



YOUR DONATION COUNTS!

2018-19 SVDP Parent Appeal Campaign

Oct 5, 2018

Your funds support enriched learning!

Scientists in the School



St. Vincent de Paul has a strong Catholic School Parent Committee (CSPC), made up of parents, teachers, and our principal who work to provide leadership on the enriching programs the sets our school apart. CSPC also raises important funds to support these programs.

Last year, our St. V de P families raised **\$31,715** (net funds) through fundraising activities. These funds are used to support activities that are NOT part of the school's block budget. These programs reflect the "School Learning Improvement Plan" and build upon enriching your child's education at ALL grade levels.

Art Enrichment



Our goal is to raise \$8,500 this year through the Parent Appeal Campaign. With approximately 350 students at the school, a donation of \$25/student or \$50/family would help us achieve our goal! This is a voluntary campaign and any donation is appreciated, and can be made at any point in the school year.

Charitable tax receipts will be issued for donation of \$10.00 or more.

Technology (including Math Technology)



Based on parent feedback, CSPC understands that you are looking for enriching programs that support your children in areas such as: **Science & Technology, Art, Music & Instruments, and Athletics.** Funds raised through the Parent Appeal allow our school to support these initiatives – making your child's experience at St. Vincent de Paul the best it can be!

The School's Block Budget:

Each year the school is assigned a "block budget" by the Toronto Catholic District School Board. The budget is the school's only source of board funds provided to cover expenses such as: textbooks, photocopying, printing, consumables such as pencils, classroom supplies, notebooks, school equipment such as desks, clocks, bulletin boards, equipment and maintenance.

Music Enrichment, Instruments, and Drama

The Block Budget does not cover our school's additional enrichment programs. Which is why the Parent Appeal Campaign is so important!

Athletics & Team Building



Buses for Trips and Sports



What about other fundraisers?

CSPC will continue with our best fundraisers throughout the year such as: Friday Pizza Lunch, Dance-a-thon and the Christmas Event. In response to parent feedback, CSPC will be working to limit the number of fundraisers throughout the school year, with more focused events, as well as adding 'free' events geared to bring together our community in ways for everyone to participate.

Summary of Last Year's Funds Raised (net)



Friday Pizza Lunch → \$10,324

Parent Appeal → \$8,854

Christmas Event → \$7,823

Dance-a-thon → \$4,150

Movie Nights → \$22

QSP Magazines → \$80

Parent Social → \$462

Total (net) → \$31,715

To Participate in the Parent Appeal Fundraiser - Two Options:

1. NEW! Donate online! Access School Cash Online at <https://tcdsb.schoolcashionline.com/>

1. Please Sign In, or Register
 2. Select the Items tab and then click the Make A Donation button.
 3. Select the Amount of the donation, or enter in a custom value.
 4. In the Fund Destination drop down please select Your Child's School.
 5. In the Message to School Board field box, type in "2018 CSPC Parent Appeal Campaign".
2. When a donation is made, the KEV system will automatically email the charitable receipt to the donor.

2. Donate cash or cheque - Please complete the form below and return it, along with your donation, in a sealed envelope to school. Donations can be sent with your child or dropped off at the school office.

Enclosed is our donation of (please circle): \$25 \$50 \$75 Other_____

Payment Method: Cash Cheque

Please make cheque payable to: **St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School**

I would like a tax receipt. (In order to issue a tax receipt, please provide the following):

Student's Name: _____ Grade: _____ Teacher: _____

Parent's Name: _____ Daytime Phone #: _____

Address: _____ Postal Code: _____