



STEP UP and reduce barriers for students in Red Deer Public Schools. The Foundation creates life chances that allow students to achieve their personal best!

Gift Catalogue

Will you join us in helping a child in need?



EQUITY IS ABOUT FAIRNESS

Every day hundreds of students show up to school without basic necessities. Together we can reduce barriers and give students the step up they need. STEP UP will provide basic necessities for students who go without...things like food, clothing, medical needs and transportation. Those needs are real and have a significant impact on students, their learning and future success.

In Red Deer Public Schools approximately 8% of students live below the poverty line and require basic needs. Through **The Step Up Gift Catalogue**, your donation can make a huge impact in the academic success and in the everyday lives of these students.

What does your gift mean?

\$25



Learning Booster

Alex may not have eaten dinner the night before or breakfast in the morning. A \$25 gift provides snacks in the classroom for students like Alex.

\$50



Getting In The Game

Chloe sits on the sidelines because she has blown the toes out of her sneakers. A \$50 gift gives a student like Chloe essential running shoes and sportswear.

\$100



Clothes For All Seasons

Jamil is growing faster than his family can keep up with. A \$100 gift gives a student like Jamil these basic necessities during the school year.

\$250



Breakfast or Lunch

Adrian comes to school most days with an empty stomach. A \$250 gift gives a student like Adrian breakfast or lunch for the school year.

\$500



Essential Transportation

Morgan can't get to school without a bus pass. A \$500 gift gives a student like Morgan necessary transportation for the school year.

\$?



Area of Greatest Need

Brandon, April and Chris have other real needs. Any donation is gratefully welcomed and the District will allocate those funds to the greatest need.

One donation helps students across Red Deer Public Schools.

The needs are real, immediate and local - so is the impact of your gifts!

Families in our District are doing the best they can. Life can be tough and it's our job to 'STEP UP'. Students in need are those who may have barriers that are blocking them from achieving success in our schools. STEP UP provides funds to cover basic necessities that many students across the District go without like food, clothing medical needs and transportation.

How to give

Donating is easy! To donate online, visit our website at <http://www.rdpsd.ab.ca/Donate.php> or drop off a cheque, payable to The Foundation for Red Deer Public Schools, or cash at any Red Deer Public School.

Charitable receipts are available for donations of \$25 or more.

For further information, please call 403-342-3751.

The Step Up Student Equity Fund is a project of The Foundation for Red Deer Public Schools.