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**The Virgin Islands Board of Education Announces
A Holiday Give-Away Event**

The 18th Virgin Islands Board of Education understands that although some time has passed since the devastating storms Irma and Maria, there are still many in the territory who are struggling to return to normalcy. In the spirit of the holidays, the VIBE would like to assist students and their parents by providing the tools students need for educational success.

The VIBE will like to invite the public to its Holiday Give-Away Event on December 15, 2018 at the VIBE's new Christiansted location at #6 King Street across from the Florence Williams Library. The event will be held in the courtyard of the VIBE's St. Croix office from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM, or while supplies last.

The Board will be providing students with school supplies such as pencils, pens, loose leaf paper, folders, notebooks and the like. As stakeholders in the education of our territory's children, the VIBE will continue to make efforts for the furtherance of their academic success, especially during the holiday season.

For additional information, please contact our offices at 340-774-4546 in St. Thomas, or at 340-772-4144 in St. Croix.

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MISSION STATEMENT

The Virgin Islands Board of Education is committed to its vision and will promote the transformation of the structure of existing public education through: 1. governance over the public education system; 2. improved student, parent, teacher relationship; 3. comprehensive community engagement; 4. standards that promote high academic achievement; 5. creation of an environment that is conducive to effective communication; 6. enhanced quality of professional development for all; 7. provision of adequate resources to achieve our vision, goals and objectives.

VISION STATEMENT

To ensure that each child is provided with the best quality education which promotes our history and culture, guarantees academic achievement and builds strong communities.