

**C-FB Council of PTA's Clothes Closet**  
**A Non-Profit Organization Building the Self-Esteem of Our Children**

**DID YOU KNOW?**

**In the 2008-2009 school year, we had 318 referral families to the Clothes Closet. We helped clothe 1074 children from our community.**

**Which means....**

- ☺ We gave out 5370 pairs of socks.
- ☺ We gave out 5370 pairs of underwear.
- ☺ We gave out 1368 new uniforms (tops and bottoms) AND over 4000 non-uniform outfits!
- ☺ We gave out over 1000 winter coats / jackets
- ☺ AND this does not include the parents!

**Who We Are...**

- \* We are a Carrollton-Farmers Branch PTA Council community service project that provides gently used clothing to families in need

**What We Provide...**

- \* Coats or Jackets for each immediate member of the family
- \* New Socks, Underwear, New/Gently Used Uniforms (children only) and Clothing (all family members)
- \* Shoes are available for school age children

**How We Operate...**

**We are supported by the local PTAs, people, businesses, civic organizations and churches in the Carrollton—Farmers Branch ISD Community**

- ⇒ Monetary donations
- ⇒ Clothing donations
- ⇒ Sock and Underwear Drives
- ⇒ Used Coat/Jacket Drives
- ⇒ Volunteer Hours (No one is paid for any work)



**How is a Family Referred?**

- \* Counselor, Teacher, Principal referrals
- \* CIS referrals (Communities in School)

**We follow strict guidelines...**

- \* Clients are only allowed to visit twice a school year, no more than two years in a row,
- \* Clients have 1 hour to select clothing and must follow limits on amount of clothing allowed per person,
- \* All clients MUST have a referral form from an authorized school district agent.

**How YOU Can Help:**

- \* Collect, Fold & Sort Clothing
- \* Collect Monetary Donations
- \* Donate Gently Used Clothing, especially school uniforms
- \* Donate new Socks & Underwear
- \* Promote School-Wide New Sock & Underwear Drives
- \* Organize a Coat/Sock/Underwear Drive at a local business or other organization in Carrollton, Farmers Branch, Dallas, Addison, Coppell, Irving or Las Colinas
- \* Serve as a translator on workdays

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**DID YOU KNOW THAT WITHOUT YOUR SUPPORT, WE COULDN'T HELP THESE CHILDREN?**