




Help Lincoln Elementary without spending a dime!

There are a number of free fundraisers that will benefit your children at Lincoln through the PTO. Some you may know about, others may be new to you. Take a moment to review the options:

> **Box Tops for Education.** Have you seen this on packages of food, and even office products you buy? Well, when you see them, cut them out!  Send them in with your child to Lincoln and drop them off in the Box Tops drop-off container near the Park Ave. entrance. For each Box Top label we collect, we get money for the kids at Lincoln. Last year we made more than \$800!

> **Target REDcard.** Do you shop at Target? If so, this is a no-brainer! The Target REDcard credit card gives you 5% off EVERY PURCHASE, EVERY DAY. And, by registering your card, the Lincoln PTO will ALSO get 1% more. That is IN ADDITION to your 5% savings. If you have a card already, all you need to do is register it! To register your card, go to the “Take Charge of Education” link, here: <http://sites.target.com/site/en/corporate/page.jsp?contentId=PRD03-005157>

Our School Info:

LINCOLN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

RIVER FOREST, IL 60305-1712

School ID: 48034

> **Mulamu.** Mulamu is a “daily deal” online service, with an important twist. The difference is part of each purchase is donated to a school or charity of your choice. How cool is that?! Filled with all sorts of great deals close by, sign up for free—it only takes a few seconds—and start saving money. Be sure to link your account to Lincoln by clicking on “Find A School or Charity” on the left side of the home page (https://www.mulamu.com/search_charity.html) and select “Lincoln Elementary (River Forest, IL).”

> **Scripp Program Gift Cards.** This popular program started last year is back again starting in October 2011. Just buy gift cards at face value for any number of places you already shop, such as Jewel, Costco, and so forth. You will get 100% of the value of the card, AND the PTO will also get a cut! So easy, and very profitable for the PTO!

> **Van Gogh Picture Day.** Back to School and new class pictures! Did you know that part of the fees for the pictures you buy benefits the PTO? So, go ahead, buy some extra pictures for friends and family—it’s for a good cause!

Do you know of other “free fundraisers” in the area? Let us know! We’d love to build our list!