## 11/9/2020 GIFTS FROM THE HEART TOY DRIVE

As you know, the Gifts from the Heart program has been an SIS tradition. Tonya, the coordinator at Sac County, reached out to me to see if we could help out.

Their request is a bit different this year but provides us with a wonderful and easy way to help. Rather than adopting foster children, they are in need of new toys for their Santa Shop. Here's the note from Tonja:

We are always in need of toys for our Santa Shop, which provides gifts for children entering the CPS system closest to the holidays. With the pandemic, we've set up registries for the Santa Shop on Amazon, Target and Walmart. I've attached the Easy Instructions with links to each registry. We are definitely low on those gifts this year!

If you'd like to donate new toys to the Santa Shop, it's very easy to do:

- 1. Go to the registry link for WalMart, Target or Amazon.
- 2. Follow the instructions below.
- 3. Your gifts will be sent directly to the Santa Shop warehouse.

**Online gifts need to be received by November 25th** so it's probably safe to say that you should order by November 20th.

If you participate, please send me an email to let me know. No need to tell me what you purchased or how much was spent.

This is such a wonderful way to help out foster children. With the pandemic, they are more in need than ever.

If you have any questions, feel free to call or email.

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