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Fundraising Ideas

* Serve concessions during athletic/school/community events
* Offer childcare service during the evening or weekends near holidays. Hold it at your local library, and plan age appropriate activities.
* Offer catering services for special events.
* Contact fundraising business (brochure sales). Check fcclainc.org for fundraisers that partner with FCCLA.
* Conduct a Penny War by setting out bottles at lunchtime. Label each bottle for a grade level. Challenge grades to accumulate the most value in their jar. Each penny means plus one point, while anything larger means that much less for the total.
* Put on a banquet for a community group.
* Ask local businesses to match funds you raise through a car wash held in a corner of its parking lot.
* Have a “take over” night at a local restaurant. Customers bring a flyer with them and you will receive a portion of the proceeds.
* Create and sell T-shirts featuring school or class slogans.
* Hold a “handyman day”. Arrange to perform an hour of odd jobs at people’s homes in exchange for donations.
* Paint faces at a community event.
* Hold a hamburger/hot dog/food sales at home athletic events.
* Sell and deliver special greetings-balloons, buttons, carnations, etc. for Valentine’s day, graduation or other special events.
* Sponsor a Mother’s Day meal and encourage families to attend.
* Sponsor a Color Run
* Hold a community yard sale in your school’s parking lot
* Hold a silent auction. Display donated items and attach bid sheets. Give students and staff several days to try to top the last written bid for the item.
* Sell Scratch off cards for a chance to scratch to win a prize
* Sell “the Dinner and Movie” Fundraising Card - offers discounts up to 50% at more than 100,000 different restaurants, theatres and movie rental stores for an entire year.
* Pizza fundraiser cards are a popular fundraiser. You sell the Pizza Fundraising Cards for $10. The card entitles the holder to a free medium one topping pizza when they purchase a large one topping. The cards are good at thousands of locations including specific participating Papa Johns, Pizza Huts and more.