

# How your fundraising could help



could cover the cost of one night's stay in our family accommodation, so parents can stay close by while their child is in hospital



could cover the cost of one of our Play team for a whole day, helping to ensure that children's experience of hospital is as stress-free as possible.



could help fund lab
equipment for a week,
helping drive forward new
treatments for childhood
brain tumours from discovery
to cure.



could cover the cost of a week's valuable research time in the lab of one of our world-leading scientists, helping to make the next breakthrough.



could fund a vital tool to detect changes in the eye that could indicate a child is at risk of glaucoma.

Your support can give seriously ill children the best chance to fulfil their potential.

# Did you know?

GOSH has its own school and activity centre for patients and their siblings.

**27%** 

of GOSH's patients were under the age of four during 2019/2020.

#### **GOSH** has

63

specialties for 2020/2021 financial year.

#### More than half

of the hospital's patients come from outside London.





## Why we need your help

Every day brings new challenges at **Great Ormond Street Hospital (GOSH)**. Every day more than 600 children arrive at GOSH. With your help, we can ensure that they get the best possible care in fantastic facilities.

We'd love to have the support of your school. However you choose to fundraise, our team are on hand to offer all the help and advice you might need.

Your donations could help to fund:

New wards which are designed around children and which let the hospital treat even more patients.

**Amazing research** 

projects to help care for more children now and in the future.

The most advanced equipment for treating the toughest and rarest conditions.

Services to help make life in hospital as normal as possible for young patients and their families.

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### Fundraising ideas

There are so many different ways you can get involved and raise money to support seriously ill children at GOSH. Here are just a few ideas to get you started – we're sure you can come up with plenty more!

#### Hold an own clothes day

Uniform-free days are always popular. They're easy to organise and a fantastic way to raise money for GOSH!

#### **Sponsored games**

Students can have fun, raise money and learn along the way! Our Body Challenge sponsored game teaches children about the hospital and tests their knowledge of the human body. We also have a picture challenge, spelling challenge and a fiendish crossword challenge. Pupils can ask their families and friends to sponsor them for taking part.

gosh.org/sponsoredgames

#### Christmas fundraising

Spread some festive cheer by collecting for GOSH at your Christmas concert or play. Get in touch with us to order a collection bucket!

#### Our sporty 1k Challenge

Get active while fundraising with a sporty challenge! You can take part in our 1k Challenge by picking an activity linked to the number 1,000 – like a 1,000m relay race or 1,000 star jumps. Alternatively, come up with your own challenge or combine an activity with your school sports day. Anything goes! gosh.org/1kchallenge

#### **Bake It Better**

Get baking and raise some dough for GOSH! Join supporters up and down the country by holding a cake sale to support patients and families at the hospital. Keep an eye on our website for more information and find out how to sign up at gosh.org/bakeitbetter.



Find more great fundraising ideas on our website at

gosh.org/schools



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