

# Supercharge your PTA's fundraising with easyfundraising

easyfundraising partners with over 8,000 online brands, so your PTA can receive free donations whenever an online shopper spends with them. Make easyfundraising a success for your school with these six top tips:

## Top Tip #1

### Recruiting parents & guardians

Use school events, new intake meetings, and plays to recruit parents & guardians. Use the events to live demo the easyfundraising site or play easyfundraising's short explainer video.

## Top Tip #2

#### Community spirit

Approach local businesses.
They regularly buy hotel rooms, train tickets, technology, and stationery online, so it's a fantastic way for your PTA to receive donations from business buying.

### Top Tip #3

#### Weekly donation wins

Seven leading supermarkets will give your PTA a <u>free donation</u> whenever families order their weekly food shop. Most supermarkets offer a flat amount of up to £5.50 per shop.

## Top Tip #4

### The biggest donation wins

Annual purchases like buying home, car, pet, or life insurance or switching broadband or mobile phone providers offer the biggest donation wins.

## Top Tip #5

#### Download the handy reminders

easyfundraising's app (available via the App Store & Google Play) and 'Donation Reminder' are great tools parents and guardians can download to never miss a donation.

Head to Promote my Cause for shareable resources.



## Top Tip #6

### easyfundraising champions

Choose a parent to be an easyfundraising champion for each class. They can share easyfundraising messages through face-to-face school gate conversations and WhatsApp groups.



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### From one PTA to another

There's nothing better than peer-to-peer advice. Read on for tips and learnings from the PTA members making easyfundraising a huge success in their schools.



Use face-to-face communication. Talk to people and talk them through the process of signing up. Even if you can't demo on a screen, show them pictures of what they're going to see. Really take them by the hand.

Fiona, Friends of Reeds School

At school events, we have someone promoting easyfundraising and try to have an iPad or laptop available to sign people up there and then."

Alison, St John's CE Primary School



Emphasise just how simple it is to raise money while you shop online by using the Donation Reminder tool – it really is very quick and easy.

Rachel, Chilton Foliate Primary School

Keep promoting easyfundraising as people forget to use it.

Sarah, Mosley School PTA



Focus on your recruitment strategy. If you get that right, the rest of easyfundraising takes care of itself.

Dave, St Peter's PTFA

I find that sending out a message via the Head's newsletter is very effective – it is a standing order on his notes! I also write to each of the five top raisers at the end of each term to thank them personally.

Judy, Queen Mary's Grammar School

If you haven't registered your PTA with easyfundraising already, visit <a href="https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/parentkind">www.easyfundraising.org.uk/parentkind</a> or scan the QR code to get started.

