

2009-10 Annual Fund Campaign

I/we would like to contribute to the Tuition Assistance Fund for the benefit of the students at St. John's with a one-time gift of \$ _____.

For one-time gifts:

____ Check # _____ Checks payable to: SJRCS Annual Fund

____ Credit Card-Visa/MasterCard
_____ Exp. Date _____

I/we would like to support the Tuition Assistance Fund at St. John's by making a pledge of \$ _____.

Please send me monthly pledge reminders. **I understand all pledges must be paid in full by June 30, 2010.**

Pledge amount \$ _____

Monthly pledge amount \$ _____

Paid by:

____ Check # _____ Checks payable to: SJRCS Annual Fund

____ Credit Card—Visa/Master Card
_____ Exp. Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Signature _____

Annual Giving Clubs

Friends \$1—\$99
Supporters \$100—\$249
Associates \$250—\$499
Leaders \$500—\$999

The 1829 Society

Council \$1000—\$2499
Circle \$2500—\$4999
Ambassador \$5000—\$9999
Benefactor \$10,000 +

Our annual campaign runs from
July 1, 2009—June 30, 2010

Annual Fund gifts are recognized annually
in the Report to Donors



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The Annual Fund is an essential revenue source for our school. It invites a yearly gift to St. John's which is designated for a specific program.

In recent years contributions to the Annual Fund have benefitted the computer lab, playground, science lab, library and tuition assistance.

The cost of educating our students cannot be fully covered by tuition, so we rely primarily upon the generosity of the entire school community— alumni, parents, grandparents, friends, faculty and staff—to support an Annual Fund drive.

Your Annual Fund gift helps maintain the quality of a St. John's education for today's students and enhances your connection to the school. Your gift is an investment in our children's future.



Making Catholic Education a Priority

Many families make sacrifices so that their children can have a quality, Catholic education. For some, there may be a need for assistance with tuition costs.

Approximately 20 percent of students who enrolled at St. John's received financial aid in 2009. Thanks to the generosity of those who contributed to the 2008-09 Annual Fund for tuition assistance, \$16,000 was distributed this year among many families who were in need. This amount is in addition to the tuition assistance provided from various sources, including the St. John School Endowment Fund, Friends of Catholic Education, The McSherry Scholarship Fund, Eliot Kelly Scholarship Fund, the Knott Foundation and the seven regional parishes.



Tuition Assistance Fund

Due to cost of living increases and changes in the economy, more families are expected to apply for financial aid in the coming year.

To meet the need for increased financial assistance, contributions to the 2009-10 Annual Fund will once again be directed to a special tuition assistance fund for next year's qualifying students. In this way, the school will have the resources to assist more families in financial need. Your gift will help these families realize their dream of a Catholic education for their children.

Matching Gifts

Matching gifts are contributions made by an employer to match an employee's gift. To determine whether your company or that of your spouse provides matching gifts, simply contact your personnel office.

Tax Deductible

Your gift to St. John's Annual Fund is fully tax-deductible.

