

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Help that arrives. Hope that stays.