



Bag-Decorating Guidelines

When making bags, please:

- **DO NOT SAY “GET WELL SOON”** – many of the children we serve have terminal or chronic conditions and may not get well.
- **DO NOT HAVE ANY RELIGIOUS MESSAGES --**
Our program reaches children of many different religious backgrounds.
- **Make your bags BRIGHT, BOLD, SILLY, AND CHEERY.**
- **Use FUNNY or ENCOURAGING SAYINGS!**
- **Make bags for both Boys and Girls -- or better yet, bags for either.**
- **Make bags that work any time of year – stay away from holiday or seasonal bags.**

Thank you for following these instructions and for helping us to send smiles to hospitalized children!