Claim your $2,177 Arizona tax credit for 2018.

DEADLINE: 4/17/2019

Dear [NAME],

Would you like to help a student in financial need attend a Jewish day school in our community?

And would you like to reduce your 2018 Arizona state income tax payments by up to $2,177?

Well, now you can do both!

How? By making a donation to the Jewish Tuition Organization (JTO) – and Arizona certified School Tuition Organization that gives needed scholarships to Jewish students whose parents cannot afford the full tuition of the Jewish day schools in their area.

By helping a deserving boy or girl get a comprehensive Jewish education, you can contribute meaningfully to the vibrancy and sustainability of Arizona’s Jewish community – and help ensure its future for you and your children.

Now, an easy, government-approved way to slash your 2018 state taxes!

When you give to the Jewish Tuition Organization, you may take a 2018 Arizona state tax credit for up to $1,089 for an individual and $2,177 for a married couple.

The Jewish Tuition Organization is a “School Tuition Organization,” or STO. The Arizona tax code permits individual taxpayers and corporations to donate money to an STO such as ours and receive a dollar for dollar tax credit for their donation.

So if your accountant says you owe money to the state, you can donate that money to the JTO instead of giving it to the Arizona Department of Revenue – and reduce your Arizona income taxes by the amount of your donation, up to a limit of $2,177. That way, your contribution to the JTO … and Jewish education in Arizona … essentially costs you nothing!

JTO scholarships make a difference!

Jewish day schools are vital to our community in Arizona. And the JTO is vital to our Jewish day schools!

“My passion for the Jewish community was ignited as a Jewish day school student,” writes Addi Steinberg. “My school cultivated a family atmosphere that fostered lasting friendships.”

Sabrina Benros says, “Going to a Jewish day school formed my character and instilled the importance of being a leader in the Jewish Community.”

And Eden Schuster notes, “My values, my community, and my life skills are all the product of this priceless … Jewish education.”

Invest in the future of Jewish children.
The Jewish Tuition Organization supports more than 65 percent of the students in our six affiliated...
Jewish day schools, with more than 90 percent of the dollars we raise going to them as scholarships.

JTO awards over $3 million in Jewish day school scholarships annually to more than 600 students. Since 1999, we have given 6,700 scholarships to Jewish students.

“The generous assistance of JTO is what allows me to send my son to a Jewish private school,” says Shari Judah. “This may sound like a small thing. But the effects on my son, and by extension my entire family, cannot be overstated.”

Act now to claim your 2018 tax credit!

“Each of you who pay Arizona state income taxes can direct some of your tax dollars to organizations you care about,” writes Lee Eisinberg in the Jewish News. “In most cases, these Jewish organizations desperately need your help.”

To support Jewish education in the Greater Phoenix area … help a family send their child to a good Jewish day school … and get a handsome tax credit on your 2018 Arizona state returns, why not make a donation to the Jewish Tuition Organization now – while you still have my letter in front of you?

To make a difference in the life of a Jewish youngster in Phoenix – and claim your 2018 tax credit for up to $2,177 – complete the Donation Form and mail it back to us in the enclosed reply envelope today.

For faster service, call JTO at 480-634-4926 now. Or visit https://donations.jtophoenix.org/ today.

Both you and the student you help go to Jewish day school will profit – in more ways than one.

But I urge you to hurry. The deadline for claiming your tax credit is April 17, 2019 or when you file your taxes – whichever comes first. After that, it’s too late.

Sincerely,

Gaby Friedman, Board Member, Jewish Tuition Organization

P.S. The JTO awards the largest number of scholarships to students at Jewish Day Schools, more than any other organization in Arizona. In addition, JTO also awards bigger scholarships to students attending its schools, than any other organization.

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**Jewish Tuition Organization**

**General Scholarship Fund Donation Form**

**Take the Credit for your 2018 Arizona State Income Tax Today!**

**Up to $1,089 for individuals or $2,177 for couples.**

**DEADLINE: April 17, 2019**

Just complete this form today and mail it in with your check or credit card information.

☐ YES! I want to take the tax credit and support Jewish education at the same time!

Name ________________________________

Address _______________________________________________

City__________________________State_________Zip_________

Phone       ____________

Email_________________________________________________

Deadline April 17, 2019, or when you file your taxes, whichever comes first.

☐ Check enclosed for $ ______

☐ Bill my credit card for $ ______

☐ American Express ☐ Discover ☐ MasterCard ☐ Visa

Card # ________________ Exp. Date __________________ CVC______________

Signature______________________________

For monthly support and other payment options, please call 480.634.4926.

Mail all payments to:

Jewish Tuition Organization, General Fund

1118 W Glendale Ave, Phoenix AZ 85021

Receipts and tax forms will be mailed

☐ The donation I am making will be claimed in tax year 2018

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