



**Shop with Scrip cards and earn \$\$\$ for Reed at no extra cost to you!**

## What is Scrip?

Scrip is a fundraising program that helps thousands of schools earn free money! Scrip turns everyday shopping into cash for your school when families use Scrip-purchased retail gift cards to pay for purchases (i.e., gas, groceries) instead of credit/debit card or cash.

## How Does It Work?

You buy retail gift cards through your Scrip program at face value. Reed PTA buys the gift cards at 1-13% less than face value (varies by retailer). The difference between face value and what the school pays = funds that directly support PTA programs at Reed, such as Art Vistas, library books, Accelerated Reader, the music program, technology, etc.

## Put Your Shopping Dollars to Work!

Going grocery shopping, buy a \$100 Safeway gift card for \$100 through our Scrip program. Cha-ching! You just earned \$4 for the school because Safeway gift cards are available from Great Lakes Scrip Center at 4% less than face value. When you check out at Safeway, pay with your Scrip card instead of using a your credit/debit card or cash.

Now that you have your Safeway Scrip card, you can log in online, reload the card with more money and continue to shop this way each week, earning money for our school without spending an extra dime! Don't shop at Safeway? No worries, you can also do this with a Starbucks, Target or gas cards, as well as so many other local restaurants and merchants. See how those earnings really add up!

\$100 at Safeway per week = \$16 a month  
\$100 at Target per month = \$4.50 a month  
\$100 in gas per month = \$2.50 a month  
\$50 at restaurants per month = \$5 a month

**\$28 per family X 100 families = \$2,800 per month of FREE MONEY to support our school!**

**Read on for more information on how you can participate!**

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# Ready to participate? Here's how...

## Option #1

Create your **ShopWithScrip** account and order your scrip online!

### **How to Register:**

- To place your Scrip orders online create an account at [www.ShopWithScrip.com](http://www.ShopWithScrip.com).
- Select the **Register** button at the top of the page.
- Next, click **Join a Scrip Program**. Enter the enrollment code for Reed Elementary, which is **3LC126738895**. This code allows the ShopWithScrip system to link your account to our organization and fulfill your orders. Fill in all the required information and click **Register**.

### **Using ShopWithScrip.com**

You can manage your account through the **Dashboard** feature. To see what is available use the **Shop** tab. The **Express Order** tab allows you to quickly add items to your cart. You can also create your own **Shopping Lists** for items that you regularly order. When you order a gift card check for the available formats.

**Physical cards** are the standard store plastic cards. When you place an order for a physical card, your order will be processed on the first or third Wednesday of the month and be available for pick up at the Scrip table on the following Wednesday before or after school.

**ScripNow eCards** are electronic gift cards that can be printed from your computer or used online by entering the card number and PIN at the checkout page. These electronic gift cards can also be used on your smart phone at time of purchase.

**Reload Cards** allow you to add funds to gift cards that you have already purchased.

### **Paying for Your Order**

Paying for your Scrip is easier than ever. Now you can pay online for your purchases by registering your bank account with PrestoPay at checkout.

If you prefer to write checks, please make them payable to Reed PTA, and write Scrip in the memo line, along with your order number and submit it to the office or Scrip table. Please note that we cannot process your order until we receive payment.

## Option #2

Stop by the Scrip table on Wednesday before or after school and place your order.

## Option #3

Fill out the Scrip Order Form and have your student turn it in to their teacher or the office. Attach a check for the full amount to the form. You will receive an email confirmation when your order is available for pickup, or if you sign the release, your order will be sent home with your student.