

Holy Family School Fundraising Incentive Program

Dear Holy Family School Parents,

We are grateful for your choice to support the mission of Holy Family Catholic School by sending your children here.

The following guideline has been created by the Diocese to represent how our Catholic School should be funded:

40% - Tuition

40% - Parish Subsidy

20% - Fundraising

Historically, we are meeting our fundraising goal of 20% and we appreciate your contributions. However, tuition is falling short of its goal and the Parish is making up the difference.

We want to keep tuition hikes to a minimum. In order to avoid sizable increases to meet the guidelines set by the Diocese, our fundraising efforts must continue to grow.

The Fundraising Incentive Program generates revenue for the operating expenses of the school to keep Holy Family's tuition the lowest in the area. This program can also help families significantly cover their own tuition costs. The more you participate, the more credit you receive.

The program is as easy as 1-2-3

- 1. You and your family participate in the programs fundraising events.***
- 2. Reach and exceed the goals set for the events.***
- 3. You receive credit towards next year's tuition.***

Families who exceed the incentive goals will receive a tuition credit of 50% of their overage. Tuition credits will be applied to your account on School Business Day the following year.

The following events have been approved by the School Board for the program. Participation in the approved fundraising events is the only way to receive credit towards your family's account.

- A) Fall Candy Sale – A goal of \$75 in sales or \$50 buy-out ***per student***
- B) Christmas Concert Raffle – A goal of (5) tickets (\$25) ***per family***
- C) Dinner/Auction Gala – A goal of (2) event tickets (\$60) ***per family***
- D) Annual Fund – A goal of a \$50 donation ***per family***
- E) Tuition Raffle – A goal of (1) ticket (\$20) ***per family***

* For B, C, D and E – only pre-sales will be counted; no sales at the event will count.

*The tuition credit for the sum of categories B, C, D and E is \$800 max.

Frequently Asked Questions

- ***Is the Fundraising Incentive Program mandatory?***

No, the program is not mandatory for the 2017/2018 school year. However, all families will be tracked for statistical purposes.

- ***How will individual family participation be tracked?***

Each school family is assigned a number, distributed shortly after School Business Day. This number should be placed on all correspondence returned to school in conjunction with each event. That number is yours until you no longer have a child at the school.

- ***Do my family and friends purchases count towards my goals?***

YES, please give your family number to anyone wishing to contribute toward your family goal for any of the approved events.

- ***How do I “buy-out” of the Fall Candy Sale?***

A buy-out voucher will be included with your Candy Sale packet, return that voucher with your buy-out amount (\$50 per student) when orders are due.

- ***What if I don't reach my goal in one or more fundraising events?***

The incentive program is a “bottom line” program. You can make up any shortage in one event with any combination of the others.

- ***My child is an 8th grade student, how does this program help me?***

Families of 8th grade students with no younger siblings may be reimbursed the credit amount in lieu of a tuition credit or donate their credit to the Annual Fund or Holy Family Parish.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Please direct your questions regarding the program or your family's account to:
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