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**Support Arizona Schools at
No Cost to Yourself!**

Two Ways to Take an
Arizona State Income Tax Credit
(you can take them both)

Public School Tuition Tax Credit (see reverse side for private schools information)



The Arizona State income tax credit program allows you to give up to \$400 (married filing jointly) or \$200 (single filer) this year to a public school and claim the full amount as a tax credit against your state income tax, thereby benefitting the school at no cost to yourself. In addition, the amount contributed may be deductible on your Federal income tax form. (Please check with your tax accountant to determine whether you are eligible for this deduction.)

The Outreach Ministry Commission at St. Philip's In The Hills has identified five elementary schools and one middle school as "needy schools" and urges those parishioners who pay Arizona State income tax to contribute to one of these schools through this program. St. Philip's already has ties to three of the schools, Rio Vista, Holaway, and Mission View, through existing outreach programs. The two remaining elementary schools, Lawrence and Johnson, and the middle school, Hohokam, all have large numbers of Native American students.

HOW WILL MY DONATION BE USED?

Funds are used to pay for musical instruments, physical education, art supplies, sports equipment, field trips, and other enrichment opportunities.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Any individual who pays Arizona State income tax. You don't even have to live in the school district you are donating to.

MUST I GIVE THE FULL \$400/\$200?

You can give any amount up to \$400/\$200, which you can then deduct from your state income tax bill. The schools will be happy to receive any amount.

IS THERE A DEADLINE?

Contributions must be postmarked no later than 31 December 2011 to be valid for the Arizona State income tax credit. Your check must be dated prior to 1 January 2012.

HOW DO I CONTRIBUTE?

Write your check(s) for up to a total of \$400/\$200, payable to the school or schools of your choice, and indicate whether your donation is to be directed to athletics or fine arts. Include your name and address if different from or not complete on the check, and mail to the school, along with a self-addressed, stamped envelope. The school will return to you a receipt to be attached to your 2011 Arizona State income tax form on which you will take the credit for your contribution. You can also deduct the amount on your Federal tax form if you itemize deductions.

ADDRESSES FOR THE SCHOOLS

Holaway Elementary School
3500 N. Cherry Avenue
Tucson, AZ 85719

Johnson Primary School
6060 S. Joseph Avenue
Tucson, AZ 85746

Lawrence Intermediate School
4850 W. Jeffrey Road
Tucson, AZ 85746

Mission View Elementary School
2600 S. 8th Avenue
Tucson, AZ 85713

Rio Vista Elementary School
1351 E. Limberlost Road
Tucson, AZ 85719

Hohokam Middle School
7400 S. Settler Avenue
Tucson, AZ 85746

YOU MAY ALSO DONATE ONLINE: Go to www.tusd.k12.az.us or www.amphi.com and click on "AZ tax credit"

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Private School Tuition Tax Credit (see reverse side for public schools information)

Arizona law provides for a credit of up to \$1,000 against state income tax obligations to any taxpayers filing jointly and \$500 for a single filer for payments made to a qualified School Tuition Organization. The Episcopal Schools Foundation is such a qualified School Tuition Organization.

The Outreach Ministry Commission at St. Philip's encourages contributions to Imago Dei Middle School using this provision of the law. To qualify for enrollment in the Imago Dei middle school program, students must come from families that are at or below the poverty line. The school, founded and run by the Revs. Susan Anderson-Smith and Anne Sawyer, goes beyond classroom learning to address needs that might interfere with a child's ability to achieve. They can receive donations through The Episcopal Schools Foundation. In addition, there are two other Episcopal schools in Tucson, St. Michael's Day School and Tuller School, to which you can contribute in this way.

HOW WILL MY DONATION BE USED?

Funds are used for scholarships for students attending private/parochial schools. Your contribution cannot be designated for a specific student.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Any individual who pays Arizona State income tax.

MUST I GIVE THE FULL \$1000/\$500?

You can give any amount up to the maximum \$1000/\$500 and you can divide your contribution between more than one school.

IS THERE A DEADLINE?

Contributions can now be accepted through April 15 for credit in the previous year. A contribution must be postmarked by April 15 or received online by midnight on April 15 to be eligible for credit in the previous calendar year. Contributions received between December 31 and April 15 must indicate which tax year it is to be recorded towards. Contributions received AFTER April 15 will be recorded towards the current tax year.

HOW DO I CONTRIBUTE?

Write your check(s) for up to a total of \$1000/\$500, payable to the Episcopal Schools Foundation. Include your name and address if different from or not complete on the check, and mail to the Episcopal Schools Foundation, along with a self-addressed, stamped envelope. The Episcopal Schools Foundation will return to you a receipt to be attached to your 2011 Arizona State income tax form on which you will take the credit for your contribution. You can also deduct the amount on your Federal tax form if you itemize deductions.

ADDRESS

The Arizona Episcopal Schools Foundation
P. O. Box 12927
Tucson, AZ 85732

You may designate a specific Episcopal school or more than one.

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go to <http://www.az-esf.org>

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