





Drop-off Location Hosts





Core Task of a Host: Creates an environment where each donor feels encouraged and more connected to what God is doing within their community and around the world through Operation Christmas Child.


Responsibilities of a Host:


 **Welcome:** Joyfully receives each donor and provides a positive, Gospel-oriented experience at the drop-off location.

 **Gather Data:** Helps donors complete a drop-off form, preferably digitally, while the unloader brings in the shoebox gifts.

 **Collect:** Receives the shoebox gifts from the donor and unloader, being careful to keep the integrity of the shoeboxes by not removing or adding anything from them.

 **Connect:** Becomes better acquainted with the donor, offering refreshments if available. As appropriate, shares about the journey of a shoebox, *The Greatest Journey*, or year-round Operation Christmas Child volunteer opportunities.

 **Affirm:** Offers the donor a thank you note, sticker, and/or year-round recruitment card, affirming them for investing in the life of a child.

 **Pray:** Offers to pray with each donor, asking if they would like to share any prayer needs.

"Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven."

—MATTHEW 5:16