

**Osseo School District #279 - Employee Discount Services**  
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District 279 ID cards (blue) are needed for certain discounts. Call if you need one. Discounts valid through 12/31/10 unless otherwise stated. \*Prices are updated monthly. See current newsletter or price changes. This newsletter is also available on our web site at [www.edmnosseo.com](http://www.edmnosseo.com). Go to [www.mersc.com](http://www.mersc.com) for a complete listing of MERSC discounts and coupons.

## **AUTO**

AAA (952/927-2706) - New members receive \$10 off program. Must show District ID card.

ABRA Auto Body (763/585-6291) – Choose one: 10% off all body & paint labor; free rental car for every \$500 repair with max 3 days; free headlight aiming with any collision job.

Arden Hills Tire & Service, Anoka (651/490-9271) - 5% off all reg. priced tires, 10% off labor, \$9 tire installation pkg., \$19.95 lube/oil/filter.

Dodge of Blaine (763/780-9999) – Discounts available. Ask for James Richter Sr or Jr.

Bobby & Steve's Auto World (952/831-8833) - \$18.95 oil change, .3 cents off gas pay inside, 10% off labor, 20% off auto detailing, 50% off towing if repaired here, \$2 off any car wash. 7 locations.

Bloomington Chrysler Jeep, Inc. (952/888-9541) – Discount on new/used cars.

Car X (952/906-0909) - Twin City locations, 10% off parts & labor.

Galaxy Auto Center (763/424-8888 Brooklyn Park) – Lube \$7 off reg. price, 10% off labor, 5% off everything and labor to sales of \$100.

Harmon AutoGlass (763/424-1601) – \$40 windshield chip repair (reg. \$60) in shop only by appt..

Jiffy Lube (800/417-7308 or [www.jiffylube.com](http://www.jiffylube.com)) - all locations - 17% discount on all services. Coupon at [www.mersc.com](http://www.mersc.com).

Lupient Fleet (952/884-3333) – Most new vehicles priced at GM supplier price. 20% off parts/labor, complimentary car, \$1495 lube/oil/filter/tire rotation.

Luther Brookdale (763/222-1972) – Supplier pricing on GM models. \$200 off our best price.

Maplewood Toyota (651/482-1322) – Discounts available.

Morrie's Automotive Group (763/424-4400) – Discounts available.

Mr. Tire Service (612/623-3700) - 15% discount on tires, 10% off labor/parts.

Richfield Bloomington Honda (612/866-8832) – 10% off services, parts & accessories.

Rudy Luther's Toyota (763/222-2020) – Discounts available.

## **ENTERTAINMENT**

Afton Alps (651/436-5245) – \$3 off lift ticket Sun.-Thur. \$2 off snow tubing Thur.-Sun. night 4:30-closing.

Barnes & Noble – Save up to 35% off all online orders at [www.bn.com/mersc](http://www.bn.com/mersc)..

Como Town Amusement Park (763/315-3416) – Coupon for \$4 off any ride package valued at \$16.95 or higher.

Jukebox Express (651/697-0024) – Mention MERSC discount when booking for discount.

Metro Dining Club (763/315-3416) - \$20 ('09 cost), 2 for 1 meals each month at each restaurant. May 10 – May 11.

Minnesota Children's Museum - (763/315-3416) – Coupon for \$2 off admission.

Minnesota State Fair (763/315-3416) – Discount admission and ride tickets available in August.

Minnesota Zoo & IMAX- (763/315-3416) - Coupon for discount on admission at [www.mersc.com](http://www.mersc.com).

Movie Tickets (763/315-3416) – Mann, Muller Family Theaters & Regal restricted \$6.50; AMC restricted \$6; AMC no restrictions \$7.50; and Regal no restrictions \$7.50.

Nickelodean Universe at MOA (763/315-3416) – All-day unlimited ride wristband \$26.50.

Paddleford Packet Boat Co. Inc. (651/227-1100) – Discounts available.

Paradise Charter Cruises (952/474-8058) – 10% off brochure rates.

Renaissance Festival (763/315-3416) – Discount admission and food coupon books available in August.

Science Museum – \$2 off exhibit and Omni with ISD blue ID card.

Shoreview Community Center - Tropics Indoor Waterpark, (651/490-4755) - 18+ \$6, 1-17 \$5 with district ID.

Spirit Mountain – Coupons available during ski season at [www.mersc.com](http://www.mersc.com).

