

How to Raise \$1,000 in 6 Weeks!

Week 1:

- Start by sponsoring yourself = \$25. Commit \$25 from each bi-weekly check for 6 weeks = \$75
- Send out 10 letters and/or emails to friends, colleagues, business associates (ask for a minimum \$25 donation; assume 50% response rate) = \$125
- Facebook challenge: post the request for 2 people to donate \$25 by the end of the week = \$50

Week 2:

- Follow up on fundraising letters and emails; get 2 additional \$25 donations = \$50
- Ask 2 friends directly for a sponsorship, \$25 each = \$50
- Ask 2 coworkers to sponsor you, \$25 each = \$50
- Find out from your company's human resources department if they offer matching gifts
- Facebook challenge: post the request for 2 people to donate \$25 by the end of the week = \$50

Week 3:

- Follow up on fundraising letters and emails; get 2 additional \$25 donations = \$50
- Facebook challenge: post the request for 2 people to donate \$25 by the end of the week = \$50

Week 4:

- Time for another email or letter writing blast to get another donation; keep following up weekly with the goal of getting 1 more response each week (\$25 each for weeks 4, 5, 6) = \$75
- Facebook challenge: post the request for 2 people to donate \$25 by the end of the week = \$50

Week 5:

- Ask your boss for a company contribution = \$25
- Facebook challenge: post the request for 2 people to donate \$25 by the end of the week = \$50

Week 6:

- Ask 5 businesses that you frequent (doctor, dry cleaner, chiropractor) for a \$50 donation = \$250

Grand Total = \$1,000