

Diary of a Fundraiser

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37 raise money for BBC Children in Need.
42 Today the big day finally arrived!
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58 toys that people had brought in. We had some really
67 great stuff. Mr James even let
76 me skip maths so I could get everything ready!
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Quick Questions



1. What did Samiha do to raise money for BBC Children in Need?



2. Can you find an expanded noun phrase in the text?



3. Why do you think Mr James let Samiha skip maths?



4. Can you order the events in Samiha's diary by putting the numbers 1-4 in the boxes?

Samiha sorted out the books, clothes and toys.

Samiha asked her teacher if she could help raise money for BBC Children in Need.

Samiha will send the money to BBC Children in Need.

Samiha ran the sale and it was busy and hectic.

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Answers



1. What did Samiha do to raise money for BBC Children in Need?
Samiha held a bring and buy sale at school to raise money for BBC Children in Need.



2. Can you find an expanded noun phrase in the text?
Accept either of the following: exciting, rewarding day; really great stuff.



3. Why do you think Mr James let Samiha skip maths?
Accept any inferential answer, such as: Mr James let Samiha skip maths because raising money for charity is important and she would be using her maths skills running a bring and buy sale.



4. Can you order the events in Samiha's diary by putting the numbers 1-4 in the boxes?
- 2** Samiha sorted out the books, clothes and toys.
- 1** Samiha asked her teacher if she could help raise money for BBC Children in Need.
- 4** Samiha will send the money to BBC Children in Need.
- 3** Samiha ran the sale and it was busy and hectic.