Trollhaugen – Coupons available during ski season.

Twins – Please call the office to see if these are available.

Underwater Adventure (763/315-3416) – Coupon worth \$6 off adult/senior/teen admission & \$3.00 off child (3-12).

Valleyfair (763/315-3416) Reg. season tickets available May - November. New 2 day pass for \$50.

Wild Mountain – Coupons available during ski season.

## **FITNESS & HEALTH**

Anytime Fitness (952/431-6113) – 50% off std. enrollment, 10% off monthly dues. 13<sup>th</sup> month free w/pd. In full.

Associated Hearing Instruments of St. Paul (952/431-6113) 17% off base price hearing aids, 10% off manufacturers repairs & \$25 off full hearing exam.

Chinese Acupuncture & Herb Center (952/830-8107) Free consultation for treatment. Some insurances are accepted.

Seattle Sutton's Healthy Eating (763/545-9590 New Hope.) - \$10 off 1st wkly order & \$5 off every week after 1st order.

Spectacle Shoppe, New Brighton (651/636-3434) - 22% discount.

## **HOME**

1-800-Flowers.com (1-800-356-9377) – 15% discount on all items. Promotion code MERSC. [www.1800flowers.com](http://www.1800flowers.com) enter promotion code MERSC (step 5 in the checkout process).

Acorn Mini Storage (763/512-7720) – 1<sup>st</sup> month free w/paid second month. waived adm. & cleanup fees, \$25 moving supplies.

Albertville Outlets – Complimentary VIP coupon book available at the Information Center next to Levis.

Arthur's Jewelers, Roseville 651/488-0365 - 10% off anytime

Bay View Event Center (952/767-3110) – 15% off lunch cruise charter fees. 10% off room fees or charter fees, excl. Fri/Sat nights. Valid Oct. – June 15.

Brinks Home Security (763/559-6008) – Discount on 3 yr. monitoring contract, free installation. Free 2<sup>nd</sup> keypad.

Cell Phones - Select Communications (612/710-2045) Choice of car cord/leather case or \$30 off Bluetooth headset.

COSTCO – \$10 cash card for Gold Start & Business Gold Star membership. \$20 cash card for Executive & Business Executive membership.

Craftsman Home Improvements, Inc. (612/919-2710) - 10% discount on siding, roofing, & windows.

Diamond Connection, Robbinsdale (763/535-9491) - 40%-75% off retail prices.

Edinburgh USA (763-315-8502 Dean) - \$100 off event valued at \$500 or more. \$10 off food & beverage purchase of \$30 or more at Girvan Grille.

Erik's Bike Shop (612/869-BIKE) 10% off reg. in-stock, non-sale price accessories (bikes, snowboards, skateboards, special orders & services not included).

Fertilawn (952/884-7331) 10% off annual 5 appl. program & addl. 5% for annual prepayment. New customers only.

FragranceNet.com – 10% off all orders. Use coupon code MERSC at checkout..

Framing – Art Express (612/247-8800) – 40% off custom framing.

George's Shoes & Repair (651/636-1312) – 5% off repair shoes or 10% w/usable shoe donation for the shoeless.

Invisible Fence Brand (952/941-5100) – \$100 off any installed outdoor system, plus a free indoor system. Free estimates 1/800/824-3647.

Jack Rubenstein Consumer Buying Service(952/922-4781) – Consumer discounts on most products.  
www.jlrwholesaleco.com

Jos. A. Bank, Mens Clothing, Maple Grove (763/420-2273) – 20% discount on reg. prices.

Maple Grove Community Ctr. (763/494-6500) - Discounted rates on pool, indoor playground, ice skating & gym with District ID & 25% off room rental.

Mr. Handyman (www.mrhandyman.com) - \$5 off reg. hourly rates.

Sam's Club (763/315-3416) – \$10 Gift card for new and renewing members when available.

Sprint (763/412-5004 Amanda) – School employees K-12 get a 15% government discount. Use code: GAEDU\_ZZ.

Verizon – School employees K-12 get a 15% government discount. Take your most recent check statement to your Verizon store.

## **LEGAL & MORTGAGE**

Bell Mortgage (612/702-5651 Aaron Vang) – 50% off loan origination fee, free appraisals (\$300 value), free credit report, no application fee, \$100 closing fee, free Brinks Home Security Installation.

Jackson Hewitt Tax Services (763/559-7221) - 20% off tax preparation.

Lange Law Firm (952/837-1900) - 10% discount on most legal services.

