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As times are getting harder for those in our communities, Sierra Sage Treatment Center students have found more reason to participate in community service to help those in need. Striving to earn her Leader Mentor status, Esme thought long and hard about how she could best help at risk youth. Esme's Backpack Buddies emerged, with the goal of gathering donations to create 20 backpacks full of essential items to distribute to local homeless.

"I've had experiences being homeless and alone. It is primitive, scary and draining. Usually, when you are forced into this position, it is because you are really struggling. I wish I was in the position to do more, but for now, I would like to ask for your help in assisting others who have experienced the same struggles. By creating 20 backpacks with essential items, we can help a small portion of the community to get through these tough times."

-Esme
