



HANDOUT: HELPING OTHERS

CULTURE

- Read the following quotes and answer in your opinion. What is charity?



VOCABULARY

- Write the corresponding word under each picture.

people	animals	environment	money
donate	walk the dog	biscuits	library
	people		

READING

- Task 1: Read the text about charity.

FACT FILE: Helping others

FUN FACTS:

- 5 September is the International Day of Charity.
- The world record for volunteering is 77,019 hours!
- The largest sponsored walk was in the Philippines. There were more than 175,000 people!

Helping others is a great thing to do. You can learn new things and have fun. You can help people, animals or the environment. It can make you feel good too! How can you help?



Charities are organisations that help others, for example, UNICEF or the World Wildlife Fund. You can help charities by giving your time, giving money or giving things that you own. You can also help people or places you know.

Volunteering

Volunteering is when you give your time to help others. Some ways of volunteering are:

- visiting old people to talk to them or help them
- walking dogs at an animal shelter
- cleaning up a park.



Fundraising

Fundraising is when you collect money to help others. Some ways of fundraising are:

- making cakes or biscuits to sell
- doing a sponsored activity. For example, family and friends give you money if you finish a long walk.

Donating

Donating is when you give your things to help others. Some ways of donating are:

- giving your old toys or clothes to a charity that helps sick children or poor people
- giving your old books to a library.



Task 3: Reflection.

- What was the most interesting fact about helping others?
- Have you ever help anyone?
- How could you help the people, animals or the environment near you?













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| a. You can help people, animals or the environment. | <u>true</u> | false |
| b. Charities are organisations that help others. | true | false |
| c. You can give your homework, money or things that you own. | true | false |
| d. Volunteering is when you give your time to help others. | true | false |
| e. Walking dogs at an animal shelter is a way of fundraising. | true | false |
| f. Fundraising is when you collect food to help others. | true | false |
| g. You can make cakes or biscuits to eat to collect money for a charity. | true | false |
| h. Giving your old clothes to a charity is a way of donating. | true | false |

LITERATURE

There are lots of different ways that you can help to make your neighbourhood a happy and safe place.

Task 1: Write the corresponding word under each picture.

street	older people	internet	problems in class	stressed
help someone understand	litter	recycling	nursing home	collect old clothes
				
	street			
				

Task 2: Listen to this poem about neighbourhoods.

Task 3: let's read the poem together

Neighbourhood by Gillian Craig



The streets where you live are special places

Every day brings friendly faces

Children to play with, adults you know

Who watch and help you as you grow.

So what can you do to keep it this way

A place that's happy and safe to play?

How can you help to keep it so good

For those who live in your neighbourhood?

Some older people can feel left out

When they need a hand just to get about.

You could help them use the internet

Or do their shopping if it's not done yet.

Some children might have problems in class

Get stressed when there are exams to pass.

You could help them understand a tricky part

Or show them a way to make a start.

Some streets get messy with litter around

Where people just throw things on the ground.

You and your friends could make a bin

For people to put recycling in.

We could do lots, let's start today!

Visit a nursing home, sweep leaves away

Collect old clothes for a charity store.

There are so many ways to help others more.

That's what you can do to keep it this way

A place that's happy and safe to play.

You have the power to keep it good

And help people in your neighbourhood.

