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GIFT CATALOGUE

As the holiday season has just passed, many of us have spent money on giving gifts to loved ones. While this is customary in developed nations such as ours, this is a luxury that many cannot afford in developing nations. Even gifts that may be considered necessities may not be available for purchase. To help support families and communities worldwide, World Vision provides a gift catalogue with an assortment of gifts that can make a significant difference in the lives of children and communities.

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THE IMPACT

Every gift from the gift catalogue has the potential to make a meaningful impact on the lives of everyone in a community. These gifts keep on giving. For example, chickens provide eggs daily, goats provide milk and cheese for years to come, and school supplies mean a better education for life. But it isn't just about a chicken, or pencils or a goat, it's about giving hope and lasting change. In 2014, more than 150 000 Canadians bought gifts from the gift catalogue that helped over 174 000 children and families in over 50 countries. The important aspect of many of these gifts is that they can provide many communities with a source of income that enables them to develop financial independence as well as the means to support others in their community.







HOW TO GET INVOLVED:

- There are a variety of gifts that are available for purchase on the World Vision site
- Gifts are categorized based on necessity, those that multiply in value, animals, health, education etc.
- People can also participate in gift catalogues in groups by buying multiple gifts or supporting other projects like water projects, anti-trafficking projects and girls' education
- If you are interested, go online at https://donate.worldvision.ca/pages/gi ft-catalogue and choose a gift that you feel can have a meaningful impact

University of Ottawa World Vision Mission:

To operate a student run non-profit organization that raises awareness of the injustices in the world and organizes funds to support these causes in conjunction with the campaigns of World Vision Canada.

UPCOMING EVENTS

30 HOUR FAMINE

- Date: January 17, 2020 6pm to January 18, 2020 7am
- Location: Registration and opening remarks will occur in CRX 308 and the rest of the exhilarating night will be in UCU Terminus!
- Download and sign this waiver form and send it to worldvision.uo@gmail.com https://www.worldvision.ca/WorldVision Canada/media/30HF/30HR-Famine Waiver.pdf



INFO:

 The 30 Hour Famine is a campaign aimed at increasing awareness on global hunger and raise funds to help families in need, to create sustainable food solutions. It will be a fun filled night full of games, prizes and the chance to learn more about how you can help in striving towards a hunger free world!

HOW TO SIGN UP:

- https://worldvisioncan.akaraisin.com/30H rFamine/uOttawaWV
- Click on "Join Team". Follow instructions. Once you have created your page, you need to raise a minimum of \$15 as an individual to participate or \$10 per person in a group! You can also share the page with people you know and they can donate to your page as well!

We hope you had a wonderful holiday and we wish you a Happy New Year with new beginnings!



