

THE SCRIP PROGRAM

The fundraising program that works while you shop!

We are happy to announce that the Saint Matthew School Scrip Program will be used again this year. We appreciate your support of this program.

Scrip is a word that means “substitute money.” Through the Scrip program you purchase gift cards and certificates from national and local retailers. Participating retailers sell gift card/certificates to our school at a discount. You and your family members buy Scrip gift cards at their full face value, and redeem them for full face value. Saint Matthew School keeps the difference as revenue.

The benefit of the Scrip Program is that you can earn money for our school without spending an additional cent. You spend regular shopping dollars with Scrip at participating retailers. Scrip can be used for household purchases that include food, clothing, entertainment, travel, gasoline, and even dining out.

This year **RATE 1 AND RATE 2** school families will pay the **\$600.00** in their **FIRST tuition payment**. Families who are enrolled in the FACTS Management System may choose to spread the \$600 fee out over monthly payments. Every time you buy Scrip gift cards, the percentage will be credited to your **“Scrip Bank.”** At the end of the school year, if your percentage points reach more that \$600, the difference will be split 50/50 with the school. For example, if your percentage points total \$650 at the end of the school year, you will get back \$625. The remaining \$25 goes to the school.

We encourage each family to support this program. The more Scrip gift cards you purchase, the more percentage will be credited to your account. At the same time you are working to earn you money back. More profit earned for the school helps to keep tuition increases at a minimum.

We thank all our families who are active supporters of our Scrip Program!

Cash and checks are accepted. We cannot accept credit or debit cards. If you have any questions about the *Scrip* Program please call:

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