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When Was the Last Time You Said “That was Easy” about Holiday Shopping?

Staples Offers “Unexpected” Gift Ideas

Toronto, Ontario, 13-Nov-2006 – Part of the fun of holiday gift-giving is drawing on your creativity to come up with items that are unique, practical and tailor-made for that special someone on your list. But searching for such gifts often loses its appeal when you start dashing from store to store, swept up in the maze of harried shoppers.

At times like this, what you really need is a one-stop store that has loads of novel gift ideas for everyone on your list. This holiday season, that place is one you might not expect. It's Staples – as the following gift suggestions readily attest.

Tekkie Treasures

- **Canon® PowerShot A530 Digital Camera:** Bring Aunt Judy into the era of digital photography with the latest in digital imaging from Canon. It's perfect for capturing pictures and video in full color with 5.0 megapixels, a 1.8" LCD screen, 4x optical zoom and over 17 shooting modes.
- **Toshiba Satellite® A100-TA9 Laptop:** Made to measure for your globetrotting brother. It balances state-of-the art features with affordability in a sleek notebook design. Offers an Intel® Centrino® Core 2 Duo processor to help you get more done. With 2GB of fast DDR2 memory, and a mind-blowing 160GB SATA Hard-Drive, you will experience computing at its best!
- **Mio C310 Portable GPS:** If Uncle Frank refuses to stop for directions, help him out with the Mio C310 GPS receiver, which provides fast, accurate navigation in the most challenging locations. It has larger icons, clear voice instructions, a brighter display and a pre-loaded, ready-to-use map of Canada so you can get going right away. It even has an integrated MP3 player to keep you entertained on your trip.

- **The Apple iPods**, the world's most popular digital music players, are now available in Staples BD/BEG stores – and would be the “apple” of the eye of someone on your list. There's the all-new 1GB shuffle, the new iPod nano, with 2, 4, or 8GB capacity, and the 30GB and 80GB iPods that hold up to 20,000 songs, 25,000 photos, or up to 100 hours of video.

SIRIUS, your satellite radio source for 100% commercial-free music channels, is the gift that keeps on giving – perhaps for your dad, who enjoys politics, your mom, who's into jazz, entertainment, or diverse talk shows, your brothers and sisters, who enjoy music genres from hard rock to hip-hop. See our [channel guide](#) for all the details.

Gifts Galore

- **Staples Easy Button**: Got a long list to fill? Don't stress. Just pick up an Easy Button for every stocking. The perfect gift for anyone on your list!
- **Crayola Design Studio**: That 6-year-old niece who's a budding artist, will love this safe, easy-to-use, all in one station that's portable and allows kids to create detailed drawings with the supplied tools and design guides. The attractive kit includes washable markers, drawing paper, coloured pencils and a writing pen, all stored in the swing-out drawers.
- **Staples MailMate™ Shredder**: Perfect for people like Uncle Ernie who loathes junk mail and wants to guard against identity theft. Fits compactly in the kitchen or office. Powerful enough to shred 10 folded paper sheets, CDs, DVDs, credit cards, staples and small paper clips.
- **Staples Brand Micro Cut Shredder** is two-slotted - one for your papers and another for CDs DVDs and credit cards. No need to remove standard staples or paper clips before shredding. Micro cut for maximum security. Heavy-duty design for up to 100 uses per day. So quiet, you can shred while you talk on the phone!
- **Staples Photo Supreme Paper, 4" x 6", High Gloss, 100/Pack**: If that certain someone on your list has a digital camera or just happens to be getting a new one, here's your chance to give a timely gift, so they won't have to wait to print out their holiday photos.

For more information and holiday pricing please visit www.staples.ca