



St. Mary School System Referral Incentive Program & Guidelines

At St. Mary, we take very seriously our mission to provide a Catholic Christian education to all our students. We also respect the fact that our parents and families share in this mission as the first teachers of our faith.

We have developed the following incentive program to aid and reward our families in referring new students. In order to receive these benefits, **the subsequent guidelines must be followed before the family registers/enrolls.**

When referring new students to SMSS, the referring family must:

- Complete a REFERRAL INFORMATION SHEET (RIS) online by going to www.smss.org, clicking on the Parents tab, then completing the RIS.
- NOTE: should more than one family refer a prospective student who enrolls, the family who submits the RIS first will receive the tuition incentive.

Tuition Incentive Referral Program and Incentives:

- The tuition incentive applies only for families enrolling K-12 students*. (Preschool is tax deductible, tuition is not. We wait to give the incentive for K-12 enrollment.)
- *Families referring Preschool families who enroll a student in Kindergarten after attending St. Mary Preschool will receive the incentive when the Preschool student enrolls and attends St. Mary Kindergarten. However, the RIS must be completed before the prospective Preschool student enrolls in St. Mary Preschool.
- **Referring family gets a \$1,500 one-time referral discount per new *paying student* with the stipulation that the new student must stay one full year and return after the first full year.**
- Total tuition discounts will be applied for tuition costs while the student(s) is/are enrolled until the full amount has been applied.
- The tuition discounts may not be applied to non-tuition fees.
- New family gets 30% off total tuition expenses per child the first year enrolled in K-12 and 20% off the second year. Families will pay full tuition each year thereafter.
- This program can be recalled at any time upon the recommendation of the school administration in conjunction with SMEC (St. Mary Education Committee).