



TABLE TALK

Activity Discussion Guide Backpacks for Hope

What are we doing?

We are taking donated school supplies and stuffing backpacks to be distributed to children staying in domestic violence shelters across the state, just in time for school to start!

Why are we doing this activity?

The Texas Advocacy Project is an important organization that helps to support children and families affected by domestic violence. This will save them time and effort and will help get more backpacks to children. It's important to help others that need help. And, not just people we know, but those people we don't know, too. These backpacks with hopefully brighten the day for people at the shelter who are going through a hard time.

What will we be learning?

- More about The Texas Advocacy Project
- Following directions
- Working as a team
- Helping others can be fun!

What is a volunteer?

A volunteer is someone who gives their time, effort and talent to a need without being paid money. Volunteers help build strong communities.

What do you think?

Get your child's thoughts on the activity before and afterward – what else did he/she learn or observe? Did he/she enjoy it? Would he/she do it again? What was the best part of the activity for him/her?