# In2MedSchool Fundraising Pack





## **Welcome To In2MedSchool**

Thank you for fundraising for In2MedSchool!

This short booklet will give you some useful information to help with your fundraising.

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## 1. About Us

In2MedSchool is a widening participation initiative that supports underprivileged school children in the UK applying to study Medicine and related subjects at University.

We are a registered charity with the Charity Commission for England and Wales (1197973) run by a group of medical student and junior doctor volunteers. We have a free 1:1 mentoring scheme to support students aged 16 - 18 years old who come from widening participation backgrounds. We also create events and resources to support all people applying to study Medicine at University and carry out school visits through our IAP and SEP teams.

To find out more about our work, please visit our website and social media channels:



www.In2medschool.com





## 2. What Can You Do To Help?

Some ways you can fundraise:

- Organise a bake sale at your school/university/work
- Organise a sponsored walk/run/cycle
- Organise an event such as bingo, a disco, a talent show or a quiz
- Organise a raffle

These are only a few examples of ways you can raise money for us.

Get creative and think about other ways you can fundraise!





### 3. Where Does The Money You Raise Go?

The money you raise will allow us to continue to offer free support to those applying to study Medicine at University. We do this through our:

- 1-1 mentoring scheme
- Academic guidance
- School visits
- Personalised interview support
- Work experience programmes
- Events







### **3. Where Does The Money You Raise Go?**

£35 allows two of our volunteers to visit local schools and give presentations and work shops on the medical school application process.

£50 amount allows our volunteers to visit Fresher's Fairs to recruit more volunteers and spread the word about our work.

£600 allows us to hold a mock MMI event where 90 students get first hand experience of what a medical school interview is like, to prepare them for their interviews. This includes supporting some attendees in travelling to the event.







## 4. Our Impacł

### **Mentee Story**

"My time as a mentee with In2MedSchool was an invaluable experience. From Personal Statement support to UCAT tips, even as far as results day preparation, I2MS had something for me at every step. I was supported, always given the opportunity to attend meetings and events, and it expanded my knowledge of the application process.

Knowing my mentor had gone through the same procedures made a huge difference, and having regular meetings with them built understanding of how I could be best supported as a mentee. I was given great advice that I now carry with me as a medical student.

Following on from my mentee position, I had the opportunity to be a mentor myself - now, in my 2nd year, I am a Regional Head for In2MedSchool. The opportunities are endless!" - Carys Francis

### **Mentor Story**

"Being a mentor has been a wonderful experience for me. Being able to guide and support my mentee, to give them the absolute best chance of getting into medical school has felt so rewarding, and I am so proud of the work I have done. I know that having someone in your corner with encouragement, knowledge, and guidance can make all the difference in the application process, and I am so proud of being able to be that person for someone!" - Emily Kent





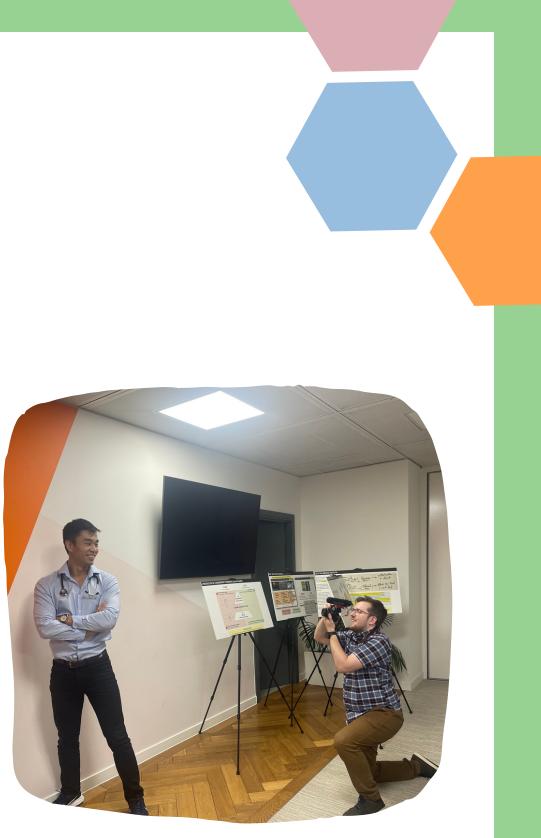


## 5. How to Advertise Your Event

To make the most of your fundraising event, it is important to spread the word. You can do this by:

- Putting up fundraising posters
- Contacting your local news outlets, such as your local radio station or local newspaper, and asking them to give your fundraising event a shout out
- Posting on social media don't forget to contact us so we can post about your event on our social media too!

To get posters and sponsorship forms that can support your event, click below: <u>Posters and Sponsorship Form</u>





## 6. How To Send Us The Money You Raise

You can send us the money you have raised by transferring it to our bank account. If you are taking cash donations you will need to deposit the money into your bank account first.

Please see our Fundraising Paying In Form for details on how to do this. The form can be found here:



### Paying-in Form







## 7. Thank You

Thank you for fundraising for In2MedSchool. The money you have raised means we can continue to provide free support to those applying to medical school in the UK, particularly those from widening participation backgrounds.

Please email <u>sponsorship@in2medschool.com</u> if you would like to fundraise with us so that we can support you, help you advertise your event and give you a fundraising certificate.

If you would like us to share photos of you fundraising you will need to fill out our media consent form, we can provide this when you email us. Fill it out and send it back to us along with photos of you fundraising and we will share them on our social media.





## 8. How To Contact Us

If you have any questions about fundraising for In2MedSchool please email us at <a href="mailto:sponsorship@in2medschool.com">sponsorship@in2medschool.com</a> .

To learn more and keep updated with our work, check out our website and the following social media channels:



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