

MAM Book & Backpack Drive

Books, books and more books! The MAM AMPS (Alliance of MAM Young Professionals) are conducting a drive to collect new or gently used books, backpacks and flash cards for children ages 3-14 to benefit MAM families.

Please bring your new or gently used books, backpacks and flashcards and drop them off at MAM in one of the designated collection receptacles between April 1st and May 15th, 2012. The MAM AMPS will take care of the rest. The items will be sorted and distributed to families on June 16th 2012.

Books and flash cards should be in good condition without torn pages or writing. Please - no magazines, textbooks, outdated non-fiction, encyclopedias, reference books or coloring books. Backpacks should be in good condition with no holes, writing and emptied of its contents.

It is our goal to encourage the families we serve to see the importance of reading and to promote the development of tomorrow's future leaders.

Did you know??

- According to the Reach Out and Read National Data Center, Texas ranks 49 out of 51 among the states of daily reading rates to young children.
- A child needs reading in order to master most other school subjects (ex: math, word problems, science)
- The more a child reads at home, the more successful they are in school.

Drop Off Locations:

Memorial Assistance Ministries
1625 Blalock Road
Houston, TX 77080

Others TBD

We appreciate your generosity! If you wish to pledge to other charitable programs at MAM, you can visit us at www.maministries.org/donate. For more information on giving, please contact pcroke@maministries.org.

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