

Mosaic® EXTREME SCHOOL MAKEOVER CHALLENGE

WHO:

The Mosaic Extreme School Makeover Challenge is open to all schools in Saskatchewan

GOAL:

To recognize success and encourage grassroots initiatives that will foster improved nutrition for all students

EVERYONE WINS:

Participating schools will receive a certificate of recognition acknowledging their efforts to create healthier school nutrition environments

\$100,000 IN PRIZES:

Thanks to our sponsor, THE MOSAIC COMPANY, selected winners will share \$100,000 in prizes:

- 10 winners receiving \$10,000 each

SUBMISSIONS MUST FOCUS ON NUTRITION:

Submissions will be judged on the quality of their nutrition programming and through evidencing potential for enhancement through participation in the Mosaic Challenge. Areas of consideration will include but not be limited to:

- 1) Education
- 2) Inclusion and Equity
- 3) School Culture (initiatives impact all students)
- 4) Student/Parent Involvement
- 5) Healthy Physical Environment
- 6) Community Engagement & Partnerships
- 7) Comprehensive and Holistic Planning
- 8) Supportive Social Environment

TIME FRAME:

Schools will be given until **April 17th** to plan, prepare and submit their nutrition related action plans. All strategies must be able to be operational by September 2017 in order to be eligible for prizes. Winners will be notified in May with a formal announcement in September during our *Walk to Breakfast* at the site of one of the prize winning recipients (TBD).

EMAIL SUBMISSIONS TO: challenge@sasktel.net

We request all submissions to be submitted electronically in Word or PDF format. Your cover page should state: Mosaic Extreme School Makeover Challenge. Submissions should not exceed 8 pages in length. Bullet format is acceptable.

For more information, please email: challenge@sasktel.net

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SUBMISSION TEMPLATE

The following is required information. Please utilize *each* of these headings in your submission:

Contact Information

Name of School
Principal
Phone #
School Mailing *and* Physical Addresses
Email Address

School/Community Information

School Type (K-12, Elementary, High School)
Number of Students/Number of Staff

Submissions Committee - List participants who contributed to your improvement plans by title IE: Principal, teacher, parent, town council member, public health nutritionist, RCMP member, student.

Current Practice and Policy – *Briefly* describe all areas of the current school nutrition environment: programming, practice, policy. What are you most proud of? What do you do in the area of nutrition that most impacts the students/community you serve? What is unique about your nutrition programming/practice?

Provide short testimonials* that exemplify the benefits of your school nutrition programming and/or practice from two or more of the following:

- Principal
- Teacher
- Student
- Parent
- Community &/or SCC Member

*Contributors must sign a release waiver to have their stories shared publicly

Makeover – Describe your makeover/improvement plans for the upcoming year. Plans *must* focus on nutrition. Plans must include an *improvement* component that reflects a positive *change* in current programming/practice/policy/environment.

Timelines for Implementation – Schools must *commit* to begin implementation by September in order to be eligible. Cash awards will be provided to winning schools in June in order to facilitate any prize dependent improvements prior to September. It is the *school's* responsibility to ensure compliance with all School Division/First Nation Band Policy & Procedures. School Division/First Nation Band required pre-assessment/approval *must be in place* prior to receipt of cash award (IE: equipment purchase and/or installation).