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Summertime has come and gone again and now it's that other time of year – back-to-school time! For kids, this often means hoping to find some trendy back-to-school clothes. We brought Franklin (you've met him awhile back on Wednesday's Child) to the Java Jean Bar in Anaheim Hills, CA to do some back-to-school couture shopping. Java Jean Bar owner Michelle Macis acted as Franklin's very own personal shopper for this shopping adventure.



Franklin was born in 1995 and we followed along with him two years ago when he attended a Los Angeles Kings game. Since that time he's met some families but is still waiting for the right family for him to step forward.

Franklin is still that easy-going, well-mannered kid that we met back in 2008 who still has a love for sports, music and dance. Since that time, Franklin's been keeping busy volunteering and coaching younger kids at his local Boys & Girls Club. He's also been keeping himself active in competitive soccer and basketball and really understands the need to be healthy in body and mind.





Since his last time on *Wednesday's Child*, Franklin was honored by the County of Los Angeles' Board of Supervisors for his efforts to help other foster children by speaking at foster and adoptive parent trainings about his experiences in foster care. While he continues to wait for his own adoptive family, Franklin continues to act on his desire to also help others.

On this particular day, we made sure that Franklin would be able to start his new school year with some new fashionable wear. While we were happy to fit Franklin with some back-to-school couture, what we are really looking forward to is finding the family that is the right fit for Franklin.



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