



# Materials for the Arts

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## Alternative Donation Resources

Organization	Accepted Items	Focus	Website
Big Reuse	Building materials, furniture, home decor, electronics, and more	Diverting waste from landfills by salvaging usable materials for resale and reuse	<a href="http://bigreuse.org">bigreuse.org</a>
Housing Works	Clothing, furniture, home decor, books, and art	Helping those living with and affected by HIV/AIDS through advocacy, services, and donations	<a href="http://housingworks.org">housingworks.org</a>
DonateNYC	Various materials, including textiles, furniture, electronics, and more	Reuse network for nonprofits and businesses, providing resources for finding homes for excess goods	<a href="http://donateNYC">donateNYC</a>
The Bowery Mission	Clothing, toiletries, and food items	Helping individuals in need by providing basic necessities, meals, and rehabilitation programs	<a href="http://bowery.org">bowery.org</a>
Room to Grow	Baby and toddler clothing, toys, books, and gear (0–3 years old)	Supporting low-income families with essential items for young children	<a href="http://roomtogrow.org">roomtogrow.org</a>
Bottomless Closet NYC	Professional attire and accessories for women	Providing clothing and job-readiness training to women in need	<a href="http://bottomlessclosetnyc.org">bottomlessclosetnyc.org</a>
Remix Market	Furniture, home decor, art, lighting, rugs, and small appliances	Giving items a second life through resale or donation to other nonprofits	<a href="http://remixmarket.com">remixmarket.com</a>
Goodwill NY/NJ	Clothing, electronics, household items, books, and furniture	Supporting employment and job training programs through the sale of donated items	<a href="http://goodwillnynj.org">goodwillnynj.org</a>
The Salvation Army	Clothing, furniture, household goods, electronics, and cars	Rehabilitation programs and supporting various charitable causes	<a href="http://salvationarmyusa.org">salvationarmyusa.org</a>
Habitat for Humanity ReStore	Building materials, furniture, appliances, and home decor	Selling donated goods to raise funds for Habitat's affordable housing projects	<a href="http://habitatnyc.org/restore">habitatnyc.org/restore</a>
GrowNYC Stop N Swap	Gently used clothing, housewares, games, books, and more	Free events to encourage waste reduction and promote community reuse	<a href="http://gownyc.org">gownyc.org</a>
City Opera Thrift Shop	Furniture, clothing, art, and decor	Supporting the New York City Opera with proceeds from donated goods	<a href="http://cityoperathriftshop.org">cityoperathriftshop.org</a>
Hour Children	Clothing, furniture, and household items	Supporting incarcerated and formerly incarcerated women and their children	<a href="http://hourchildren.org">hourchildren.org</a>