

Make Your Donation Go Further - Company Matching FAQs

Company matching donations are an excellent way to maximize contributions to Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic School. In fact, depending on the company, employer-matching gifts can double or even triple your original gift.

What is a company matching donation?

A company matching donation, or matching gift, is when a person makes a donation to a non-profit organization and their employer donates an additional amount, often equal or greater than the employee's donation. A matching gift is a great way for a donor to increase their contribution to OLACS!

How do I know if my employer matches my donation?

A list of companies with matching programs can be found on Sycamore. However, it is always best to check with your Human Resources department for specific information on whether they have a matching program and how to request a matching donation.

Does corporate matching benefit my employer?

Definitely, corporations are happy to match your donation as they, too, will get a tax deduction for their donation.

Will corporate matching impact me negatively?

Absolutely not. Companies keep corporate matching data private. No one has access to this data. In most cases, companies outsource the entire process.

Can I process the match request online?

Employer donation matching programs vary by employer, but many companies do allow you to request a matching donation online. Please contact your Human Resources department for more information.

How long before the company match is received by OLA?

It often takes at least a month, and in some cases up to 6 months, for OLA to receive the funds from company matching programs. For this reason, we highly recommend you to start the process as soon as you have made the original donation.

How will matching funds be accounted for?

The match is associated with your family's name and not as a separate gift.