



# Mt. Pleasant Elementary School

Mt. Pleasant, UT

## New Construction/ Addition

Entire school/campus building

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### DESIGN TEAM

Sandstrom Architecture, Architect  
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In-Site Design Group, Landscape  
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### OWNER/CLIENT

North Sanpete School District, Mt.  
Pleasant Elementary School  
Mt. Pleasant, UT  
Randy Shelley, Assistant  
Superintendent  
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### KEY STATS

Grades Served: K-6  
Capacity: 800 students  
Size of Site: 9.1 acres  
Building Area: 73,416 sq. ft.  
Space per Student: 91.77 sq. ft.  
Cost per Student: \$14,937  
Square Foot Cost: \$163  
Construction Cost: \$11,950,000  
Project Cost: \$12,500,000  
Completion Date: January 2014

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The new Mt. Pleasant Elementary School provides an innovative design for the replacement of an existing elementary school for the North Sanpete School District. The original school was built in the early 1960s and no longer met the needs of the school district. A new site was secured for the new elementary. Because of the unique terrain of the new site, the school was



elevated to incorporate the beautiful sunsets to the west and early morning sunrises with stunning mountain scapes to the east.

The school's main entry revolves around a clerestory commons area flooded with natural daylighting. The elevated administration and front area are set up to incorporate complete visibility as well as provide a secure vestibule to visually monitor or restrict access. The school's motto is "Where Dreams Take Flight,"

and the atmosphere of the school reflects this motto. The design provides learning environments with natural daylighting to inspire the students to achieve higher goals. The colorful patterns on the floors and throughout the design encourage creativity and excitement to learn. With integrated technology that provides a motivating environment, we aim to give all the students the opportunity to make their "dreams take flight."

