Next Generation Campaign - Executive Summary

An invitation to help expand MAF's flight training centre to reach more of the worlds' most cut-off communities.

MAF — Our purpose

For millions of people around the world, there are no roads, no doctors, and no 9-1-1. There's only Mission Aviation Fellowship, and a tiny airplane that brings . . .

- Help in the form of disaster relief and emergency flights
- Hope by facilitating pastoral care and missionary work
- Healing through medevac and flying Doctor services

Today, MAF's global fleet of over 116 light aircraft operate in and out of roughly 1,000 of the hardest to reach destinations on the planet. Currently, half of the Canadian supported missionaries who pilot these life-saving flights are graduates of **Prairie Aviation Training Centre (PATC)**, our unique flight school based in Three Hills, Alberta.

PATC — more than a flight school

Our mission is to foster a culture of mission, aviation and service that will enable our students to be successful in their aviation careers. At PATC, this means immersion in all things mission and aviation.

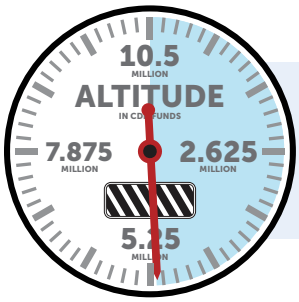
Very few training centres in the world offer such specialized training that equips aviation students with both the technical and emotional skills required for the unique rigors of cross-cultural and extreme terrain flying.

What's more, students at PATC learn in a Christian environment, helping to deepen their faith and strengthen their calling.

PATC was never built to hold the number of planes and students it does now. After deliberation and prayer, a decision has been made to expand and upgrade the training centre.

We invite you to join us

That's why MAF has launched the Next Generation Campaign—to generate the resources necessary to expand our school to accommodate more students who will go on to make a difference in our world.



As of May 2026, the Next Generation Campaign has received $5.148 million in cash and pledges

We invite you to join us in this important expansion campaign that will see the next generation of mission aviators bring help, hope, and healing to a world in need.

Join us in ensuring that we can train the next generation of mission aviators to bring help, hope and healing to cut-off communities.

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