

# Saint Theresa Parish/School

## Smart Money Scholarship Program Application

Application Due Date: **June 1, 2017\*** – NO EXCEPTIONS!!

**\*Families with graduating 8<sup>th</sup> graders or 12<sup>th</sup> graders without younger siblings must apply by April 15<sup>th</sup>.**

**Scholarship Program is funded by the credits earned from gift card purchases  
from June 1, 2016 through May 31, 2017.**

Please submit application to: Saint Theresa School Office or Saint Theresa Parish Office to the attention of JACKIE CONARD by 4 p.m. June 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Full Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student(s) Name(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Street Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please apply scholarship award to the following program:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Saint Theresa School        | <input type="checkbox"/> Trinity High School List FACTS # _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bishop McDevitt High School | <input type="checkbox"/> Religious Education                    |

**Amount Requested: \$** \_\_\_\_\_ This value should reflect the amount of financial assistance that your family truly needs to support your student(s) in their Catholic education.

**How do you want your scholarship award paid?**

All deducted from my August bill and any remainder deducted on the September bill.



If your child is graduating and you are not moving on to a Catholic school, please check this box. **Application is then due April 15<sup>th</sup>.**

**Justification for the Requested Amount:** Please provide a brief description of why you are requesting the amount listed above. Be sure to include any extenuating circumstances such as loss of job, medical bills, etc. if appropriate.

*I have read and understand the Smart Money Scholarship Program Guidelines (reverse side) and hereby agree to abide by those requirements. Distribution of Scholarship Funds for Saint Theresa School occurs in August as applied directly to your tuition account for the 2017/2018 school year. You will be notified by letter in July of the amount of your scholarship award. Thank you for participating in this Scholarship program and helping your School. All information on this program can be found on the school website under Fundraising.*

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**Parent or Guardian Signature**

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**Date**

**Saint Theresa School - Smart Money Scholarship Program**  
**June 1 through May 31<sup>st</sup>**

**Description of Program:**

The Smart Money Scholarship Program is a program run by volunteers at Saint Theresa School and Parish. This program supports students that attend Saint Theresa School, Trinity High School, Bishop McDevitt High School and our Religious Education program. The larger the proceeds are from card sales, the larger the fund, therefore more dollars are available to distribute to Scholarship recipients.

**Eligibility/Program Requirements:**

1. To be eligible you must participate in the Smart Money Program by purchasing gift cards on a regular basis.
2. You must submit a Smart Money Scholarship Application by the appropriate deadline.
3. Distribution of Funds is contingent upon continued operation of the program by volunteers and the generation of sufficient proceeds to meet the scholarship requests.

**Distribution of Funds:**

Notifications of scholarship awards are made in July. Scholarship amounts will appear as a credit on the tuition agreement or statement for those families in August. Payment will be made directly to the high schools or to the Religious Education Program for students attending those programs.

**Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ):**

- Question:** My child is graduating and will not be attending a Catholic school next year. How does the program work for us?
- Answer:** Families with no remaining siblings will receive your scholarship award credited to your May tuition bill. Your scholarship application will be due April 15<sup>th</sup>.
- Question:** How much do I put down on the amount requested on the Scholarship Application?
- Answer:** Ask for the amount that you feel you need based on your family's finances.
- Question:** I have my parents and co-workers buying Smart Money for me. Do they need to fill out a Smart Money Scholarship application?
- Answer:** No. Only the school family should apply for a scholarship.
- Question:** I have an 8<sup>th</sup> grade student who will be going to a Catholic High School. How does that work for Smart Money?
- Answer:** Indicate on your application where the tuition award should be made (check the appropriate box). We will work with you and the appropriate tuition management system at the school.

For more information, please see [www.sainttheresaschool.org](http://www.sainttheresaschool.org), click "fundraising", then "Smart Money."

You may also call the Smart Money Coordinators:  
Joyce 717-805-9908 or Linda 209-479-4517