

## Celebrate your sponsored child's birthday

This a great way to help your family feel connected to the child you sponsor in Ecuador. Treat him/her like family and throw a birthday party in his/her honor.

Compassion recommends that you send birthday letters and financial gifts two months prior to the actual birthday so your sponsored child can receive them on or before their birthday.

But with the BIRTHDAY PARTY, we recommend you do that on their actual birthday. Take photos and send them on that date.

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- Party Hats
- Balloons (maybe even a large balloon with his/her name on it)
- Birthday Cake with candles
- Happy Birthday (Feliz Cumpleaños) Banner
- A large photo of your sponsored child, if possible, to have him/her in the party with you

Maybe make a BIG POSTER that says: "Happy Birthday, _	, We love you
	child's name
[in Spanish: Feliz Cumpleaños,	, Nosotros te amos!]

See sample on next page of a photo letter you can send to your sponsored child.

Compassion allows you to send up to 3 pages.







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