



NONPROFIT

Child Development Academy

DIY PROJECT

Book Drive

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## IMPACT

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The Child Development Academy (CDA) focuses on low-income, working families in our community. Every day, CDA serves 152 children (ages 12 months to 5 years) in their full-day, early care education programs, including three Georgia Pre-K classes. Your small group can help CDA by supplying some books to aid in the education of these children.

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## INSTRUCTIONS

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**STEP 1:** As a group, spend some time learning about the Child Development Academy and the families they serve. Their website ([www.cdakids.org](http://www.cdakids.org)) is a good place to start.

**STEP 2:** Review the shopping list below. Please focus on getting new items.

**STEP 3:** Discuss how your group will collect or purchase together the needed items. Feel free to invite others (neighbors, co-workers, etc.) to donate as well.

**STEP 4:** Gather your donated items and meet as a group to spend some time praying for the families that will receive the items.

**STEP 5:** Donations can be dropped off Monday through Friday, from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**STEP 6:** Let us know how it goes! Please give us your feedback by filling out this [form](#) so we can continue to improve your small group *Serve Together* experience.

### NOTES:

**Shopping List:** The needed books are for toddlers (about colors or shapes)\* and preschoolers (about science, weather, animals, healthy practices)\*. Having multicultural books are a plus.

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## FUN IDEAS

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- Plan a date to shop for your donations together and get ice cream or lunch afterwards.
- Include your kids by asking them to decorate a brown paper bag to place the snack inside.
- Take pictures and post them to social media using #GiveServeLove.

