OUR SCRIP PROGRAM

What is SCRIP?

SCRIP is a gift card, e-gift card, or gift certificate purchased at face value and used the same as cash. Participating businesses donate some of their profits, half of which helps fund our schools, while the other half becomes tuition credit for the family who purchased the SCRIP (or a family of the purchaser's choosing). SCRIP is an important source of fundraising income for All Saints Catholic Schools.

How does it work?

Here's an example of how SCRIP works: ordering a \$25 card for each of four restaurants, such as Outback Steakhouse, Old City Hall, Uno's Chicago Grill, and Latitude 43 Grill & Bar costs \$100 total and purchases \$100 worth of food. Because the SCRIP was sold to the schools at discounted prices, averaging 10%, the schools earn \$10. The participating family receives 50% of this (a \$5 tuition credit) and the remaining \$5 stays within the schools' fund. Merchants offer discounts from 1.25% to 16%.

Where can I use SCRIP?

There are hundreds of different merchants participating so you can use SCRIP both in-person and online to purchase clothing, fast food, gasoline, groceries, restaurant food, car washes, hotel accommodations, flights, and more. You may view a list of participating retailers listed on the <u>RaiseRight.com</u> website.

Do SCRIP sales really make a difference?

At last count, of families who faithfully used SCRIP, 73% earned from \$150 to \$300 in annual savings. Some have saved up to \$1,000 in a year. The SCRIP credit you earn is supplied at the end of the school year and goes towards the following year's tuition.

"Using SCRIP regularly can help lower tuition costs for families. I used to pay for 1 to 1.5 months-worth of tuition with SCRIP every year." - Michelle Judd, ASC alumna and mother of three ASC alumni

How do I purchase SCRIP?

SCRIP is available to purchase online at <u>RaiseRight.com</u> or on the RaiseRight ios or android apps, using All Saints/Bay Area Catholic Schools' enrollment code: **991CF3E63659**. These orders can include e-gift cards to use on your phone or online, or physical gift cards you can have sent to the school to pick up. You can also contact the All Saints administrative office at 989-892-2533 ext. 123 and order physical SCRIP cards over the phone. If your child is a student, the card can be sent home with them, or you can pick it up at the administrative office in the middle/high school building when you have been contacted that your order has arrived.

Please note that we only keep a small amount of SCRIP on hand, so please give the BACS office a call before coming into the office. Many popular items must be ordered online due to limited on-site stock. Orders are due on Mondays by 1pm, and will be delivered to the school by Thursday of the same week. This is the <u>print-out</u> <u>order form</u>.

Who can purchase SCRIP?

Anyone who wants to support All Saints Catholic, or a specific family at All Saints Catholic, may buy SCRIP. Please indicate the parent(s), if any, to whom you would like to give credit when ordering your SCRIP.