Wishes Can Continue to Come True!

While travel is not possible right now, there are so many wishes that we can continue to grant – even amid all the uncertainty of the COVID-19 virus. While there have been disruptions to parts of the wish journey, we believe that we can continue to create life-changing experiences for so many of our wish kids! Below is a list of wishes that Make-A-Wish® Metro New York and Western New York can proactively work on at this time. If a wish child is excited about any of these ideas, we are ready to get started and bring them joy during this uncertain time.

Please note that the timing of wishes listed below is not guaranteed, but we are excited to move ahead in potential planning and granting of these wish types!





ELECTRONICS & COMPUTERS

GAMING COMPUTER – We can deliver all the essentials for a wish kid's gaming system directly to the wish family. If assistance is needed, we can work to organize a virtual visit from a tech guru for help.

COMPUTER (LAPTOP/IPAD) – Enjoy the fun of a new tablet or computer.

IPHONE & ACCESSORIES – Stay connected to others with a new phone and accessories.

HOME ENTERTAINMENT – Kick back and enjoy a favorite movie or show with new home entertainment systems, like a new TV!

HEADSET TECHNOLOGY – Help a wish child travel to their favorite places, virtually!

You can help create exciting alternate environments with a virtual reality headset and games!



<u>VIRTUAL SHOPPING SPREE</u> - We can provide the wish child with a debit card so they can buy whatever they want online from the safety of their home!

<u>"TO HAVE" ITEMS</u>-Make-A-Wish can also purchase items directly if the wish child creates a shopping list for us, and we can have everything shipped to the home.



EDUCATION

TUITION - Education wishes are a great wish type we can continue working on. Whether it's online classes or payments to their school, we can help with a child's desire to learn.

ANIMAL WISHES

PETS - We can begin working to grant a child's wish to have a new companion at home!





PHILANTHROPIC/TO GIVE

Let's explore your child's wish **TO GIVE!**

GIFT WISHES IDEA

RIDING TOYS – Power Wheels for younger kids along with scooters or bikes for any age can be sent directly to a family's home.

TOYS/BOOKS – Enjoy a new toy or books that can be sent directly to a wish child.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS – Jam out with a new musical instrument!

SPORTING EQUIPMENT - Make-A-Wish can purchase sporting equipment to be sent directly to a wish child to enjoy!

ROOM MAKEOVER WISHES

Make-A-Wish can provide wish kids with items, décor, and furniture to customize their space! We can have their chosen items delivered directly to the home.

OUTDOOR STRUCTURES/PLAYSETS/POOLS & HOT TUBS

Enjoy fun outdoors with a wish request for a playhouse, outdoor play equipment or above-ground pool.

CAMPER/TRAILER WISHES

If a child wishes to have a pull-behind camper/trailer, we are ready to begin this process to find a great fit!

ADAPTIVE EQUIPMENT

The office can consider wishes such as adaptive medical beds, wheelchairs, bikes, swings, communication equipment, etc.

LOCAL - STAYCATION

Bring the vacation home! For an at-home wish experience, you can have everything delivered to the family's front door for an exciting vacation in the comfort and safety of a wish child's home.

VIRTUAL CELEBRITY WISHES

A virtual wish can be pursued in place of an in-person experience, should travel not be possible or preferred.









