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"Partnerships inspiring educational achievement and developing community success to enrich the lives of our children"

Needs Met from BF's Facebook Page

- Cap and Gown needed for a senior graduation, cost \$40.05-donated by Cynthia Bennett
- Adult blood pressure cuff for a child with health issues-donated by Dirks Chiropractic (a partner)
- Mattress and box springs needed for a child-donated by Phillips Wright Furniture
- A pair of eyeglasses for a student-donated by My Eye Dr.
- A pair of shoes size 8.5 and socks-donated by a caring citizen.
- A pair of shoes for a child with cerebral palsy-donated by a citizen from Richmond, VA.
- Clothes for a family with several children who had a house fire-donated by various caring citizens
- Support for a child's family with several health issues-donated by dozens of caring citizens
- Coat and gloves donated for a child who didn't have any-donated by a citizen in Alamance County
- Pants and sneakers for a student who was in need-donated by various caring citizens
- A car seat for a student who had a baby and needed one to leave the hospital-donated by a caring citizens





If you have a student who has a basic need, (for example - clothes, shoes, school supplies, etc) and this need cannot be met through resources that are already in place (example – clothes closet, church partners, etc.) Bright Futures can help. You should work with your guidance counselor who will contact Nicole Howard at Central Services regarding the need. If the need can't be met through resources that are already in place, a Need Request Form will be sent to the Chamber of Commerce (need request forms are anonymous) and we will post the need on our Bright Futures Facebook Page. The goal is for needs to be met in 24 hours. If your guidance counselor is not available please feel free to contact Nicole directly –nhoward@beaufort.k12.nc.us or 946-6593.

Recent Partnerships Update

Part of Bright Futures Beaufort County's mission is partner each school in our district with at least one business and faith based organization that will support different projects at each school. Here is the list of partnerships to date:

Vidant Beaufort Hospital and Christ Church partnering with Eastern Elementary

First South Bank and Church of the Good Shepherd with Washington High School

Union Chapel Free Will Baptist Church with Chocowinity Middle School

First Baptist Church—Ed Tech

Campbell's Creek UMC, St. Peter's Ministries & St. Pauls AME Zion Church with Snowden Elementary

Kona Ice, My Eye Dr., Dirks Chiropractic, Pungo Christian Academy

If you know of a business or church that is interested in partnering with a school, please call Robin at 946-9168.

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