

Fundraising Ideas

Bucket Brigade



Students take buckets around at sporting events, school events, or in their local community and ask for donations. All money collected is donated back to Hopkins Children's.

Penny or Change Wars



Place a coin collection jar and have classrooms compete to see who can collect the most change for Hopkins Children's! Have classes compete to see who can raise the most!

Candy Grams



Around the holidays, sell candy grams for a small fee. Students can buy a candy cane, chocolate, or another treat or snack and send them with a small note to other students in the school, or to take home to their family and friends!

Pajama Day



Have students donate to participate in pajama day! Designate a day for all students that have contributed to wear their pajamas to school. You could even let students watch a movie, drink hot chocolate, or invite a guest reader to join in on pajama day to celebrate!

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Pie in the Face



Allow students to vote with their donations on which teacher or administrator gets a pie in the face. The person with the most votes get a pie in their face during a school assembly.

Read-a-Thon



Students can ask family and friends to sponsor them for a certain amount of pages, books, or minutes read (ex: \$1 per page, \$5 per book, \$0.25 cents per minute). You could then hold a Read-a-Thon at school where students could bring in pillows and blankets and could read for an afternoon!

Bake Sale



Parents, students, and teachers can contribute baked goods, and the school can sell them during lunch, or after school. All proceeds from the bake sale can be contributed to Johns Hopkins Children's Center!

Compete for Kids



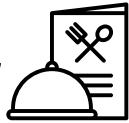
Host a charity game during sports season to support Johns Hopkins Children's Center. From basketball to lacrosse, softball to soccer; pick a game to benefit Hopkins kids! Have spectators pay a small entrance fee to watch, have students collect donations in cannisters in the stands, or sell refreshments and snacks for a donation.

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Link Up!

Sell paper links for a set price, allow them to be decorated or signed by the person who bought them, and then set up a link chain throughout your school. See how long the chain can go!

Restaurant Night



Many restaurants host give back nights. Connect with your local restaurants, and organize a night where a percentage of sales go to your school in support of Kids Helping Hopkins.

Scoops for Kids



Schools can place the name of every homeroom teacher on a paper ice cream cone and attached the cone to a bulletin board in the cafeteria. Students purchase paper ice cream scoops, write their name on or decorate it, and then placed the scoop on their homeroom teacher's cone. You can make it a competition to see which class gets the most scoops!

Paper Shapes for Pediatrics



Select seasonal-shaped paper cut-outs or 'hearts for Hopkins' in school colors and sell them for \$0.25 each, or whatever price your school decides upon. Students and staff members who purchase them can write their name on the shapes, and add them to a special wall display.

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Family Movie Night



Host a movie night at school where families can buy tickets for admission. You can also sell popcorn, snacks and drinks during the event for donations.

Game Night



Organize a night where families can pay an entry fee to participate in board games, card games, or other fun activities. You can also sell snacks and refreshments during the event for donations.

Talent Show



Have students from your school show off their talents! Donations can be collected from attendees, and additional funds can be raised by selling refreshments. You could also require a small fee for students to enter.

Plant Sale



Collaborate with local nurseries or greenhouses to organize a plant sale. Get the plants/flowers donated, and have parents and community members purchase flowers, herbs, or small plants.

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Crafting Workshop



Host a crafting workshop for parents and students, such as making holiday decorations or personalized items. Charge a fee for participation.

Hop for Hopkins



Hold a school dance centered on a theme-western, a luau, 80's or 90's, winter wonderland, Hollywood, carnival, disco, the options are endless! Attendees buy a ticket to participate. Refreshments and snacks can also be sold for a donation

Hoops for Hope



Hold a basketball tournament where each team pays a fee to participate. You can even have different entry levels (just for fun, intermediate, competitive), or charge a small fee for spectators. You could even include a student vs. staff exhibition match!

Carnival Day



Create a carnival atmosphere at your school with games, face painting, and food! Students, families, and staff can purchase tickets to participate in activities and snacks.

Paint for Patients



Sell squares or pieces of a mosaic for a donation to Kids Helping Hopkins. You could even have the students or families who purchased the squares paint or decorate them to create a mural!

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Have another idea for a fundraiser? Go for it!
The above list is meant to be used as a tool to
get you started!

Let your imagination and creativity run wild!

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fun, and to best serve your schools.

As principals, teachers, or parents, you know
your school best-do what works for you and
your school community!

