



**14500 Dyer Street, Sylmar, CA 91342
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Monday, October 19, 2009,

Dear Friends,

I am a fifth grade teacher at Dyer Elementary School in Sylmar. Approximately eighty-five percent of the students at Dyer receive free and reduced-price breakfast and lunch.

Because of the worsening economy, many of these families are lacking many basic home necessities. For that reason, Dyer is having a **Basic Needs Drive from**

Monday, October 19 through Monday November 16.

I have included a list of items of needed below.

If you are able to make a donation, please contact Kristin Ingram-Worthman at ingramworthman@gmail.com or Patty Lopez, Dyer's outreach consultant at (818) 367-1758. Donations of any size are greatly appreciated. Dyer Elementary will provide you with a tax id number for tax deduction purposes if your donation is one hundred dollars or more.

Items of need:

- 1. Toothpaste**
- 2. Toothbrushes**
- 3. Toilet paper**
- 4. Baby powder**
- 5. Body soap**
- 6. Dish soap**
- 7. Shampoo**
- 8. Conditioner**
- 9. Deodorant**
- 10. Feminine products**
- 11. Cotton balls**
- 12. Q tips**
- 13. Razors**
- 14. Shaving cream**
- 15. Body lotion**
- 16. Diapers**
- 17. Baby wipes**
- 18. Laundry detergent boxes**
- 19. Small zip lock bags**

Thank you for your anticipated support.

Sincerely,

Kristin Ingram-Worthman
Educator

