



What is "Scrip?"

- Scrip is like a gift certificate or gift card. You purchase it in advance & then use it like cash at the 100+ vendors that participate in our Scrip program.
- It works like this: if you buy \$250 worth of Mother's Market scrip, you get all \$250 to spend at Mother's Market. In turn, Mother's Market gives the school 10% of the Scrip value (which is \$25) & that 10% gets credited to your family scrip account.
- It doesn't cost you a penny extra...just a smidgen of your time.
- Each vendor has a separate percentage amount that goes back to the school. The percentages vary: from 1.5% to 25%.
- You can pick up a scrip order form, with the vendors, percentages earned & denominations, in the Front Office. You may also get a listing online at [www.waldorfschool.com](http://www.waldorfschool.com) under the Scrip tab.
- Every vendor listed on the scrip order form is stocked, activated & ready for immediate use, unless the current supply has sold out & we are awaiting delivery of more.
- It is just like CASH—ready to use.

Where do I purchase scrip?

- Scrip is available in The Scrip Store, an office within the Front Office every school day, 8AM to 3PM.
- You may buy scrip at any interval that works for your family: monthly, bi-weekly, weekly or even daily!
- It is also available to order online at [www.waldorfschool.com](http://www.waldorfschool.com) under the Scrip tab.

What is my obligation?

- Every family (not every child) has an obligation in the tuition contract of \$275 scrip profit per year.
- So depending on the different percentage amounts, it could look like this:
  - Mother's Market \$250 (10%--\$25 earned towards your scrip account)
  - Arco Gasoline \$100 (1.5%--\$1.50 earned towards your scrip account)
  - Amazon.com \$50 (3%--\$1.50 earned towards your scrip account)
  - iTunes \$15 (10%--\$1.50 earned towards your scrip account)
  - (this scrip purchase has earned \$29.50 towards the required \$275)
- And so on until the total amount earned from scrip profits reaches \$275.
- This fundraiser doesn't cost you a penny extra.

How will I know how my family scrip account is doing?

- Individualized family quarterly reports are prepared & will be available for families to pick up from The Scrip Store-- they will not be mailed.
- For the scrip quarter of August, September & October, the reports will be ready for pick up on Friday, November 8, 2013.
- For the scrip quarter of November, December & January, the reports will be ready for pick up on Friday, February 7, 2014.
- For the scrip quarter of February, March & April, the reports will be ready for pick up on Friday, May 9, 2014.
- You may also ask at any time for an update how your family's scrip account is progressing.

Once I reach \$275 scrip profit from scrip purchases...GREAT NEWS:

- You will be contacted & congratulated by the Scrip Coordinator!
- That \$275 gets 'rolled over' to next year's scrip deposit amount & you don't get an invoice for another \$275—you have saved \$275!
- ALL scrip profits after \$275 will be equally split between the Operating Budget (salaries, electric bill & so on) and your child(ren)'s classroom(s) (helping to boost the class fund!).
- This is still not costing you a penny extra!

What happens if I don't reach the \$275 scrip profit amount?

- You will receive an invoice for the remaining amount not met.
- If you reached \$100 scrip profit, then your invoice will be \$175 for the upcoming school year.
- Your student's class account will not receive any money directly from your scrip purchases.

What are my other options?

- You may give the school a tax-deductible amount of \$275 to meet your scrip obligation upfront & then any scrip purchases made thereafter will be shared equally with the Operating Budget & your child(ren)'s classroom(s).

Why buy scrip?

- Tuition alone does not cover the cost of the rich curriculum that your child(ren) receives here—this type of fundraiser helps bridge the gap.
- IT'S EASY! You can order ahead online or simply walk in to The Scrip Store.
- We also MAIL scrip, for a small fee, to anywhere in the United States.
- Many families use scrip as a means of budgeting—if you normally spend \$200 at Sprouts Farmer's Market for a certain time period, buying the same amount of Sprouts scrip may help your family stay within the budgeted amount.
- Scrip makes GREAT gifts...*especially* during the Holiday Season. No more standing in line at the grocery store & paying activation fees for all of those gift cards!
- It doesn't cost you a penny extra...in fact: some scrip saves you money (Edwards, AMC & See's Candies).
- You'll save \$275 YEARLY once you make your commitment.

What is shopwithscrip.com?

- Once you register at shopwithscrip.com, you may re-load some of your gifts cards or buy scripNOW—an eCard emailed directly to you.
- This is a great way to help the environment AND earn scrip credit from the convenience of your home or office at any hour.
- The WSOC enrollment code is **2C23E35E6868**.

How do I reach my yearly scrip commitment?

- Start out by thinking the basics: gas & groceries. Once this works for your family, think home improvement (Home Depot or Lowe's). Then think birthdays, appreciation gifts & December Holidays.
- Ask for help: circulate the scrip order form amongst family, friends, neighbors & co-workers—whatever they order, your family gets that scrip profit amount.
- Compare your credit card receipts to the scrip order form to see where you shop, then buy scrip for those stores.
- Ask other parents how they do it or visit The Scrip Store where we will be happy to guide you.

Thank you for your time,  
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