

FUND RAISING PROGRAM FOR 2016 – 2017

Goal: To Continue to improve access to and availability of **mobile digital technology & other aids for students in need**

Dear Thornhill Secondary School Parents and Guardians:

As a School Council, our top priority is to support TSS's reputation for academic excellence and achievement made possible through the partnership and dedication of our staff, parents and administration who work in partnership to deliver a top quality education to our children.

We all want the best for our students and the School Council remains committed to fundraising to expand and enhance the educational experience they receive.

Our goal for this year is to raise funds to enhance programs in the school, especially to aid students in need. Often these students are unable to take full advantage of all the opportunities at the school and our aim is to supplement the related costs to ensure access to these enrichment activities. We are counting on our parent community to help with this by asking for generous donations. Over the past few years there has been a significant decrease in the results of our fundraising efforts. More specifically, our fundraising has dropped from almost \$8000 five years ago to \$3000 last year.

We ask each family to donate what they can. For each donation of twenty-five dollars or more, the school board will send a tax receipt to the donor.

We thank you in anticipation of your support in the form your donation. We encourage you to join us at our Council meetings to find out more about the areas that benefit from the funds we raise.

You can donate either by using our online link: <https://yrdsb.schoolcashonline.com> and click "**Make a Donation**" or **by cheque** with the form below. If you would like to receive your ***tax receipt for the 2016 calendar year***, please ensure your donation reaches the school by ***December 31, 2016***.

Please make cheques payable to: "YRDSB – Thornhill Secondary School"

Name: _____

Address: _____

Amount of Donation Enclosed: \$ 150: _____ \$ 100: _____ \$ 50: _____ \$ 25: _____ Other: _____

A tax receipt will be issued for donations of \$25.00 or more and will be mailed to the address above (DO NOT SEND CASH IN THE MAIL). Please send your envelope to the school with your child or mail envelope to:

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