

STUFF THE BUS BOOK DRIVE FAQs



What is Stuff the Bus Book Drive? Stuff the Bus Book Drive is United Way of the National Capital Area's annual call on the community to help provide NEW books to ensure low-income middle school students have access to the grade-appropriate books they need to advance their reading skills and improve academic outcomes.

Q: When is the book drive?

A: Stuff the Bus Book Drive is scheduled for January 2 - January 31, 2020.

Q: How many books are needed?

A: The 2020 book drive goal is 5,000 NEW books.

Q: Can I donate used books?

A: United Way NCA works with our community schools across the region to access the needs of the school and the students. To meet their needs and provide the much needed resources, the book drive focuses on collecting new books.

Q: How can I participate in the book drive?

A: You can participate in the book drive as an individual or as part of a group. Visit UnitedWayNCA.org/bookdrive to learn more and access all the information on Stuff the Bus Book Drive.

Q: Who will receive the books?

A: Books will go to low-income middle school students at our community schools across the region so that they have access to the grade-appropriate books they need to advance their reading skills and improve academic outcomes.

Q: What if I have a busy schedule, but would like to participate?

A: No worries. You can make a [donation](#) and we'll take care of the shopping for you!

Q: How much are the books?

A: On average, book prices range between \$6.00 - \$15.00 per book. For as little as \$30 you can supply 5 students with a new book.

Q: How can I share with friends and family about the book drive?

A: We are delighted that you want to help us get the word out. Feel free to send friends and family the Stuff the Bus website link UnitedWayNCA.org/bookdrive. Also, share and post pictures to show your individual or group's progress on social by using #STBBookDrive and tagging [@UWNCA](#) on Twitter and [@UnitedWayNCA](#) on Facebook.

FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT STUFF THE BUS BOOK DRIVE:

Contact our Volunteer Engagement team at volunteer@uwnca.org.