

WELCOME BACK TO SCRIP!

November 2, 2021

Dear St. Mary Families:

Welcome back to **Scrip**! This **PPA** program provides a great opportunity to raise funds for the school with your everyday spending on things like groceries, gas, clothing, and other household items without any selling or extra spending.

For those new to the program, here's how it works: You can order Scrip (**gift cards**) at face value through our parents' organization to use for your everyday shopping and dining at merchants such as ShopRite, Target, Barnes & Noble, Dunkin', Starbucks, and many more! As a nonprofit organization, we purchase these gift cards at a discount determined by the retailer (an average of about 5%, although many offer more). The difference between the face value and what we pay is retained as our rebate. Once you receive your cards, you can then use them for your everyday purchases. Just changing how you pay for things you routinely buy can have a great impact on our fundraising efforts!

We will place one order in November and one in December. There are two ways that you can order: through the form that we are providing you today or online at www.shopwithscrip.com. To make an online account, if you don't already have one, you can sign up using our organization's enrollment code: 9L7DL9D424985. If you order scrip online, to avoid an additional fee you can pay by check and send it in to the office once your order is placed.

Order by **November 12th** for delivery in your child's gold folder around November 19th. Order by **December 15th** for delivery before the Christmas break.

With the Christmas season fast approaching, the Scrip program is a great way to get your gift list completed while also raising funds for the PPA!

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to reach out to the school office.

Blessings,

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