



Thinking of having a sponsored haircut? Thank You!

We are very proud of the amazing high-quality, real-hair wigs that we produce. We truly value your donations, so before your sponsored haircut, please follow the guidelines below to ensure that your hair donation is the correct length and in the best possible condition to be used in our wigs.

Hair we can use

- Our greatest need is for hair donations that are 16" (41cm) or longer
- We encourage all of our growers to keep growing until at least 12" (30cm)
- The minimum length of hair that we can accept is 7inches/17cm. However, we do currently have sufficient stock of hair measuring between 7 and 11 inches, and that is why we encourage all our supporters to donate hair that measures 12 inches and above. Frequent donations of the shorter lengths could bring storage costs to the charity and we, understandably, would prefer to use our resources to provide wigs to children and fund vital research into childhood cancers.
- Clean, dry hair, from any gender (please do not send us wet hair - it will not dry properly and is not usable)
- Great condition (no split ends) and of any natural colour
- Straight, wavy or chemically straightened
- Permanently dyed*, bleached/highlighted hair (*if dye is of a natural colour)
- Ponytail/s cut 5 years ago, if preserved in good condition.
- We accept hair from within and outside the UK

Sorry, we cannot use hair that is...

- Less than 7"/17cm long
- Dyed an unnatural colour (blue, purple, etc)
- 100% grey hair (we can use donations that contain a small number of grey hairs as these can be removed).
- Dreadlocks
- Hair extensions
- Very tightly curled hair (a tightly curled wig can be supplied to a wig recipient by either curling the hair after the wig has been made or by using a specialist supplier).
- Don't despair if you can't donate your hair! See our website or get in touch to discover other ways that you can support LPT!

Cutting & donating your hair

- Wash and DRY your hair (we cannot accept wet hair - it does not dry in the post and will not be suitable if you have dried it after cutting on a radiator or other heat source)
- Do not use conditioner or styling products
- Put your dry hair into a ponytail/s
- Secure at both ends with a hair band, and one halfway down
- Ask your hairdresser to cut above the top band
- Put the cut ponytail/s into a padded or preferably cardboard envelope.
- Include your completed Hair Donation Donor Details Form

Post to us at

The Little Princess Trust
Broadway House
32-35 Broad Street
Hereford
HR4 9AR

- Please have your parcel weighed to make sure you purchase the right postage
- **Include your NAME AND EMAIL ADDRESS, CLEARLY WRITTEN, using the Hair Donation Donor Details Form, so that we can email your certificate of thanks.**
- **Please check your SPAM/JUNK folder if you have not received your certificate within 5 days.**

Important information

- We cannot provide photographs of the child receiving a wig
- We cannot provide pictures of a wig made from your hair
- Just having your long hair cut is great; you don't have to go for the whole shave
- If you're under 16, you must obtain permission from your parent/guardian before the haircut