

## **Presentation of Mary Academy**

Private Catholic Coeducational Academy Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 8

## Dear PMA Parent:

We're pleased to continue our Scrip fundraising program for PMA. It's the fundraising program that works while you shop.

Scrip is simply a word that means "substitute money" – in other words, scrip gift cards are from national and local retailers. They're the same gift cards that you buy at the store. Many popular retailers participate in our scrip program including JC Penney, Pizza Hut, Olive Garden, Home Depot, etc. Please see the list of participating retailers on the order form enclosed. You can find many more online.

You're probably asking yourself how these stores help us raise money. It's simple - Scrip participating retailers agree to sell gift cards to PMA at a discount. PMA families and friends purchase the cards for full face value, they redeem them for full face value, and **PMA applies the % each retailer give us towards your buyout fundraising fee** or if your family is not doing the buyout option, we will designate the money for continued upgrades to our curriculum and the programs we offer our children. We predict that if 50% of our families purchased the gift cards through PMA, we would earn approximately \$10,000 per year. Last year we raised over \$5,000!

- You can order physical cards and eGift cards by placing your order online at <a href="http://www.shopwithscrip.com/">http://www.shopwithscrip.com/</a> Online ordering has many more gift cards to choose from. Create an account using the PMA Enrollment Code. (call for code) Place your order by Wednesday evenings. You may pay with 2 options
  - Send a check to PMA with a **copy of your order confirmation**.
  - Pay online through either bank account (\$0.15 fee) or credit card (2.6% fee)
- 2. You may also return the attached Order Form with a check made out to PMA for the total amount of cards you are purchasing. (order forms can also be found on parents plus portals) All order forms must be returned to the school office no later than Thursday morning on the dates below.

## 3. **NEW MOBILE APP: RaiseRight** by ShopWithScrip

RaiseRight is simply the right way to fundraise for our organization. Shop gift cards from more than 750 top brands to earn on your daily purchases—right from your phone. Sign in with your same ShopWithScrip username and password. Access your gift cards right away. And check out with payment information already saved to your account. Get the app: <a href="https://www.raiseright.com/">https://www.raiseright.com/</a>

## All card orders will be sent home in the white envelopes on the following Wednesday.

Thank you for your support! Please do not hesitate to contact Donna DesRuisseaux 603-889-6054 (opt #4) or at <a href="mailto:description-besseaux@pmaschool.org">desRuisseaux@pmaschool.org</a> for more information.

Sincerely,	Order Dates:		
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Sr. Maria Rosa, pm	09/30/21	12/16/21	03/24/22
Principal Principal	10/14/21	01/06/22	04/07/22
	10/28/21	01/20/22	04/21/22
	11/10/21	02/03/22	05/05/22
	12/02/21	02/17/22	