

## Key Project A: A Friend in Need

## (1) (a) (Suggested Answers)

- Have Ss work in groups. Have them: ask neighbours and friends to give what they can to help keep the shelter open.
- Ask the local newspaper to put an article in the paper telling everyone where they can send money to help.
- Try to find used clothing. Put up posters in neighbourhoods telling people where they can take clothes they don't need anymore. Ask for blankets, too.
- Ask local markets to donate free food as often as they can.
- If you can, spend some of your time reading the newspaper to the elderly at the shelter or taking them for short walks.

## **(b)** (Suggested Answers)

- Say "hello", give him your name and say, "Welcome to our school!"
- Bring your friends to meet him.
- Ask him to join you and some classmates in an after school activity.
- Show him around your school and tell him that if he needs any help he can always ask you.
- Ask him about himself and if he likes some of the things you and your friends do. Then ask him to join you in those kinds of activities.

For example, if you both like making scale models, show him the ones you've made. Show him where the local hobby shop is so that he'll know where to get model kits. Or, if he likes playing your favourite sport, take him with you to the next game. Tell the coach, if he is interested in trying out for the team.

## (2) (a) (Suggested Answers)

- Have a holiday bazaar once or twice a year, with the help of your school. Have it in your school gym, cafeteria or auditorium.
- Bring used clothing and other things from home, which you and your family don't need anymore, and sell them at low prices.
- Give the money you get for them to a charity or homeless shelter.
- Make posters or a banner to tell students and the town about the bazaar and ask them to help.
- Ask your parents to make some sweets and / or snacks to sell, too.

- **(b)** Work together with other children from your class to do things around the neighbourhood. Form groups of five or six so that each group can take on a different job.
  - Start recycling. Go around your neighbourhood and ask for litter that can be recycled, such as empty tins, glass or paper. Then take everything to the recycling bank.
  - Offer to help your neighbours with things around the house. You can help with cleaning, gardening, shopping or even painting and building.
  - Take their pet out for a walk and look after it.