

Wish List Items for Teens

Personal Items

Toiletry bags for male and female: Comb for detangling hair, ponytail rubber bands, mini shampoo/conditioner, lip balm, lotion, deodorant, tissues, hand gel, socks, other comfort items, etc.

Makeup and nail polish kits: Makeup kits, nail polish, polish remover, cotton balls, cardboard emery board, etc. (Kits are easy for us to drop off to patients but we can also use the supplies in loose fashion by stocking them in our playroom supply for delivery to bedside. You can find a lot of teenage items from Amazon or Dick Blick websites.)

Coping kits: Koosh balls, stress balls, aroma therapy items, sleep masks, liquid motion toys, etc.

Creative Items

Large Lego kits/other model kits: Wooden models, cars, etc... that aren't *too* complicated

Drawing kits: Sketch pad, drawing pencils, eraser, colored pencils

Painting kits: Watercolors, paintbrushes, watercolor paper, acrylic paint, acrylic paper tablet, paintbrushes, canvas board, ceramics to paint (no firing needed), wooden items to paint

Modeling clay: The air dry type, in small individual packages

Bead kits: Glass beads or other nice beads and string with clasps to make bracelets/necklaces

Knitting: "Learn how to knit" kits

Origami: Paper and instructions

Zentangle kits: Drawing project <http://www.walmart.com/c/kp/zentangle-art-sets>

General art supplies: Higher quality art materials for teens such as velvet art posters, oil pastels, brush pens, glaze pens, watercolors, acrylic paints, drawing/painting paper, colored pens, colored sharpies, colored/patterned duct tape, alcohol inks, ceramics, wooden items to paint, ***Examples of higher quality art supply brands would be prismacolor, prang, etc.***



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Writing and Activity Items

Visual journal kits: Journal, paint, pencils, pens, scrapbook paper, scissors, stickers

<http://www.dickblick.com/products/strathmore-visual-journals/>

Adult coloring books: "Creative Haven" coloring books, Dover Coloring Books, mandalas, and nice quality colored pencils

Klutz activity books: They have books for a variety of ages but you could choose the teenage books <http://store.scholastic.com/search/search/Klutz?N=4502+4518> or Amazon

Puzzle Books: Sudoku, crosswords, word searches, etc.

Games and Electronics

Card games: Playing cards, Uno, Phase 10, Rummy, etc.

Board games: Jenga, 20 Questions, Chess/Checkers, Would You Rather, Catch Phrase, Scattergories, Taboo, Scrabble, Monopoly, Yahtzee, etc...

Electronics: iPods, iPads, Macbook Air, Kindles, Game systems (updated PS and Xbox) and games for the system (E for everyone or T for Teen (non-violent), new Polaroid cameras, handheld game systems and games, *****All electronics would be to loan to children who have lengthy stays*****

Gift cards: iTunes, Amazon (for Kindle books)