



Vernon Hills High School FIRST CLASS



Adopt-A-Family

11/16/2011

Materials: PowerPoint which includes a video, family wish list

Goal: Explain the Adopt-A-Family event, introduce wish lists, and organize shopping

Access: Experiences with Adopt-a-Family

- Leaders in freshmen classes: Briefly explain what Adopt-A-Family is and share how you have participated in the past
- Leaders in other classes: Ask students to share how they have participated in Adopt-a-Family

New Information: VIDEO/ POWERPOINT

Application of new information: Adopt-a-Family 2011

- Important dates
 - Wed Nov 16 wish lists given out
 - Wed Nov 23; Wed Dec 1, Wed Dec 7 status check
 - Wed Dec 14 all gifts due
 - Thurs Dec 15 Adopt-A-Family party, 4:30-7:30 p.m. foyer
- Divide class into even groups according to the number of family members (No less than 3 people in a group)
- Distribute family wish lists.
 - NOTE: new guidelines below
 - Classes will purchase gifts for children age 0-18 only
 - Each family has requested:
 - DVD,
 - family board game
 - gift card to grocery store or other area retailers
 - No electronics. Exceptions: educational toys or games for family's own video game system
- Discuss gift ideas and shopping plans

Goal: Get people involved to help make the holidays special for a family.

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