Kind Coins for Pakistan Campaign
Fact Sheet

What
Kind Coins for Pakistan is a global service project to help build a new school and peace center in Pakistan. For a designated period of time, students collect spare change at home and in neighborhoods to be donated for the new school.

Who
All students are invited to participate.

When
During the week of The Great Kindness Challenge or whenever is best for your school.

Why
1. All children in the world deserve to go to school. 2. Giving to others teaches compassion. 3. Learning about global issues helps students to be active global citizens. 4. This is a dynamic way to fulfill one of the 50 acts of kindness, “Make a wish for a child in another country.” 5. To unify all Great Kindness Challenge schools around one common service project. Kindness is working together!

How
1. Watch our “Kind Coins for Pakistan” video. 2. Use this video as catalyst to discuss the need for a school in Pakistan. You may use the grade appropriate Video Learning Guides. 3. Invite your students to help raise funds to build a school in Pakistan. 4. Each student creates his/her own “Kind Coins for Pakistan” collection container, using decorated cans, jars or large envelopes. 5. Students collect spare change around the house, ask neighbors to contribute, host a lemonade stand, take it to their parent/guardian’s workplace, or any other creative way. 6. At the end of the week, collect the money and count it. 7. Optionally, take a photo of the students who collected money with a written “wish” incorporated into the photo for the new school’s Wall of Wishes.

Where does the money go? All collected money goes to Kids for Peace (501(c)3 #26-1564351), the nonprofit that hosts the Great Kindness Challenge. Kids for Peace is partnering with an NGO in Pakistan to build the school. Mail checks (made payable to “Kids for Peace”) and optional Wall of Wishes photo to:
Kids for Peace, 1302 Pine Avenue, Carlsbad, CA 92008.
Wall of Wishes
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Wall of Wishes is part of our Kind Coins for Pakistan campaign. After students raise funds to build a school in Pakistan, students take a photograph of themselves with a wish for their friends in Pakistan incorporated into the photograph. The photos will then be displayed on a WALL OF WISHES in the new school.

Who
All students who participate in the Kind Coins for Pakistan campaign. This may be a single student, one classroom or the whole school but we ask each school to only submit one Wall of Wishes photo.

When
The photo may be taken during or after the Kind Coins for Pakistan campaign. The photo will be permanently displayed in the new school in Pakistan, which is scheduled for completion in August 2017. All photos are due by April 1, 2017 (the extended deadline).

Why
Because the children of our Pakistani school will love seeing the smiling faces of all the children who helped raise money to build their new school! This is a beautiful way to put into action one of the 50 kind acts, “Make a wish for a child in another country.”

How
1. During or after the Kind Coins for Pakistan campaign, decide on a wish for the children of our Pakistani school. 2. Write the wish in your desired format: painted banner, markers on construction paper, computer generated designs, etc. 3. Take a photo of the participating students with the wish incorporated into the picture. Yes, it’s OK to Photoshop the wish after the photo has been taken! (See samples below.) 4. Print the photo in any size up to 8” x 10”. 5. Write the name of your school on the back of the photograph. 6. Send a printed photo (hardcopy) along with the Kind Coins for Pakistan donation check to: Kids for Peace, 1302 Pine Avenue, Carlsbad, CA 92008. 7. Email a digital copy of your photo to KindCoins@thegreatkindnesschallenge.org. 8. Smile BIG knowing that you are changing lives!

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