



Dear Parents/Students:

Did you know that each year, people in the US throw away enough office and writing paper to build a 12-foot high wall from New York City to Los Angeles? We can put our paper to work for us by participating in the newest exciting fundraising effort at Estabrook. Many of you may have noticed a bright green and yellow Abitibi Paper Retriever® bin in the side parking lot next to the dumpster. Paper dropped off in this bin will be collected at regular intervals by Abitibi Consolidated and Estabrook will receive monthly checks based on the amounts of paper collected! Starting today, anyone in our community can go to the Paper Retriever® bin and drop off the following (clean and dry) material suitable for recycling:

newspaper

magazines

shopping catalogs

junk mail

all office and school papers (shredded paper, fax paper, copy and colored paper, stapled paper and window envelopes OK)

DO NOT INCLUDE:

Cardboard (cereal boxes, soda pack boxes, etc. NOT OK)

Plastic

Glass

Metal

Trash

This is an easy way for you and your family to recycle your household and office paper every week and help Estabrook raise money for projects like playgrounds, landscaping, books and other worthwhile activities that will benefit our kids. Please remember to bring your paper and drop it in the Abitibi Paper Retriever as you drop off your kids in the morning, pick them up in the afternoon, or any other time convenient for you. You can feel good about helping to raise money for Estabrook while at the same time divert paper from landfills. Abitibi is having a special paper drive during the months of March and April, where the elementary school that collects the most paper will earn an additional \$500 for 1st place, \$300 for 2nd place and \$200 for 3rd place. So start bringing your paper to Estabrook, and let's start earning money for the school!