

Skill sharing & Tutoring Guide

Use your unique skills and knowledge by offering online or in-person sessions to raise funds for MRF!

Getting ready for the event

- Select a skill you are willing to share with friends, colleagues or family. This could include:
 - Cooking a specific dish
 - Teaching a foreign language
 - Helping young people with literacy or mathematics
 - Using social media
 - Drawing a self portrait
 - Sewing/Crocheting/Knitting
- Advertise! Share on social media that you are offering your skills and include a price per hour.
- Recommendations: to help you get bookings, perhaps include a quote from someone you have taught or supported previously to encourage more sign ups.



What you'll need

- This depends on what skills you are offering, it could include anything from a laptop to artists pencils!
- A calendar to schedule sessions
- Social media to promote your tutoring/skill sharing.

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"Small events like cake sales are the key to chipping away at your fundraising target!"

- Keira Norris, Everest Base Camp

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On the day

- Make sure you are on time and have all your required materials.
- Encourage your tutees to pay you before the session takes place. If they haven't done so, remind them during the session.
- Ask for feedback and recommendations, perhaps they have friends who might benefit from your help too.

Top tips

- Share why you are offering tutoring and how every penny will go towards making MRF's mission possible - you might find they donate a bit more!
- To maximise your skill sharing, you could record a session and offer it as a videoed class instead, or even invite people to attend via Zoom/Skype.

For more information contact fundraising@meningitis.org



Post event

- Thank everyone who took part and let them know how much you raised. Send them the link to your online fundraising page in case they want to make any additional donations!
- Share an update on your Just Giving page to let your supporters know how you are continuing to fundraise.

The important bits

- Make sure you are adhering to current government guidelines regarding social distancing and mask wearing. See updates via www.gov.uk/coronavirus

Natalie raised £188.00 at her office cake sale!

- Natalie McCurdy, London Marathon

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