

## **Suggested Bequest Language for your Legacy Giving to TeenSmart International**

Here is an example if you haven't created a will yet:

"I give, devise, and bequeath [amount, percentage, etc.] to TeenSmart International, EIN 20-0311647, for discretionary use as to the areas of greatest need, and on a schedule to be determined by TeenSmart International."

Also, you should know that if you already created and executed a will, there is always the possibility of a codicil.

A codicil is a legal document which can be used to make changes to an existing executed will.

Why should I create a codicil?

If you have a will (usually from an attorney) and do not want to have it updated to leave a gift to TeenSmart, you can create a codicil instead.

Sample wording for a codicil to make a gift to TeenSmart International

"I, (Person making the bequest), A RESIDENT OF THE County of (Fill in County Name), State of (Fill in State), declare that this is a codicil to my last will and testament, which is dated (Fill in date of last will and testament).

I add to Specific Gifts of said last will in the following manner:

I give, devise, and bequeath \$ (Fill in amount) to TeenSmart International (EIN: 20-0311647, address: 107 Applecart Way, Morrisville, NC 27560).

or its successor thereto, to be used for its general purposes. If TeenSmart International does not exist at the time of distribution of this gift, this gift shall lapse and be distributed as part of the remainder of my estate according to the provisions stated.

I hereby reaffirm and redeclare my said last will and testament dated (Fill in date of last will) in all respects other than those herein mentioned.