

**GUIDE
DOGS**



Learn about

Guide Dogs

**Resources and fundraising
challenges for under 18s**



Learning Resources

Find out what life is like with sight loss and how our amazing dogs are trained at www.guidedogs.org.uk/learning

Our free, curriculum linked learning resources include lessons about sight loss, guide dog training, fundraising and fantastic stories from guide dog owners and puppy walkers, including unique insights into how our dogs use their senses to support their owners.

There's exciting STEM projects and challenges as well as new videos and lesson plans to get your pupils problem solving, working in groups, thinking scientifically and having fun learning about their senses. They'll also learn how to support visually impaired people in your community.

With resources for all ages and stages there's something for everyone either in schools or youth groups.



Name a Puppy – Change a Life

Your school or group has the opportunity to gift a name to a very special pup who can grow up to change someone's life. Sign up to Name a Puppy and you will receive fundraising resources and support from your own account manager. Your donation will help Guide Dogs transform the lives of people who are blind or partially sighted. There are 2 levels to choose from:

Donate a Name

Raise £1500 and you can name a guide dog puppy.

What do we get?

You'll receive a birth certificate with your chosen name and a beautiful photograph of your pup.

Walk

For a minimum donation of £2500, you can name a guide dog puppy and receive personalised updates and photos throughout their first year, until they enter training school. You even get to meet the puppy you've named.

What do we get?

- To name a guide dog puppy (name subject to approval)
- A birth certificate and beautiful photograph of the pup you have named aged 6–8 weeks
- Three 'pupdates' detailing the puppy's progress

- Two 'report cards' letting you know how the pup is progressing
- The chance to meet the puppy once
- A framed photograph of the pup taken after they've entered training school (between 12-16 months of age)

If you would like to take on this amazing fundraising challenge either as a one-off project or as charity of the year please contact

nameapuppy@guidedogs.org.uk

or call **0345 143 0222**.



MAKE A
DIFFERENCE

Take Action for Guide Dogs

We have plenty of inspiring ideas for how young people can make a difference in their community and help change the lives of people with sight loss in the UK. Whatever their age or interests our resource packs can help kickstart their social action project.

Teachers and Leaders of groups aged between 5 to 14 years

Having access to stories is important for us all. With Project Story your group can learn about our large print book service and make a difference to the lives of young people with a vision impairment.

Young people 14+

Our Youth Action Project workbook, gives young people the opportunity to make a difference and raise awareness about Guide Dogs and our services by taking action in their local community.

Teachers and Leaders of groups 14 years and over

Deliver the Youth Action Project with your group, our leader's pack has lesson plans and resources all about our services and how you can support us.

Download your pack from www.guidedogs.org.uk/youthaction



Everyone loves a good story – want to hear ours?

If you'd like to learn more about what its like to live with sight loss, how guide dogs change lives or what its like to be a volunteer for Guide Dogs, our speakers can come along to your school or group to share their Guide Dogs Story.

Speakers are often guide dog owners or puppy walkers who can bring their dog along to meet you.

There is no charge for the speaker service, but donations are always welcome and we'd love it even more if you'd like to fundraise for us.

To book a speaker visit www.guidedogs.org.uk/speaker
or email speakers@guidedogs.org.uk



Puppy Graduation Scheme £300 donation

A fundraising challenge with a difference

Raise £300 and be part of our Puppy Graduation Scheme - A fantastic opportunity to celebrate the amazing achievement of 3 of our recently qualified guide dogs. Follow their journey from tiny pup to graduate partnership and find out how guide dogs are trained and matched with their owners.

You'll receive a Puppy Graduation Pack including:

- **Class Year Book** – a photo story book following the journey of a class of 3 of our pups from birth through to qualification
- **Class Scrap Book** – a lovely book of photos of the dogs throughout their training
- **Large Celebration Poster** showing how much your Class of Pups has grown!
- **Posters** of each dog celebrating their qualification
- **Certificate**



If you are interested in registering for the Puppy Graduation Scheme please email learning@guidedogs.org.uk or call **0345 143 0192**.

Pups graduate each January so there's a new class of pups to collect each year!



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