

## **How to Raise \$350 in One Week**

It can be hard to ask people for money. Remember that you're doing it to benefit some of the most important things in your life: your children. Honestly, you'll be pleasantly surprised to see how willing people are to support you for a cause they know is dear to your heart. Here is an easy seven day plan for meeting your fundraising goal.

**Day 1:**After signing up to participate in the Tour, donate \$25 to yourself for each of your kids in school. Total: **\$25+**

**Day 2:**Ask your parents to donate \$25 for each of their grandchildren. Total: **\$75+**

**Day 3:**Get five family members to donate \$20 each. Total: **\$175+**

**Day 4:**Strongarm five friends into parting with \$10 to support your cause.  
Total: **\$225+**

**Day 5:**Ask your boss or employer to put in \$25. Then apply for matching funds if your company offers that benefit. Total: **\$250+**

**Day 6:**Beg five co-workers into giving up \$10 (promise to buy cookies from their kids in exchange). Total: **\$300+**

**Day 7:**Dig up as many email addresses as you can out of your Contacts list and send them all an email. I'll bet you can easily get 5 of them to support you for \$10.  
Total: **\$350+** See how easy that was?