



You don't have to go it alone, getting a team of volunteers together may be surprisingly easy

Build a volunteer fundraising group

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Volunteering England gives a wealth of [advice on recruiting volunteers](#), and you may find the following pages on their website helpful:

- [The recruitment guide - overview](#)
- [How to get volunteers to work for you!](#)
- [Recruitment flowchart](#)

Third Sector online magazine also carries a number of news articles about volunteer recruitment, like this on [recruiting student volunteers](#) (you will need to register with them to read the full article, but registration is free).

VOLUNTEERING AGENCIES

There are a range of agencies specifically established to help volunteers find you and you to find volunteers (*the text below is taken from their own websites*):

[Volunteer Centres](#)

Volunteer Centres (sometimes known as volunteer bureaux or volunteer development agencies) provide support at a local level for individual volunteers and volunteer involving organisations.

[Timebank](#)

TimeBank is a national charity inspiring and connecting people to share and give time. TimeBank appeals to people like you who know that their time and skills are in demand - but just don't know what to do about it or where to start.

[Do-it.org.uk](#)

do-it.org.uk was launched in 2001 with the first, and still the only, national database of volunteering opportunities in the UK.

do-it.org.uk is part of the registered charity [YouthNet](#), a non-profit-making organisation. We do not charge people to use the database as we believe that volunteering should be free to the user and so make a small charge to organisations registering their opportunities to ensure this.

[IT4communities.com](#)

We are the UK's leading national IT volunteering programme. Our main areas of activity are:

- Helping charities and community/voluntary groups to find volunteers to help with their IT needs
- Helping IT professionals to find suitable IT volunteering opportunities
- Providing support for volunteering projects from project definition to project completion

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RECRUITMENT AGENCIES

A number of recruitment agencies has specialist 'charity' departments, and some, like [Charityjob](#) will advertise volunteer opportunities free of charge. For a list of recruitment agencies see our [directory of suppliers](#).

If your organisation has useful advice on recruiting and building volunteer groups and you would like to feature on this site, please [contact us](#).

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