



## **Josimah Baby Bank How to Make a Fantastic Donation**

### **Clothes:**

We do not accept items with a drawstring around the neck

Check for loose buttons or missing buttons and other items that may fall off

No marks, fading or discolour

Tears or rips

Broken zips

Bedding and beds - do not include mattresses:

### **Sleeping aid**

Cot beds - need to include the assembly instructions, along with all the fittings in a bag connected to the frame

Sheets to be stain and bobble free

### **Travel systems**

Ensure they are clean, including removing all items from the basket

Have all the attachments included

Complies with BS EN 1888 - see our Regulation guidance

### **Children's toys:**

All children's toys must meet strict safety requirements, whether they are new or second-hand. All new toys are required to bear a CE mark, or the Lion Mark which is a declaration that the toy complies with safety requirements.

When we receive a second-hand toy, whether CE marked or not, it needs to be inspected using the Toy Quality Checklist before going out to a family or to sell in our charity shop.

Check that they are:

Complete

Not broken or loose

Safe to use

**Books:**

Need to be in good condition

No rips to the pages, tears or stains

**Miscellaneous:**

Bottles to have the lids but not the teats and not to be heavily stained.

Feeding bibs and accessories not be ripped or stained. Able to secure baby's neck.

Please see our guidelines and policy for information on what to check when making a donation of the following items:

- Pushchairs/buggies/travel systems
- Cots and cot beds
- Highchairs