

# Giving

## Key financial ideas

- ★ Your personality and values influence how you spend your money.
- ★ The more money you have, the more you are able to help others in need.

## You need

- ★ a calculator
- ★ a classmate

## Activity

Kalala, who is 12, is the youngest in her family. She is aware that some people in her community have very limited income. When she receives the email from Granny, she immediately decides she wants to donate some of her \$1,000 to people less well off than she is.

A charity is an organisation that is set up to provide help and raise money for those in need.

There are so many who need help! But I want the money I give away to make a difference, so I think it's best to give to only one or two charities.

1 With a classmate, research the work of some charities. Which would you be interested in donating to and why?

2 Kalala narrows her choices down to four:

- a \$100 donation to her church's charity fund
- sponsoring a child for \$1 a day for a year
- giving a \$200 lump sum donation to the Child Cancer Foundation
- a donation to the "City Homeless Trust" for \$75 Christmas hampers.

If Kalala gives away up to \$400, which of her four choices could she help and how much might she give them?



## Reflective question

- ★ How are we able to help others less fortunate than ourselves?