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## Let's have a Bake Sale with a Purpose! aka "Pastries for Pets"

**Purpose:** Raise money and awareness for your local animal shelter or rescue. This is a very fun project that can be done after school or on a weekend.

### Materials List:

**1) A Plan/To-Do List**

Having a written plan will really help to keep everyone organized.

**2) Baked Goods to sell**

**3) Construction paper or poster or cardboard along with markers**

You will need to make signs to promote your bake sale.

**4) A list of fun facts or "did you know?" about pets and/or your shelter/rescue.**

Everyone who buys a baked good also gets a fun fact. This is a great way to educate others. Some examples are "One unspayed female cat and her offspring can produce over 200,000 cats in less than 5 years". Or, "25% of dogs at an animal shelter are generally Purebreds".

### Instructions:

- 1) Plan your bake sale. Make a list of everything that needs to be done. An example To-Do List might look like this:
  - Decide which shelter/rescue you will be fundraise for.
  - Decide on the date and location of your Bake sale.
    - get permission if needed from your school
  - Make a list of baked goods you will sell along with who in your group will be responsible for each whether they will be store bought or homemade.
  - Write down your marketing plan. Who will be coming to your bake sale? If you are doing it at school, it will be classmates and staff. Decide on best ways to tell them in advance about your fundraiser: posters around school, morning announcements, going to classes and making a short announcement, etc.
  - Make a list of fun facts to go with each baked good.
  - Make posters- remember to make them easy to read along with the date, time and location. Include fun pictures of baked goods and be sure to show that it is a fundraiser for your animal shelter/rescue.
  - If you are making a morning announcement, write it out and practice saying it.



**Approximate time varies for your bake sale.**