



WATCH D. O. G. S.

Our Mission:

To have a father or positive role model for every child at Mountain Vista Elementary spend ONE day at school.

WATCH D.O.G.S. (Dads of Great Students) is an innovative father involvement, educational initiative of the National Center For Fathering. There are 2 primary goals of the WATCH D.O.G.S. Program.

- 1.) To provide male role models for the students, demonstrating by their presence that education is important.
- 2.) To provide extra sets of eyes and ears to enhance school security and reduce bullying.

Program Benefits

- Students gain positive male role models.
- Schools gain an extra set of eyes and ears. The presence of a father or father figure will provide an additional deterrent to bullying, enhance a sense of security in the building, and will help to create an environment conducive to learning.
- Fathers get a glimpse of their students' everyday world and learn about the increasingly complex challenges and decisions today's your are facing. As a result, they can learn to relate better to their students and hopefully connect with them.
- Fathers gain a greater awareness of the positive impact they can have on their student's like in three critical areas including: Academic performance, self-esteem, and social behavior.

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