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Students gather donations for Crisis Nursery

The Florissant Valley Chapter of the National Society of Black Engineers recently donated a variety of items to.

The effort was part of the Drive for the Common Good, in which all student organizations at St. Louis Community College at Florissant Valley spent two days gathering donations for St. Louis-area charitable organizations.



Michael Ramkhelawan, a member of the society, along with fellow engineering student Eric Barsh, brought the group's donations to the Crisis Nursery. Ramkhelawan had learned of Crisis Nursery from some of his peers and found a wish list of items on the agency's web site.

Based on the list, the society collected diapers, pull-ups, clothes, underwear, socks, baby wipes and toys for children staying at Crisis Nursery.

Chapter members also have signed up to volunteer at the Crisis Nursery.

St. Louis Crisis Nursery is a nonprofit organization that provides a safe place to stay for children whose families are in crisis.