

St. Joseph School District Plan Benefits – Class 2

Explore the coverage that makes it easy to give yourself and your loved ones more security today...and in the future

Basic Term Life and Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD & D) Insurance

Your employer provides you with Basic Term Life and Accidental Death and Dismemberment insurance coverage in the amount of \$50,000.

Supplemental Term Life Insurance Coverage Options

For You	\$10,000 increments to a maximum of \$150,000
For Your Spouse	\$10,000
For Your Dependent Children*	\$5,000

*Child(ren)'s Eligibility: Dependent children ages from birth to 26 years old. In TX, regardless of student status, child(ren) are covered until age 25.

Monthly Costs* for Supplemental Term Life Insurance

You have the option to purchase Supplemental Term Life Insurance. Listed below are your monthly rates as well as those for your spouse. Rates to cover your child(ren) are also shown.

Monthly Cost Per \$1,000 of Employee Coverage	Monthly Cost Per Employee Per Month for Spouse/Child†
\$0.140	\$3.50

† Covers all eligible children

*Note: rates are subject to the policy's right to change premium rates, and the employer's right to change employee contributions.

Use the table below to calculate your premium based on the amount of life insurance you will need.

Example: \$100,000 Supplemental Life Coverage

1. Enter the rate from the table (example age 36)	\$0.140	\$ <u> 0.140 </u>
2. Enter the amount of insurance in thousands of dollars (Example: for \$100,000 of coverage enter \$100)	100	<u> 100 </u>
3. Monthly premium (1) x (2)	\$14.00	\$ <u> 14.00 </u>

Once Enrolled, You have Access to MetLife AdvantagesSM – For Support, Planning, and Protection when you need it most.

Comfort and guidance for challenging times

Grief Counseling¹

To help you, your dependents and beneficiaries cope with loss

Your MetLife employer-paid life insurance plan offers you, your dependents, and your beneficiaries access to grief counseling¹ sessions and related concierge services to help cope with a loss – at no extra cost. Grief counseling services provide valuable, confidential and professional support during a difficult time to help address personal and funeral planning needs. At your time of need, you and your dependents have 24/7 access to a work/life counselor. You simply call a dedicated 24/7 toll-free number to speak with a licensed professional experienced in helping individuals who have suffered a loss. Sessions can either take place in-person, because meeting face-to-face may provide a more personalized experience if you so desire, or by phone. You can have up to five face-to-face grief counseling sessions per event to discuss any situation you perceive as a major loss, including but not limited to death of a loved one, divorce, receiving a serious medical diagnosis or critical illness, or losing a pet.¹ Call 1-855-609-9989 or log on to <https://grieffcounseling.harrisrothenberg.net/default.aspx> (Username: metlifeassist; Password: support).

Delivering The Promise^{®2}

For support when beneficiaries need it most

This program is designed to help beneficiaries sort through the details and serious questions about claims and financial needs during a difficult time. MetLife has arranged for Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company (MassMutual) financial professionals to be available for assistance in-person or by telephone to help with filing life insurance claims, government benefits and help with financial questions.

Total Control Account^{®4}

For immediate access to death proceeds

The Total Control Account[®] (TCA) settlement option provides your loved ones with a safe and convenient way to manage the proceeds of a life or accidental death and dismemberment claim payments of \$5,000 or more, backed by the financial strength and claims paying ability of Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. TCA death claim payments relieve beneficiaries of the need to make immediate decisions about what to do with a lump-sum check and enable them to have the flexibility to access funds as needed while earning a guaranteed minimum interest rate on the proceeds as they assess their financial situations. Call 1-800-638-7283 for more information about options available to you.

Professional and in-person resources when it matters

Face-to-Face Will Preparation Service⁶

To help ensure your decisions are carried out

When you enroll for supplemental term life coverage, you will automatically receive access to Will Preparation Services at no extra cost to you. Both you and your spouse will have unlimited in-person or telephone access to one of Hyatt Legal Plans's nationwide network of 13,500 participating attorneys for preparation of or updating a will, living will or power of attorney.* When you use a participating plan attorney, there will be no charge for the services.* Like life insurance, a carefully prepared will (simple or complex), living will and power of attorney are important.

- A will lets you define your most important decisions, such as who will care for your children or inherit your property.
- A living will ensures your wishes are carried out and protects your loved ones from having to make very difficult and personal medical decisions by themselves. Also called an "advanced directive," it is a document authorized by statutes in all states that allows you to provide written instructions regarding use of extraordinary life-support measures and to appoint someone as your proxy or representative to make decisions on maintaining extraordinary life-support if you should become incapacitated and unable to communicate your wishes.
- Powers of attorney allow you to plan ahead by designating someone you know and trust to act on your behalf in the event of unexpected occurrences or if you become incapacitated

Call 1-800-821-6400 and a Client Service Representative will assist you.

