

How to use SCRIP for St. Mary IC School

What is SCRIP? Scrip is simply gift card fundraising. Earn money for school simply by buying gift cards to use for everyday purchases, instead of cash or credit cards. You pay \$10 for a \$10 gift card (or \$100 for a \$100 gift card, etc.) and a percentage of each purchase goes directly to St. Mary IC School. The percentage given to the school varies from about 2% to 13%; you can see what percentage each business pays to the school on the scrip website.

What places use SCRIP? There are *over* 500 businesses that use the SCRIP program! Just to name a few: Amazon, AMC Theaters, Best Buy, Cabelas, Dicks Sporting Goods, Kohls, Lowes, Menards, Sam's Club, TJ Maxx, Target, Ulta, Walmart....and many, many more! Almost all chain restaurants (Texas Roadhouse, Olive Garden, Pizza Ranch, Burger King, etc) use scrip as well. You can see the entire list of SCRIP participants at www.raiseright.com.

Where can I get SCRIP? In Guttenberg, you can get SCRIP for Caseys, Kwik Star, Benders, and Fareway at People's State Bank.

You can also go online to www.raiseright.com (formerly ShopWithScrip) to access all other scrip. You will have to create an account and **you must enter this code to ensure your account is linked to St. Mary IC School: FCDB6FEA5179**. If you choose to enter a student's name when you set up your account, a portion of the scrip proceeds will go toward that student's tuition! This is a great way for grandparents and others to help with tuition as well!

How do I use the cards? SCRIPcards are used like any other gift card you purchase in store. They are available as physical gift cards that are mailed directly to you OR as digital gift cards that are loaded and usable immediately. Some of the physical gift cards are reloadable, great for those purchases you make regularly! When you install the RaiseRight app on your phone, it is very simple and quick to use!

If you have further questions about SCRIP, please call the school office at 563-252-1577 or email Erin at eschmelzer@smic.pvt.k12.ia.us

Each dollar you spend using SCRIP makes a difference... THANK YOU for supporting the wonderful students and staff of St. Mary IC School AND for encouraging businesses to support them as well by using SCRIP! Want to do more? Encourage others to use SCRIP too! Feel free to share this info with anyone who would like to do more to support St. Mary IC School 😊

