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Dear Students and Parents,

We know that many of you have concerns about how to make a college education more affordable. Through a program called RaiseMe, students can guarantee scholarships from 250+ colleges as early as 9th grade, making it easier to plan financially for school. RaiseMe has proven to be a great tool to motivate students in high schools throughout the U.S.

As an example:

- Get an A in a course (\$100 - \$1,000)
- Get a B in a course (\$50-\$600)
- Participate in a school club or sport (\$25 - \$250)
- And much more!

Our school is taking advantage of this opportunity, which was launched with the support of the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation and U.S. colleges. Here are a couple of easy ways to support your students in using this unique tool:

1. Learn how Raise.Me micro-scholarships work by viewing this video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bpUHdoRV80o>
2. Ensure that your student creates an account at <https://www.raise.me/join/5778868440>
3. Encourage your student to regularly add good grades, community service, extracurricular activities, and other achievements to their RaiseMe Portfolio to earn micro-scholarships from colleges.

We hope using RaiseMe will make your student's path to college both more fun and affordable.

For other scholarship information, click here: <https://www-bhs.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/scholarships/>

Thanks!

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