Prime Mortgage (763/245-6241) - 50% off loan origination, free appraisal, \$100 closing fee. Free credit consultation/repair, credit report, pre-approval, first time homebuyers packet, & moving truck upon availability.

## **THEATRE**

Actors Theatre (651/290-2290) - \$5 off Thur./Fri./Sun. night performance to Tony N' Tina's Wedding..

Best Western Hudson House Inn w/St. Croix Off Broadway Dinner Theatre (715/386-2394) - \$47.05 dinner, show, tax/tip (reg. \$46.65). 15% off reg. rates on Hudson House Inn rooms. 10% off meeting rooms.

Brave New Workshop (612/332-6620) - \$3 off single ticket sale. Identify as MERSC member.

Chanhassen (952/934-1525) - Ask for MERSC discount, \$47 includes dinner & play, valid all matinees and evenings - EXCEPT SATURDAY EVENING.

Children's Theater (612/874-0400) – [www.childrenstheatre.org](http://www.childrenstheatre.org). Discount Fri. – Sunday. Ask for MERSC discount.

Guthrie Theater (612/377-2224) – 50% discount on any regular adult price Preview performance subject to availability. Ask for Mersc discount.

Jungle Theater (612/278-0145) – Two single tickets for price of one on 1<sup>st</sup> two weeks of any show.

Minnesota Orchestra (612/371-5656) – 20-50% discounts.

Old Log (952/474-5951) – \$4 off Thursday-Friday night or Sunday matinee or evening performances. Not valid in December.

Osseo Theater 2009-10 (763/315-3416) – ISD 279 employees and friends. Tickets are reduced by the Ticketmaster fee and the theatre add on fees.

**Deposit is payment of one ticket per order due at the time of order to hold your seats until the performance date. Statements are sent out when the balance is due. If you place a deposit, you are responsible for full payment. Thank you.**

<i>Emperor's New Clothes</i>	Friday, June 25	12:30 p.m.	Old Log	\$8
<i>Emperor's New Clothes</i>	Friday, July 23	12:30 p.m.	Old Log	\$8
<i>Emperor's New Clothes</i>	Friday, Aug. 6	12:30 p.m.	Old Log	\$8
<i>The Gospel at Colonus</i>	Sunday, Aug. 8	2:00 p.m.	Ordway	\$77
<i>Wicked</i>	Sunday, Aug. 22	6:30 p.m.	Orpheum	\$83
<i>Wicked</i>	Sunday, Sept. 19	6:30 p.m.	Orpheum	\$83
<i>Evita</i>	Sunday, Oct. 10	2:00 p.m.	McKnight	\$40
<i>Rock of Ages</i>	Sunday, Oct. 24	6:30 p.m.	Orpheum	\$60
<i>Billy Elliot</i>	Sunday, Dec. 19	6:30 p.m.	Orpheum	\$75
<i>Billy Elliot</i>	Sunday, Dec. 26	6:30 p.m.	Orpheum	\$75
<i>Puss in Boots</i>	Wednesday, Dec. 29	10:00 a.m.	Old Log	\$8
<i>Joseph &amp; the Amazing Dreamcoat</i>	Sunday, Jan. 2	2:00 p.m.	Ordway	\$77
<i>Shrek</i>	Sunday, Feb. 6	6:30 p.m.	Orpheum	\$62
<i>Hair</i>	Sunday, Mar. 6	6:30 p.m.	Orpheum	\$62
<i>Stomp</i>	Sunday, Apr. 3	7:30 p.m.	Ordway	\$54
<i>Jersey Boys</i>	Sunday, May 1	6:30 p.m.	Orpheum	\$75
<i>Next to Normal</i>	Sunday, May 15	7:30 p.m.	Ordway	\$72
<i>Guys and Dolls</i>	Sunday, June 19	7:30 p.m.	Ordway	\$72
<i>9 to 5: The Musical</i>	Sunday, July 24	7:30 p.m.	Ordway	\$72
<i>West Side Story</i>	Sunday, July 17	6:30 p.m.	Orpheum	\$62

Plymouth Playhouse (763/383-1073) - \$3 off single ticket for any performance.

SteppingStone Theatre (651/225-9265) - \$8 for individual ticket for all Friday, Sat., and Sunday performances.

## **TRAVEL**

Affordable Travel – Discounts to Walt Disney World, Busch Gardens, SeaWorld, hotels, vacation packages, etc. [www.orlandovacation.com/discounts](http://www.orlandovacation.com/discounts). Use login: osseo101.

