



TEACH YOUR CHILDREN TO GIVE

Raising charitable children of all ages.

KIDS

- Have them give as soon as they begin to receive
- Use a giving jar to collect contributions from allowance or earnings
- Have a charitable birthday party
- Give and receive gift of charity – volunteering, charity gift cards
- Find causes they relate to
- Make it fun by incorporating games
- Lead by example/group participation
- Show them how philanthropy directly affects people through volunteering

TEENS

- Discuss as a regular part of life
- Let them experience giving/grant-making
- Make it social within their network of friends
- Introduce dinner table conversation about social issues and philanthropy
- Develop their personal mission statement
- Create a next generation fund within your existing fund
- Explore grant-making with other organizations
- Form giving circles with friends
- Volunteer as a family

YOUNG ADULTS

- Discuss philanthropic finances openly
- Get them involved as a volunteer on a nonprofit board
- Give them a role with clear expectations of responsibilities
- Allow them to become a trustee early
- Give them discretionary funds
- Create a matching program for their personal contributions
- Find other young adult giving networks and training opportunities
- Form giving circles with friends
- Emphasize learning and experimentation

Other resources for furthering your family's charitable mission available upon request.

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