* You also have the flexibility of using an attorney who is not participating in the Hyatt Legal Plans network and being reimbursed for covered services according to a set fee schedule. In that case you will be responsible for any attorney's fees that exceed the reimbursed amount.

Face-to-Face Estate Resolution Services^{SM6} (ERS)

Personal service and compassion assistance to help probate your and your spouse's estates.

MetLife Estate Resolution ServicesSM provides probate services in person or over the phone to the representative (executor or administrator) of the deceased employee's estate and the estate of the employee's spouse. Estate Resolution Services include preparation of documents and representation at court proceedings needed to transfer the probate assets from the estate to the heirs and completion of correspondence necessary to transfer non-probate assets. ERS covers participating plan attorneys' fees for telephone and face-to-face consultations or for the administrator or executor to discuss general questions about the probate process.

WillsCenter.com⁷

Self-service online legal document preparation

Employees and spouses have access to WillsCenter.com, an online document service to prepare and update a will, living will, power of attorney or HIPAA authorization form in a secure 24/7 environment at no additional cost. This service is available with all life coverages. Log on to www.willscenter.com to register as a new user.

retirewise^{®2}

A four-part workshop series that offers you comprehensive retirement education. You also have the option to meet with a local financial professional to discuss your specific circumstances and individual goals.

Range of solutions for continuing workplace coverage

Additional Features

This insurance offering from your employer and MetLife comes with additional features that can provide assistance to you and your family.

Accelerated Benefits Option¹⁰

For access to funds during a difficult time

If you become terminally ill and are diagnosed with 12 months or less to live, you have the option to receive up to 80% of your life insurance proceeds. This can go a long way towards helping your family meet medical and other expenses at a difficult time. Amounts not accelerated will continue under your employer's plan for as long as you remain eligible per the certificate requirements and the group policy remains in effect.

The accelerated life insurance benefits offered under your certificate are intended to qualify for favorable tax treatment under Section 101(g) of the Internal Revenue Code (26 U.S.C. Sec 101(g)).¹⁰

Accelerated Benefits Option is not the same as long term care insurance (LTC). LTC provides nursing home care, home-health care, personal or adult day care for individuals above age 65 or with chronic or disabling conditions that require constant supervision.

Conversion

For protection after your coverage terminates

You can generally convert your group term life insurance benefits to an individual whole life insurance policy if your coverage terminates in whole or in part due to your retirement, termination of employment, or change in employee class. Conversion is available on all group life insurance coverages. Please note that conversion is **not** available on AD&D coverage. If you experience an event that makes you eligible to convert your coverage, please call 1-877-275-6387 to begin the conversion process. Please contact your plan administrator/employer for more information.

Waiver of Premiums for Total Disability (Continued Protection)

Offering continued coverage when you need it most

If you become Totally Disabled, you may qualify to continue certain insurance. You may also be eligible for waiver of your basic and supplemental term life and personal and supplemental AD&D insurance premium until you reach age 65, die, or recover from your disability, whichever is sooner.

Total Disability or Totally Disabled means you are unable to do your job and any other job for which you are fit by education, training or experience due to injury or sickness. The Total Disability must begin before age 60, and your waiver will begin after you have satisfied a 180 day waiting period of continuous disability. The waiver of premium will end when you turn age 65, die, or recover. Please note that this benefit is only available after you have participated in the supplemental term life plan for one year and it is not available on dependent coverage.

If you return to work after completing part or all of the 180 day waiting period and later cease active work due to the same or a related Total Disability while your coverage is being continued, you will be given credit for the prior partial or total completion of the waiting period and it will be considered a continuation of the original Total Disability. This means that if you completed the waiting period of continuous disability in the original period of disability, you will not need to complete another one.

- You must notify MetLife of the later period of cessation of active work within 12 months of when that period began.
- The amount of insurance being continued will be the same as during the original period of disability, subject to any reductions in coverage amount due to age.

What's Not Covered?

Like most insurance plans, this plan has exclusions. Supplemental and Dependent Life Insurance does not provide payment of benefits for death caused by suicide within the first two years (one year for group policies issued in Missouri, North Dakota and Colorado) of the effective date of the certificate or an increase in coverage. This exclusionary period is one year for residents of Missouri and North Dakota. If the group policy was issued in Massachusetts, the suicide exclusion does not apply to dependent life coverage. The suicide exclusion does not apply to residents of Washington, or to individuals covered under a group policy issued in Washington.

