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- folders
- glue
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- scissors (safety & sharp)
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- construction paper
- book bags
- crayons
- coloring books
- drawing pad
- pencil cases
- washable markers
- 3 ring binders
- index cards
- rulers
- facial tissue
- hand sanitizer
- assignment books
- composition notebooks
- subject dividers
- colored pencils
- graph paper
- highlighters
- USB flash drives
- white out
- pocket dictionaries/thesauruses
- TI-34 calculators/TI-84 calculators
- weekly planners

Backpacks are especially needed!

Things to Remember:

1. Supplies will be distributed to K-12 boys and girls, including children most in need in Paterson's schools, as well as children of CUMAC's staff and Pathways to Work participants.
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