

St. John's Lutheran School

Scrip Newsletter



How the program works...

Scrip is simply a word that means “substitute money” - in other words, Scrip is gift cards from national and local retailers. They’re the same gift cards that you can buy at the store. Many popular retailers participate in our scrip program including Kwik Trip, Piggly Wiggly, Kohl’s, Papa Murphy’s, Texas Road House, Walmart, and many, many others.

How do these stores help us raise money? It’s simple—scrip participating retailers agree to sell gift cards to our organization at a discount. Families then purchase the gift cards at face value, they redeem them for full face value, and our school keeps the difference as revenue.

St. John’s Scrip Policies:

School purchases gift cards at a discounted price and families purchase them at face value. The difference will be split with 70% going towards the designated family fees or the purchasers choice of funds (for example the General Tuition Assistance Fund). The other 30% goes into the scrip fund that the Board of Education will designate annually.

One time fund transfer...An 8th grade graduate or the last student in the family can transfer the remaining balance ton Kettle Moraine Lutheran High School, Luther Preparatory School, or any other WELS area Lutheran High School for that student/family or it will be transferred into the general tuition assistance fund.

Funds accrued during the fiscal year (school year) will be applied to the following year’s fees.

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Is Scrip new?

St. John’s has used Scrip to support the school for many years. The program has been changed to directly support both the parents and the school.

Orders...

Order forms can be filled out at any time and handed into the school office. Orders can also be made on Sunday morning when a Scrip Volunteer is running the Scrip table. If cards are on-hand, the turn around time will be a few days. If cards need to be ordered, they will be delivered the following week. Order forms can be picked up at the school office or found online at our school website (www.stjohnsnewburg.com).

Who can order Scrip?

Anyone. School families, church members, grandparents, aunts, uncles, other family members, and friends.

What company do we order from?

The cards are delivered from a company called Great Lakes Scrip Center. Their website is www.shopwithscrip.com. On their website you will find a complete list of over 750 businesses that offer scrip (besides local vendors).

Local Vendors

West Bend Lakes Golf Courses, Thairapy by Jess and Hair by Lori. We are open to adding more local vendors as they become available.

Scrip Coordinator

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