

Include a Note of Encouragement

A guide to writing notes to students.

As part of your “Kits for a Cause” build event, feel free to include a note of encouragement to students that will be receiving the kits. Print the second page of this document or use 3x5 index cards for easy note-making. **Please encourage your group to take their time writing their notes.** Each note is truly valued by the teachers and, specifically, the child that receives the kit. The notes are often kept long after the supplies have been used as a reminder that someone took time to provide them with supplies and let the students know someone in the community cares about them.

Tips

- Read a sample note of encouragement to give participants an idea of what to write.
- Provide a template of pre-written notes or poems for those who don't know what to write.
- Please refrain from using any religious verses or sayings as we serve a group of diverse students and teachers with many different beliefs.
- Keep the note light and encouraging! Let the student know that with hard work, anything is possible!



Samples

Thank you for putting that smile on your face today.
You are smart, fun, and bound for greatness!
I am so proud of you!
You are an EXCEPTIONAL student!
Believe in yourself.
Confidence looks good on you.
You are perfect just the way you are.
Your bravery and courage ROARS!
You are a SNAPPY problem solver!
You are changing the world.
Success comes when you work hard.
Mistakes help you learn and grow.
You've got this!
What a superstar you are.
Nothing can stop you now.
You are a creative thinker.

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