



Fundraise for Jacari



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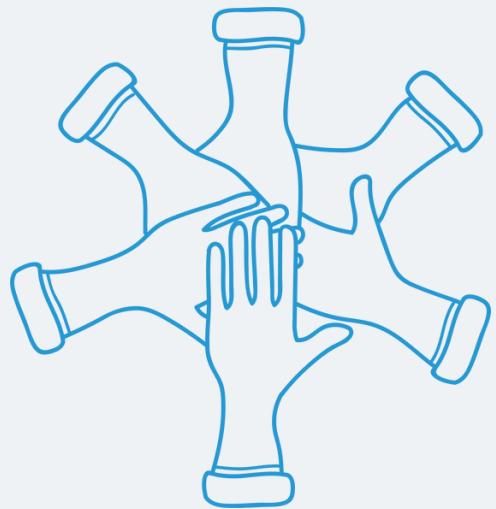
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Welcome to the team!

We would like to sincerely thank you for signing up to fundraise on behalf of Jacari.

We are a small, grassroots charity and your fundraising will help us to continue to make a difference to refugee, asylum-seeking and migrant children and their families in Bristol and Oxford. We wish you every success in your chosen fundraiser!



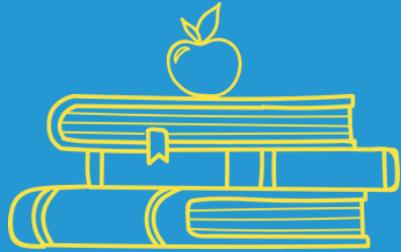
About Jacari

We are a small charity based in Bristol and Oxford that provides free tuition to over 200 refugee, asylum-seeking and migrant children who use English as an additional language. We aim to help young people who are struggling at school and at risk of not achieving their potential. Many of the children we support come from disadvantaged backgrounds and live in deprived areas of their cities.

We work with a committed team of volunteers, most of whom are students at universities in Bristol and Oxford, who are matched with a child from the local area and spend an hour a week helping them with their language skills and general confidence. Our tutors act as a mentor and friend to their tutees and can make a real difference to their lives.

We also run enriching extracurricular activities and trips like a visit to a local attraction, so that the children can experience places in their cities which they might otherwise not have access to.

Every penny counts



We are a small charity and every donation we receive goes directly towards supporting young people who use EAL in Bristol and Oxford. Here are some examples of what your fundraising could provide...

£5

A book or game for the Jacari Resource Library

£12

The cost of one tutor's DBS check

£30

Pays for a family to attend an extracurricular trip with Jacari

£40

The cost of delivering a teaching induction to new volunteers

£50

Pays for 100 volunteer handbooks to be printed

£175

Covers all the costs of one term of free tuition for a child



Fundraising ideas



Take part in an event

There are lots of organised running and cycling events across the UK which you can enter and fundraise for Jacari. From fun runs to triathlons, 5ks to marathons, there's loads of choice.

Extreme challenges

If you like to push yourself to the extreme, why not enter an endurance race or muddy obstacle course? There are lots of organised events around the country, for example Tough Mudders.

Get walking

For those that prefer to do things at their own pace, you could organise a sponsored walk or set yourself a target of walking a certain number of miles in a period of time.

Have a bake sale

Get baking with friends and hold a bake sale to raise money for Jacari. Find a venue where you can sell your goodies - your workplace, student halls, church or community centre.

Organise a quiz or games night

This proved massively popular during Covid lockdowns but can be a lot more fun if you are in a room together. Ask everyone to donate to take part and either write your own quiz or download one. Another option is to play board games or take part in an online gaming night.

How to fundraise

1. Start early

Start planning well in advance of your event so you have plenty of time to fundraise and reach your target.

2. Book your event

If you are doing an organised event, register for the event as soon as possible to ensure you get a place. If you are planning your own event, you'll need to set a date and book the venue.

3. Think about how to collect donations

There are lots of ways to collect donations. Jacari uses a fundraising platform called **Donorbox** where you can set up your own fundraising page.

donorbox.org/fundraise-for-jacari

Alternatively, Just Giving is a popular choice for those taking part in fundraising events. Go to Jacari's fundraising page and click on the "Fundraise for Us" button.

[justgiving.com/jacari](https://www.justgiving.com/jacari)

If you are collecting money from a bake sale or quiz, you could take cash, pay it into your bank account and then transfer the total amount to Jacari. Please contact us to request bank details.

4. Tell Jacari about your fundraiser

Please let us know about your fundraising event by emailing us on fundraising@jacari.org. This means we can offer you support with fundraising and help to promote what you're doing. We love sharing things like this on our social media!

5. Ask for donations

Tell everyone what you are doing and that you are doing it for a fantastic cause that needs their support. Approach friends and family individually for donations - no matter how small, it all adds up and can help get some momentum going on your fundraising page.

Top tip: ask a friend or relative to be the first person to donate a high amount on your sponsorship page, as this sets a trend for others to follow with similar amounts.

6. Publicity

Social media is a great tool for raising the profile of your fundraising event, and should help you reach even more donors. Make sure you tag **@JacariCharity** in your posts and put a link to your fundraising page. We recommend you post regularly in the run up to your event.

On the day, we encourage you to wear one of our colourful Jacari T-shirts to help further publicise our cause - just let us know what size you need and we'll get one organised for you. Get someone to take some photos of you doing your fundraiser so we can share them on social media.

Further support



We really appreciate you fundraising for us and if there is anything we can do to help, please let us know. For example, we can provide you with our Jacari branded materials and T-shirts and will promote your event through social media.

To find out more about Jacari, visit our website: www.jacari.org

If you have any other questions, please email us on fundraising@jacari.org

Good luck in your event and thank you for fundraising for Jacari!

