



### **Collection and sending of goods / Completed**

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One of the opportunities for urgent cooperation was the need to send goods to Angola, São Tomé e Príncipe and Guinea-Bissau.

With the collaboration of families, young people and children who offer books, school material, clothes, shoes, toys, etc, these goods are sent to those communities in a way that avoids a patronising relationship which may hurt those who receive the goods or which may generate dependency, demands or expectations towards those who provide material.

In Angola, several families from Luanda coordinate and distribute the donations in Luanda, Huambo and Lubango.

Around 1000 kgs of school material (notebooks, books, pencils, pens, paper, etc) were sent to São Tomé e Príncipe and a national NGO, Fundação Solidariedade, was in charge of distributing them among children from primary schools.

A container with school material and clothes was sent to Guinea-Bissau, in collaboration with Associação Guineense de Solidariedade Social.