

2024 TCS London Marathon Teenagers and Young Adults with Cancer (TYAC) charity place Terms and Conditions



The TCS London Marathon is one of TYAC's most important fundraising events. We need all our charity place runners to honour their pledge and raise a minimum of £2000 before 21 May 2024 (1 month after the event). These terms and conditions are to ensure that we can support our runners in the best possible way, while raising as much money as possible to support our work and help us to beat teenage and young adult cancer.

What you can expect from TYAC

- Once you have applied for a TYAC charity place in the 2024 TCS London Marathon, your application will be assessed by the TYAC Fundraising Team. You will be informed of the outcome of your application by email by June 2023 (or within two weeks of submitting your application, if you apply after June). We receive far more applications than we have available race places, so unfortunately not everyone who applies will be given a place.
- Once you have been offered a place, agreed to the fundraising pledge and paid your entry fee, TYAC will reserve a charity place for you. However, TYAC has the right to revoke your place in exceptional circumstances.
- We will send you a fundraising pack which contains information about training and fundraising, and a TYAC vest or t-shirt to wear on race day.
- The TYAC Fundraising Team is here to help. We will provide advice and support to help you with your fundraising and achieve your minimum fundraising target.

What we expect from you

- Registration: TYAC will send you an email from London Marathon asking you to complete your registration to run with a TYAC charity place. You must complete this within two weeks of receiving the email. We will contact you at least once via email and phone about completing your registration. If you do not complete it, you will not have a place in the London Marathon and we reserve the right to offer your spot to another charity place applicant.
- The £100 registration fee helps to cover TYAC's costs and is therefore non-refundable under any circumstances including but not limited to dropping out due to injury and a change in work or social commitments. Your registration fee should be paid within two weeks of being offered a TYAC charity place, or we may offer your place to another applicant.
- Payment of the registration fee indicates your agreement to these terms and conditions.
- Fundraising pledge: You agree to raise a minimum of £2,000 for TYAC. We expect you to raise at least:
 - £500 by 13 January 2024
 - £1000 by 3 April 20234
 - £2000 by 21 May 2024
 - If you do not reach these targets then TYAC has the right to revoke your place.
 - If you fail to reach your £2000 target by 21 May 2024, we are asked to inform the TCS London Marathon Company, who will keep your details on file. This will impact your chances of running the TCS London Marathon in the future.

- If you have any concerns regarding reaching your fundraising target, please do contact the TYAC Fundraising Team, they are here to help and support you.
 - Online fundraising pages: Using JustGiving will be an important part of your fundraising. You must set an online fundraising page up within two weeks of confirming your charity place. We expect you to start receiving donations on your online fundraising page within one month.
 - As a TYAC charity runner, you will agree that 100% of the money raised through your fundraising page will come to TYAC and will not be split with any other charity.
 - If you are awarded a TYAC guaranteed place in the London Marathon, we are unable to restrict the funds to a special named fund as TYAC have purchased the marathon places.
 - You cannot use your TYAC charity place for commercial gain.
 - Any offline donations must be forwarded to TYAC in a timely manner.
 - Existing donations to TYAC: Any donations you already make to TYAC cannot be included in your fundraising total.
 - If you fail to raise the minimum amount, you will be liable for the difference.
 - Gift Aid: We cannot include the amount raised through Gift Aid in your fundraising total. However, please encourage your sponsors to Gift Aid their donations where possible – this can add an extra 25p for every £1 donated, at no extra cost to them.
- Expo: You are required to collect your race pack from the TCS London Marathon Expo in the week before the race. Please see the race organiser's website for details.
 - Media: Any images, video, audio and quotes we collect from you during the course of your London Marathon journey may be used by TYAC in future marketing materials.
 - Injury and deferrals: If you are injured and unable to take part in the event, please let TYAC know as soon as possible. If you tell us before the start of January we can offer the place to another applicant. We will assess deferral requests on a case-by-case basis. TYAC cannot guarantee that we will be able to offer you a place in the event the following year.
 - Conditions of entry: You must be 18 years old or over on the event day. It is your responsibility to ensure your fitness to take part in the event.
 - Information: You understand that information provided by you may be recorded and used in accordance with the Data Protection Act 2018.
 - I understand that TYAC cannot take any responsibility for any loss, injury, or damage caused or sustained as a result of the event. (It is the responsibility of the event organiser to comply with legal and safety regulations.)

If you have any questions about the terms and conditions, please don't hesitate to call us on 0116 481 0899 or email fundraising@tyac.org.uk