Alamo (800/462-5266) – Save up to 20%. Use ID #236413.

Avis (800/225-7094) – Save 15-25%. Coupon at [avis.com](http://avis.com).

Best Western Kelly Inn, Plymouth (763/553-1600) – Ask for MERSC rate of \$75.

Best Western Kelly Inn, St. Cloud (320/253-0606) – Ask for MERSC rate of \$69 Sun-Thur/\$79 Fri/Sat.

Best Western Kelly Inn, St. Paul (651/227-8711) – Ask for MERSC rate of \$74.

Best Western Kelly Inn, Fargo (701/281-9700) – Ask for MERSC rate of \$69.

Buena Vista Suites (800/537-7737) – Ask for booking code: ESM or e-mail reservations @bvsuites.com.

Choice Hotels (1-800-258-2847) - 15% discount at over 5,000 participating Comfort, Quality, Clarion, Sleep, Econo, Lodge, Roadway, Mainstay Suites, Inns, Suburban Extended Stay, and Hotels worldwide! Make reservations conveniently by booking online ([choicehotels.com](http://choicehotels.com)) or by calling our toll free number. In order to get this discount you must book in advance and reference the Education Minnesota-OSSEO's S.O.S code # 00802168.

Crowne Plaza Northstar (1-800-556-7827) – \$89 standard deluxe room Fri.-Sun. only.

Days Inn (800/268-2195) - Save 10%. Member ID #64068.

Diamond Limousine (763/536-0302) – 25% off reg. hourly rates. Not available on holidays.

Duluth Superior (218/727-4663) – Go to [www.duluthsuperiorlodging.com/merisc](http://www.duluthsuperiorlodging.com/merisc).

Edgewater Resort & Waterpark-Duluth (1/800/777-7925) – Save 50% Sunday – Thursday and 25% Friday & Saturday on standard room rates. Not available holidays, July & August.

EZ Air Park (651/454-1302) – Ask for MERSC discount rate, \$10/day & \$60/week.

Radisson Hotel Bloomington & Water Park America (Hotel 952/854-8700 & water park 877/75-SLIDE) – 20% discount on water park admission & 15% on sleeping rooms. You must call water park in advance for reservations & availability.

Ramada NW & Indoor Water Parks (Hotel 763/566-8855) – 20% discount on water park admission & 15% on sleeping rooms. You must call the water park in advance for reservations & availability

Hertz (1-800-654-8216) – Use CDP #0176367 or [www.hertz.com/bap](http://www.hertz.com/bap) Use CDP #0176367 & Pin Code [bapgold](http://www.hertz.com/bapgold).

Howard Johnson (800/769-0939) - Save 10%. Member ID #64068.

Leisure Tickets (800/810-2433) – [www.ticketsatwork.com](http://www.ticketsatwork.com), company code: oseo. Disneyland, Disney World, Universal Studios, Cruise America, Sea World and others.

Maddens' on Gull Lake (218/855-5908) – 10% discount on any rooms/packages. Closed Oct. 26-April 19.

Mystic Lake Hotel (952/496-6526) – Jan. 1 – June 30 & Sept. 1 – Dec. 30, Sunday – Friday \$65 & \$109 Saturday. June 1 – Aug. 31 Sunday – Friday \$79 & \$109 Saturday.

National Car Rental (800/CAR-RENT) – Save up to 20%. Use ID #5020588.

Ramada (800/462-8035) - Save 10%. Member ID #64068.

Residence Inn Edina (952/893-9300) – \$89 king/double bed suites Thurs. through Sunday.

Super 8 Motel (800/889-9706) - Save 10%. Member ID #64068.

Travel Advisors International (952/474-3666) – Mersc discount based on the amount of cruise/vacation package.

Travel Lodge (800/545-5545) - Save 10%. Member ID #64068. Book online and save 40%. Use code EMPSVC.

Wingate Inn – (877/202-8814) - Save 10%. Member ID #64068.

**Coupons at Attraction Sites – No money exchanged at EM-O office. Other coupons at [www.mersc.com](http://www.mersc.com).**

Children’s Museum\_\_\_\_\_

Minnesota Zoo\_\_\_\_\_

District ID Card \_\_\_\_\_

Underwater Adventure\_\_\_\_\_

Name\_\_\_\_\_

School\_\_\_\_\_

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