"Blankets of LOVE" November 22, 2017

(1/2 day before Thanksgiving)

<u>Purpose:</u> to work together as a community in support of Cranford High School's ^{8th} Annual School Wide Service Learning Project

Join us to make fleece blankets for cancer patients here in new Jersey.

Resource: http://www.instructables.com/id/No-Sew-Fleece-Blanket/

Plan: Each student purchases 2 yards of fleece. With a partner they will make 1 blanket. It will take about 20 minutes to complete.

Supplies Needed: 2 yards of fleece per side (for a total of 4 yards per blanket) **No Sewing involved**

Option A-class activity (in your room)

1. Each student, in your class, purchases and brings in 2 yards of fleece. Students get paired with another student in your class. We will send a team of experienced students to teach the class how to make the blankets.

2. Inform students of the activity and work together as a class collecting money and purchasing enough fabric for the class to make 5-6 blankets. Activity follows as #1 above. Fleece fabric can be purchased online (allow 3-4 weeks) or Joann fabrics. **Promotional code=TEACHER 1718.** Allow 1-2 weeks for delivery and it can be delivered here with your name on the box. You can also use tax exemption. CHS is already registered. Tax will come off if you mail to: Your name, Cranford High School, 201 West End Place Cranford NJ 07016

OR

Option B-allow students with 2 yards of fleece to come to the cafeteria and work with a partner to make a blanket. Student must sign up with you and receive your permission to be excused. Please use the attached sheet to indicate students who are interested and the period you will excuse them. We will need this sheet the week before. Students will need to show you the fleece on Nov 22nd and then you can dismiss them to the large cafeteria for the period. Students will be checked off the sign up sheet you give us and the times will be recorded. No student will be allowed in the cafeteria without fleece.

In Appreciation Barbara Narus, Quilting club Advisor Room A102 p.s. Please feel free to see any of us if you have questions or concerns. This is a wonderful opportunity for Thanksgiving.

Blankets of LOVE Sign up Sheet For students expressing an interest in making a blanket Return to NARUS by 11/20

Teacher_	Room
Period	Student you will allow to come to café on 11/22 with 2 yards of fleece

<u>Pl</u>ease give me a copy of this list by Monday November 20th. So we know how many students to expect or how many students you need to teach your class. Barbara Narus A102