On behalf of École Mountview School Council and Parents for Mountview, we would like to **welcome** all new and returning families (online or in person) to the new school year! You are a part of our diverse, vibrant and dynamic school community!

Throughout the school year students will be coming home with various fundraiser information for the school. *Please know that fundraisers are <u>NOT</u> mandatory and you are not required to participate.* We understand not every family is going to be able to participate in the fundraisers.



Parents for Mountview would like to share some information about <u>why we fundraise</u>. Our goal is to support the school and assist students and teachers in the areas they require, examples include: new physical education equipment, bussing for swimming lessons, grade 5 farewell, the breakfast program, school benevolence fund, online technology subscriptions, school courtyard improvements, additional resources and more! We fundraise to make our school the best it can be for all of our children!

Throughout the year, we try to provide a variety of fundraisers giving you the opportunity to pick and choose what works best for your budget and family. We thank every family at the school for all the things they do to support us from giving their time, suggestions, participation, donations to our various raffles or just being there to raise wonderful children.

If you have any questions or want to volunteer, please email <a href="mailto:parentsformountview@gmail.com">parentsformountview@gmail.com</a>. We are committed to making our school an amazing place to be.

Thank you for the ongoing support! You are all important to our school community!!

## HERE ARE A FEW OF OUR ON-GOING FUNDRAISERS:

## In-store COBS Purchase (on-going):

When you shop at any Red Deer COBS store, **let them know you're there to support Mountview** and 5% of your purchase comes back to support our school! Our donation to Mountview will be presented at the end of the year.

## Mabel's Labels Online Fundraiser (on-going):

Multi-use labels for school supplies, clothing and home! This Canadian company gives our school a percentage for every purchase made online! Our **School YETI logo** has been uploaded to the site to allow you to create labels with our school mascot! Login to support our school, choose Combo Label Packs, then Fundraising Combo.

Visit https://mabelslabels.ca

Click on Support a Fundraiser, Enter our School's Name & Start Shopping

## • FUNDSCRIP Online Gift Cards (on-going):

Order Gift Cards any time throughout the year. Encourage your friends & family to participate! Even if they live in another city or province, the gift cards are mailed directly to them.

Gift cards are purchased at face value and you get face value at the retailers – you lose nothing! Shop as usual and choose from over 270 different retailers. Pay with gift cards instead of credit/debit/cash for your everyday items and gifts. Each purchase automatically includes a donation to our school!

Visit <a href="https://www.fundscrip.com">https://www.fundscrip.com</a>, Click on Support a Group Enter the Group Invitation Code RCLNZD & Start Shopping!