

This year schools, youth groups and families around the UK will be building dens and raising money to support Save the Children. Schools and youth groups will be holding their Den Day on **Friday 17th June** and asking pupils to bring in **£2** donations to take part. Families will be holding their Den Day on **Saturday 18th June** and getting sponsored to build and sleep the night in the den. Whether you're snoring away in secret sofa hideouts or spending the day in amazing outdoor dens, let your children's imaginations run wild.

We would love your support to promote Den Day to your networks, to encourage as many kids across the UK to build dens and raise money to help transform the lives of children around the world.



Schools, groups and families can sign up at denday.org for a free fundraising kit full of tips for Den Day.

Last year we raised £240,000 through Den Day and over half a million children signed up to take part. Little Mix, Union J, Kate Garraway and Joe Swash supported the event and built their dream dens too.

This year, we want to raise even more money for our life-saving work, and partners are getting involved to support Den Day too, including Peppa Pig!



The money schools and families raise by joining Den Day this year will help support children like Jomari. He lives in Dolores, Eastern Samar. His house was damaged by Typhoon Hagupit, and his community was submerged in floodwater for days. Save the Children provided Jomari and his family with emergency shelter assistance - tarpaulins and basic construction equipment and materials to help them repair the damage to their house. Jomari said "I am really thankful for the tarpaulins

given to us. It's really helpful. It's big, and I think it's enough to cover our wall and our roof, so we don't have to worry about the cold wind at night and the rain dripping inside our house anymore".



There are lots of different creative ways to get den building; from a garden hideout, to a cosy sofa palace made of blankets and pillows. **What will you build?**