



2008-2009

The Priory School ANNUAL CAMPAIGN

The Priory's
60th
Anniversary
Annual
Campaign



The Power of One

What is the Annual Campaign?

Since tuition alone does not cover the cost of educating our students, once every year we ask our board, faculty, staff, parents, and friends to make a conscious, unconditional financial contribution to our beloved school. The Annual Campaign is not just for one classroom or just for one year. Contributors give because they support the mission and work of this school for their own children, for their children's friends at The Priory and for all the children of the future who will come to enjoy the blessing of a Priory education.

Thanks to the
generosity of
fifty-five friends,
families, teachers,
and employees,
The Priory
School
2007-2008
Annual Campaign
raised \$18,785.

Thank you
for
your support!

Key reasons why The Priory participates in the Annual Campaign:



1. Annual Campaign fundraising allows us to stretch our programs and services beyond the limits of our tuition dollars, enhancing our students learning environment.



2. Fundraising allows us to keep our tuition as low as possible for the general student population while it simultaneously allows those who are capable to contribute significantly more.

How is the money spent?

The Priory is about so much more than academic achievement. The Annual Fund supports a wide range of activities, such as Drama Specialists (Equilibrio), and specialized workshops (Anti Bullying), and since we want to ensure the best possible environment and facilities, the Annual Fund helped provide playground equipment keeping our children safe in a school that allows them to excel and flourish. Our Priory students are the direct beneficiaries of annual giving dollars.

Why is 100% participation important?

Each year the school completes several funding applications and they want to know that our school community is supportive. The more evidence of internal community support, the more successful we will be within the greater community of educational funders.



Can I spread my contribution?

Yes, you may spread your gift out over 4, 6, or 8 payments over the school year on a credit card. The Priory School Development Office will bill your card directly each month so there is no interest expense.

How will you recognize contributors?

We will list the Annual Campaign contributors in the Annual Report and the school Journal. Contributors may request that their names be omitted from listings or that they be listed anonymously.



Are contributions tax deductible?

Yes, and your donation can help twice as much or more, if you work for a company that matches charitable contributions. Feel free to contact the Development Office and we will be happy to help you complete the matching gift form.



*We are counting on your support to achieve our goals
and to keep the pioneering spirit of The Priory alive!*

Together we are achieving great things.

