

What is Scrip?

Looking for a way to reduce your yearly tuition expense and help St. Mary without spending a single additional penny or participating in traditional fund-raising efforts? Then you need to use SCRIP!

Scrip is simply a term that means “substitute money.” Scrip fundraising is a no-selling program that allows St. Mary families to raise money for the school and reduce their tuition by using gift cards, or scrip, to pay for everyday purchases.

Families order gift cards (electronic or physical) from our St. Mary Scrip program and pay face value, and then St. Mary Scrip orders the gift cards from Great Lakes Scrip Center and local retailers for less than face value. St. Mary keeps the difference, or discount, and that’s where the fundraising comes from.

The best part: St. Mary then splits this discount with you, so you raise funds for St. Mary, and you raise funds to be applied to your next year’s tuition payment.

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