

YTIA PREPARE-A-YOUTH PROGRAM

“Bridging the Gap for Youths Leaving Foster Care”

For the past several years, PAL is kind enough to include our “Prepare-A-Youth” form with their invitation to the PAL Graduation Dinner (which YTIA co-sponsors). We are not part of PAL, but we work with PAL. Through our “Prepare-A-Youth” we hope to provide a special gift, or gifts, to make life a little bit easier for youths who have decided to leave care. Please take a few minutes to fill out this form and then return it to YTIA so that we can see how we can fulfill your “wishes”. We do our best to provide those items to you during the summer so we need a “good” contact number or email. Thanks.

Youth Name: _____
Please print clearly

Phone No.: _____ **E-mail:** _____

Age: _____ **Graduating:** ____ Spring 2020 / ____ Fall 2020

Caseworker’s Name/Phone Number: _____

(PLEASE NOTE: If your contact information changes, you MUST notify YTIA via email: ytia2009@gmail.com so that we can ensure that you receive whatever items you are awarded.)

This year, as I graduate from high school and prepare to live on my own, I think that I could really use the items listed below to help me as I leave foster care so that I can be more independent (*in order of importance*):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

Examples: clothes, shoes, backpack, pots and pans, microwave, printer, etc.

Please return to: **YTIA**, Post Office Box 29256, San Antonio, Texas 78229

If you have any questions, please call (210) 256-1888 or e-mail: ytia2009@gmail.com.

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

Date form received: _____ Date youth contacted: _____

Youth Acknowledgement: “On _____, I received the following items from YTIA: _____”.

Youth signature: _____