



## SES “SCRIP for TUITION” Program



### INFORMATION

There's a lot of people that are not familiar with a SCRIP program. Hopefully you will find this information to be helpful in guiding you on how to buy SCRIP and telling you the benefits of purchasing SCRIP. The program began in February 2007 to help families offset the cost of tuition. This is not just for St. Eugene students. This is a Tuition program, therefore, you can use these vouchers for ALL CCD programs, High Schools and Colleges. As long as the program is active, the vouchers **never** expire. The sooner you start, the more you save!

**WHAT IS SCRIP?** Scrip is a term that means “substitute money”. SCRIP are gift cards you buy to purchase your weekly groceries, department store shopping, restaurants, and more. You can even pay off your Kohl's credit card charges with Kohl's SCRIP. The percentage you get back depends on the store.

The SCRIP program costs you **nothing**. **EXAMPLE:** If you spend \$200 a week at Giant – purchase the gift cards in advance and you will earn back \$6.00 (3%) a week towards tuition. Times that by 4 weeks and earn \$24.00 a month towards your tuition. Times that by 52 weeks and on Giant alone, you have earned \$312.00. If you have to shop, you might as well get something back. You can really build up your vouchers by having other people buy SCRIP for you.

Along with the weekly inventory, there is a form that allows you to order from numerous stores. This is called a “special order”. Special orders need to be turned in at SCRIP sales by the last Sunday of the month. Order will be ready for pickup at SCRIP sales on 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month.

*It's that simple!*

### How Does It Work???

#### Purchase Instructions

- Purchase the amount of SCRIP you need
- Pay by check or cash (if paying by check, include telephone number)
- A White/Pink voucher will be written out totaling the percentage of your purchase. You will receive the white portion and we will obtain the pink portion.
- There is **no** tracking per family with the vouchers.

**NOTE:** Please treat the vouchers as cash. If you lose the voucher, you lose the money that you earned on that voucher. We **do not** track family vouchers. The white portion of the voucher needs to be turned in for tuition payment. Read instructions below on how to redeem vouchers.

- If someone would like to purchase SCRIP for you, they simply purchase the SCRIP, take the white voucher and give it to you.
- If you want to buy SCRIP, but have no one to buy it for, please tell the person selling the SCRIP and they will place the voucher in an “Angel” box to help other families.



## Voucher Redemption

### **\*\*ST. EUGENE FAMILY\*\* (School and CCD)**

If your child attends St. Eugene School or St. Eugene CCD:

- Fill out “Voucher Redemption” form
- Forms can be found on School website or obtained from front office in the Rectory
- Place in a sealed envelope along with vouchers and drop off at Rectory.
- On the front of the envelope please write “SCRIP for Tuition” and Family Name
- There is no minimum – you can turn in your vouchers at any time.
- Vouchers are due the last Sunday of each month and tuition will be credited by the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month.
- **NOTE:** You can call the rectory at any time to find out balance owed on tuition. They can also give you a breakout of how payments were made.

### **\*\*NON-ST. EUGENE SCHOOL\*\***

If your child attends a school other than St. Eugene:

- Obtain a “Check Request” form
- Forms can be found on School website or front office in the Rectory
- Fill out “Check Request” form and place in a sealed envelope along with your vouchers.
- On the envelope, please write “Scrip for Tuition” & “Family Name”
- Redemption forms must be handed in the last Sunday of the month.
- Checks will be available for pick up at the Rectory the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month.
- **NOTE:** Vouchers cannot be less than \$50.00 for redemption

### **Rectory Hours:**

Monday – Friday 8:30am-7:30pm \*\* Saturday 9:30am-5:00pm \*\* Sunday 9:00am-1:00pm  
If dropping off, use mail slot to the right of the front door which goes directly into rectory.

*The sooner you start buying....*



*the quicker you start saving!!!  
(It adds up fast!!!)*

**All** SCRIP forms can be found on the St. Eugene School Website

[www.sainteugeneschool.org](http://www.sainteugeneschool.org)

Click on “Scrip Forms” link

***Don't be left out ---- Get With The Program!!***

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