

Engage your School

How can your school support?

- Your school can provide you with the opportunity to speak to an assembly. This is a great opportunity to inform your fellow students and the school faculty about what you're doing and why. You can encourage their involvement, whether it be by making a donation or starting their own campaign to give all Aussie kids a fair go.
- Include your campaign in their newsletter.
- Allow you to fundraise within the school (fete stall/competition, bake sales, cut hair at assembly).
- Display posters around the school grounds.
- Share your event/initiative on the school Facebook page.

Fundraising ideas

Ask your principal if you can fundraise at school. For example:

- Bake sale.
- Morning tea.
- Free dress day (gold coin donation).
- Competition at school fete.
- Stall at school fete.
- Cadbury chocolate sales.
- Talent show.
- Dance.
- Participate in Hair with Heart and cut your hair at an assembly.
- Start an inter-house challenge (e.g. create online fundraising pages for each house, whoever raises the most funds by the deadline wins a prize or title with trophy).
- Enter a school team in a local fun run.

Tips

1. Think ahead and start your school fundraiser early.
2. Build a good team to help you and delegate tasks.
3. Set goals to give yourself something to work towards.
4. Be organised and pace yourself – create a timeline and task list and work your way through it.
5. Provide your team and school with updates.
6. Get your fellow students involved.
7. Make it an experience that you will enjoy – this will make it even more fun for you and will help to inspire others to support you.
8. Expand your reach – go beyond your school community and get local businesses and families involved.
9. Say thank you to anyone who helped and remind them that they are helping support kids in need.
10. Remember that we're here to help! We're so excited that you're joining us in helping to give all kids a fair go and have plenty of resources and advice to help you with your fundraising.
11. Create an online fundraising page. Personalise it with a photo, your story, why you're raising funds and your fundraising goal. Share it with your friends, family and through your social media.