

# A – Z of Fundraising

**A**

**Auction** - contact local shops and invite all your friends and family to a charity auction!

**Awareness Days** - coincide your event with International Childhood Cancer Day on the 15th February, or Childhood Cancer Awareness Month in September, for example!

**B**

**Bake Sale** - unleash your inner Mary Berry! Get baking and sell your creations in your office or at school.

**Bad Tie Day** - encourage everyone at work to sport the worst tie they can find and collect donations at the same time!

**C**

**Coffee Morning** - hold a Coffee Morning at work in exchange for donations! Why not combine with a bake sale to really maximise your total!

**Collections** - these are a fun and easy way to raise money for charity! [Contact us](#) to find out more!

**D**

**Dinner Party** - show off your culinary skills and invite all your friends to donate what they would pay in a restaurant.

**Dance** - hire a local venue and dance the night away, charging for entry. Why not up the ante and have a dance off competition as well?

**E**

**eBay for Charity** - sell any unwanted items on [eBay](#), and donate a percentage of your sales to charity!

**Easter Egg Hunt** - get children and adults involved and charge for entry!

**F**

**Five-a-side Football** - organise a match between friends or gather a number of five-a-side teams and host a tournament. Charge for participation and for some warm beverages for spectators!

**Fancy Dress** - dressing up can really attract attention and help you raise even more! Have a fancy-dress day in the office or be sponsored to dress up for the day!

**G**

**Give it up!** - can you not live without chocolate, coffee or cigarettes? Give your biggest vice up for a month, or even a year and be sponsored for it!

**Games Night** - whether its board or console games, host a night full of challenges with friends or colleagues.

**H**

**Hair Shave** - if you're feeling brave, why not shave your head to raise both money and awareness for children with cancer all over the world.

**Hamper** - create a hamper full of goodies and raffle or auction it off at your fundraising event!



**I** **International Day** - host an event, such as a dinner party, and showcase one of the countries [where we work](#).

**It's a Knockout!** - organise a grown-ups sports day, and provide an incentive by getting local businesses to donate prizes worth fighting for!

**J** **Jewellery Making** - follow in the footsteps of [mothers of children with cancer](#) in Ghana, and learn how to make jewellery, then sell it to all of your friends!

**Jumble Sale** - have a clear out at home and sell anything you don't need for charity!

**K** **Karaoke Night** - put those vocal chords to the test and get your friends together for a night of belting out the classics! Maybe you could even charge for ear plugs!

**Krispy Kreme Sale** - [Krispy Kreme](#) will sell doughnuts for a fantastic price if you're doing an event for charity!

**L** **Lunch and Learn** - get one of our speakers to attend a charity luncheon at work or home, and learn a bit more about what we do whilst enjoying great food!

**Loose Change** - collect your own, or encourage your office to get rid of any loose change. You'll be surprised at how much those pennies will add up!

**M** **Movie Night** - show off your extensive DVD collection and sell tickets to friends. You could even charge for popcorn and snacks!

**Marathon Events** - take a look on our [website](#) to see if we have any spaces in a marathon near you! If you can't find what you're looking for [contact us](#), or try for a ballot place and you can still fundraise for children with cancer!

**N** **Netball Tournament** - organise a match between friends or get even more people involved and host a tournament and charge for participation!

**O** **Obstacle Course** - take a look at the many challenge events on our [website](#), and sign up to take on a whole new kind of challenge!

**Orange Day** - showcase our official charity colour and dress in every possible orange item you can find!

**P** **Pancake Party** - host a pancake party on Shrove Tuesday. Include a pancake toss competition and pancake race and ask for donations for participating!

**Pyjama Party** - re-live the days of sleepovers and have a pamper evening in your pyjamas!

**Q** **Quiz Night** - a popular option for fundraising because it's fun and easy to organise. Contact your local pub for a venue and come up with a load of questions. Why not organise a raffle or auction off prizes to raise even more!



R

**Run** - take part in a running event near you, whether it's a 5K or a marathon. [Contact us](#) to find out about places in events for all abilities!

**Raffle** - contact local businesses and raffle off your findings at your event or as a stand-alone fundraiser. Need help finding prizes? [Contact us](#) for tips!

S

**Skydive** - get sponsored while ticking something off your bucket list in the ultimate challenge for any adrenaline-junkie! [Contact us](#) to find out more!

**Sweepstake** - is there a significant sporting event, such as a World Cup, coming up? Then why not have a family, friends, or office sweepstake?

T

**Tuck shop** - run your own tuck shop and donate your profits to children with cancer! Why not put a New Year spin on the idea and sell healthy snacks to everyone at work?

**Talent Show** - why not organise a talent show at your school? Raise money through ticket sales to the event!

U

**University Challenge** - challenge your rival school or university, or challenge different colleges and societies to take part in the ultimate academic quiz!

**Uniform Free Day** - dress down for the day and ditch your usual uniform. Charge everyone £1 to take part.

V

**Valentine's Day** - host a speed dating or singles night for your other single friends or even throw an alternative Valentine's Day event revolving around something else that you love.

W

**World Record Attempt** - have a go at breaking a world record, the wackier the better. Contact local press to get more support and publicity for your event!

**Walk** - is running not for you? Why not do a sponsored walk with your friends instead and get fit whilst raising money for charity!

X

**Xmas Fair** - organise a Christmas fair and donate all proceeds. Have a World Child Cancer stall with some of our merchandise and leaflets to spread the word about what we do!

Y

**Yoga-thon** - try your hand at teaching your own yoga class and charge your pupils a small fee for taking part.

**Year of challenges** - whether you set yourself one big yearlong challenge, or multiple challenges along the way, make it a year to remember and raise money at the same time!

Z

**Zumba-thon** - get your local gym or sports centre involved, and ask attendees to donate the cost of a class. Alternatively join together with friends and ask for sponsorship.

