



If your club decides to fundraise, follow these guidelines to successfullly set and achieve your fundraising goals!

# UNICEF Clubs Fundraising

## **How to Turn in Your Donations**

### **Submit Funds Online**

#### **Online Donation Form**

- Go to the Campus Initiative or High School Club donation web forms, which can be found at: unicefusa.org/clubdonate.
- Follow the instructions to enter your credit card information.
- Make sure that you are on the Campus Initiative or High School donation form so that your funds can count toward the Student Challenge.

#### Online Team Fundraising Page

Create a team on CrowdRise to fundraise online.

#### **High School Clubs**

crowdrise.com/unicefhighschool

### **Campus Initiative Clubs**

crowdrise.com/campusinitiative

- Sign in using your email or your credentials from Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn or Google.
- Donate to your school's club page!



## **Mail-in Donations**

Using the Campus Initiative or High School Mail-in Donation Form found under Leader Resources on our website, submit all donations via check, money order, credit card payment or donor fund. Please ensure that all checks and money orders (do not send cash) are payable to the U.S. Fund for UNICEF.

Send all checks, money orders and credit card forms with a donation transmittal form cover sheet to:

U.S. Fund for UNICEF Attn: UNICEF Clubs 125 Maiden Lane, 10th Floor New York, NY 10038

# When Submitting Your Funds

- For your records, make copies of checks, money orders, credit card forms and donor forms before sending them to the U.S. Fund for UNICEF national office.
- All donations from any events or activities should be processed by the U.S. Fund for UNICEF no later than 30 days after the event.
- If the funds are to be designated for a particular area or issue, please note this on the donation transmittal form or an accompanying memo.
- Do not send cash through the mail.

# Setting and Achieving Fundraising Goals

- Set your goals. First and foremost, clearly establish your goals: What do you want the event to accomplish? Establish a revenue goal and budget accordingly. You can set a realistic revenue goal by calculating an average dollar amount per attendee or a total amount you'd like to contribute to the U.S. Fund for UNICEF. If you have a bake sale, for example, you might average \$1 per baked good and set a goal to sell 200 items, for a total of \$200 minus expenses.
- **Keep expenses low.** Expenses should not exceed 25% of revenue for your event. For example, if your revenue projection is \$4,000, expenses should not total more than \$1,000. It is critical that UNICEF benefit events be cost-effective and appropriate to the economy of your community.

- Think outside the dollar. Consider alternate types of donations such as party supplies, food, equipment, practice space or meals that could help you reduce expenses for your fundraiser and increase your revenue. Offer these as options in lieu of cash donations.
- **Create a budget for your event.** Apply for a budget from your student aid office. Groups that are officially recognized by schools are often eligible to receive an operational budget.
- Create a Team Fundraising Page.
  Electronic funds can be submitted using your school's Team Fundraising Page:
  crowdrise.com/campusinitiative
  crowdrise.com/unicefhighschool
- Check out our events guide for tips and ideas for fundraising events. You can find this and other resources at: unicefusa.org/clubresources

# Student Challenge

When your club makes a donation between August 1st and June 30th, UNICEF Partners will match your efforts up to \$150,000! Top fundraising schools are honored at the UNICEF Student Summit.

■ **Please note:** When you submit your funds, you must identify yourself as a student group/student so your donations will be counted toward the challenge.

# Other Ways to Support UNICEF

# UNICEF'S CHANGE FOR GOOD®

Donate foreign currency through UNICEF's Change for Good® program when you fly on any international American Airlines flight, or send your foreign coins to UNICEF.

#### **COINSTAR®**

To exchange your coins, please visit your nearest Coinstar® center or coinstar.com. To designate UNICEF as the recipient of your or your school/ group's change, enter 5555. Send the receipt with your name and/or the name of your group to the address listed under Mail-in Donations above, and the U.S. Fund for UNICEF will mail an official acknowledgment of the gift.

Please Note: Coinstar® is only for use during specific campaigns like Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF.