



Fundraising at school

Here are just a few of the many ways you can raise money for Children Change Colombia.

We would love to hear your ideas!

Non-uniform day

You could get everyone in your school to pay a small amount (say £1) for the privilege of not having to wear uniform for a day.

Charity school-play performance

The play could tell a part of Colombian history or a well-known Colombian story.

You could do a play in Spanish with classmates from your language class.

Hold a collection at the end of each performance.

Latin American dance performance

Dancing is a fun way to exercise and you may discover a hidden talent while fundraising for our work. Why not try Salsa, Tango or Cumbia? There are many rhythms to explore!

Variety show

Go wild in aid of charity (as if you need an excuse!) - a sixth form pupil from one of the schools that supports us organised a fundraising cabaret. Singers, dancers, comedians, actors....get everyone involved!

Concert

Whether jazz, classical, rock or pop, music is great way to raise awareness and funds.

Ask the music teacher to help you get hold of some Latin American or Colombian music for you to learn.

Sports tournament

If you have a sports-day at school, why not raise money by selling refreshments for parents, teachers and pupils at the event?

Organise a mini-Olympics and get everyone to pay a small fee to enter their team in the competition.

Late-homework fine

Introduce a 10p fine for late homework and see how fast the money box fills up!

School fete

Bake cakes and biscuits to sell at the fair.

Organise fun games and charge a small fee to take part.

Organise people to dress up in costumes and take a collection bucket into the crowd.

Hold a raffle.

Sponsored silence

Students can ask family and friends for sponsorship to participate in a sponsored silence during lunch in the school canteen.

Film society

All you need is a room, a TV and DVD player (or a projector and screen if possible), and a bit of enthusiasm. Charge a fee per film or for a term's worth of films and donate any profits (after hire of the films etc) to Children Change Colombia.

Guess how many sweets in the jar

Fill a jar with sweets and get people to pay £1 to guess the number of sweets.

The person whose guess is closest to the real number gets the sweets!

Remember:

ALWAYS get permission from your school before you organise any fundraising activities!

Children Change Colombia is committed to child protection, so please ensure that any activities you plan are safe for children as well as for adults.

We'd love to hear how your event went - get in touch to let us know!

To discuss how you can fundraise for Children Change Colombia, contact us on:

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