

# TOP TIPS FOR FUNDRAISING

## FUNDRAISING IDEAS FACTSHEET

You can have a lot of fun helping others! Here are some good fundraising ideas:

- **Non uniform day** - pay to go to school with no uniform
- **Fancy dress day** - pay to go to school in fancy dress
- **Second hand book sale** - take your old books to sell
- **Charity car wash** - wash your teachers'/friends' cars or bikes
- **Treasure map** - find hidden treasure on a map
- **Sponsored silence** - don't speak for 2 hours
- **Sponsored dance** - dance for 1 hour
- **Sponsored spell** - make sure the words are hard to spell!
- **Sponsored sing** - sing for as long as you can!
- **Table top sale** - sell your old toys (make sure they are not broken)
- **Home made cards and gift tags** - use recycled cards
- **Welly throwing** - how far can you throw a welly?
- **Wet sponge challenge** - throw a wet sponge at a teacher!
- **Line of pennies** - make a long line of coins with your spare money
- **Graffiti wall** - write something on a special wall (make sure it is polite)
- **Bike challenge** - obstacle course for cyclists
- **Home made cakes stall** - sell cakes made by you or your family

**Can you think of any more?**

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## NATIONAL CHARITIES FACTSHEET

## Some national charities you might like to support

British Red Cross  
[www.redcross.org.uk](http://www.redcross.org.uk)

Médecins Sans Frontières  
[www.msf.org](http://www.msf.org)

British Heart Foundation  
[www.bhf.org.uk](http://www.bhf.org.uk)

Cancer Research  
[www.cancerresearchuk.org](http://www.cancerresearchuk.org)

Salvation Army  
[www.salvationarmy.org](http://www.salvationarmy.org)

Oxfam  
[www.oxfam.org](http://www.oxfam.org)

Samaritans  
[www.samaritans.org](http://www.samaritans.org)

Child line  
[www.childline.org.uk](http://www.childline.org.uk)

National Society for the  
 Prevention of Cruelty to  
 Children (NSPCC)  
[www.nspcc.org.uk](http://www.nspcc.org.uk)

National Autistic Society  
[www.autism.org.uk](http://www.autism.org.uk)

National Deaf Children's  
 Society  
[www.ndcs.org.uk](http://www.ndcs.org.uk)

The Guide Dogs for the Blind  
 Association  
[www.guidedogs.org.uk](http://www.guidedogs.org.uk)

A charity that deals with the  
 important  
 issue of bullying  
[www.bullying.co.uk](http://www.bullying.co.uk)

Mind  
[www.mind.org.uk](http://www.mind.org.uk)

Mencap  
[www.mencap.org.uk](http://www.mencap.org.uk)

Age UK  
[www.ageuk.org.uk](http://www.ageuk.org.uk)

Royal Society for the  
 Protection of Birds (RSPB)  
[www.rspb.org.uk](http://www.rspb.org.uk)

Royal Society for the  
 Prevention of Cruelty to  
 Animals (RSPCA)  
[www.rspca.org.uk](http://www.rspca.org.uk)

Woodland Trust  
[www.woodlandtrust.org.uk](http://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk)

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## TEACHER PREPARATION TASK FACTSHEET

### Teacher Preparation Task

Write some of your local charities or current fundraising opportunities the children may like to support here.

(E.g. local hospice, animal shelter, school project, ecological or seasonal project)