Accidental Death & Dismemberment (AD&D) coverage complements your Basic and Supplemental Life coverage insurance and helps protect you 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

Accidental Death & Dismemberment Coverage Options

This valuable coverage benefits beyond your disability or life insurance for losses due to covered accidents — including while commuting, traveling by public or private transportation and during business trips. MetLife's AD&D insurance pays you benefits if you suffer a covered accident that results in paralysis or the loss of a limb, speech, hearing or sight, third degree burn, brain damage or coma. If you suffer a covered fatal accident, benefits will be paid to your beneficiary.

Supplemental AD&D Coverage Amounts for You

Your Supplemental AD&D amount is equal to your Supplemental/Term Life amount.

Monthly Cost for Accidental Death & Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance

Supplemental Coverage	Monthly Cost Per \$1,000 of Coverage
Employee	\$0.020

Covered Losses

This AD&D insurance pays benefits for covered losses that are the result of an accidental injury or loss of life. The full amount of AD&D coverage you select is called the "Full Amount" and is equal to the benefit payable for the loss of life. Benefits for other losses are payable as a predetermined percentage of the Full Amount, and will be listed in your coverage in a table of Covered Losses. Such losses include loss of limbs, sight, speech and hearing, various forms of paralysis, third degree burn, brain damage and coma. The maximum amount payable for all Covered Losses sustained in any one accident is capped at 100% of the Full Amount.

Standard Additional Benefits Include

Some of the standard additional benefits included in your coverage that may increase the amounts payable to you and/or defray additional expenses that result from accidental injury or loss of life are:

- Air Bag
- Seat Belt
- Common Carrier
- Child Care Center
- Child Education
- Spouse Education

What Is Not Covered?

Accidental Death & Dismemberment insurance does not include payment for any loss which is caused by or contributed to by: physical or mental illness, diagnosis of or treatment of the illness; an infection, unless caused by an external wound accidentally sustained, or from food poisoning; suicide or attempted suicide; injuring oneself on purpose; the voluntary intake or use by any means of any drug, medication or sedative, unless taken as prescribed by a doctor or an over-the-counter drug taken as directed; voluntary intake of alcohol in combination with any drug, medication or sedative; war, whether declared or undeclared, or act of war, insurrection, rebellion or active participation in a riot; committing or trying to commit a felony; any poison, fumes or gas, voluntarily taken, administered or absorbed; service in the armed forces of any country or international authority, except the United States National Guard; operating, learning to operate, or serving as a member of a crew of an aircraft; while in any aircraft for the purpose of descent from such aircraft while in flight (except for self-preservation); or operating a vehicle or device while intoxicated as defined by the laws of the jurisdiction in which the accident occurs.

About Your Coverage Effective Date

You must be Actively at Work on the date your coverage becomes effective. Your coverage must be in effect in order for your spouse's and eligible children's coverage to take effect. In addition, your spouse and eligible child(ren) must not be home or hospital confined or receiving or applying to receive disability benefits from any source when their coverage becomes effective.

If Actively at Work requirements are met, coverage will become effective on the first of the month following the receipt of your completed application for all requests that do not require additional medical information. A request for Your amount that requires additional medical information and is not approved by the date listed above will not be effective until the later of the date that notice is received that MetLife has approved the coverage or increase if you meet Actively at Work requirements on that date, or the date that Actively at Work requirements are met after MetLife has approved the coverage or increase. The coverage for your spouse and eligible child(ren) will take effect on the date they are no longer confined, receiving or applying for disability benefits from any source or hospitalized.

Who Can Be A Designated Beneficiary?

You can select any beneficiary(ies) other than your employer for your Basic and Supplemental coverages, and you may change your beneficiary(ies) at any time. You can also designate more than one beneficiary. You are the beneficiary for your Dependent coverage.

1 Grief Counseling and Funeral Planning services are provided through an agreement with Harris, Rothenberg International (HRI), Inc. HRI is not an affiliate of MetLife, and the services HRI provides are separate and apart from the insurance provided by MetLife. HRI has a nationwide network of over 35,000 counselors. Counselors have master's or doctoral degrees and are licensed professionals. Subject to state regulatory approval, not approved in all states. The grief counseling program does not provide support for issues such as domestic issues, parenting issues, or marital/ relationship issues (other than a finalized divorce). For such issues, members should inquire with their human resources departments about available company resources. This program is available to a insureds, their dependents and beneficiaries, who must have received a serious medical diagnosis or suffered a loss that has occurred, meaning, the diagnosis or loss must have taken place prior to accessing the grief counseling program. Events that may result in a loss are not covered under this program unless and until such loss has occurred.

2 Delivering the Promise, retirewise and Transition Solutions are part of PlanSmart®, a financial well-being program. The MassMutual financial professionals involved in the PlanSmart program were affiliated with MetLife until July 2016, when MMLIC acquired MSI Financial Services, Inc. MetLife continues to administer the PlanSmart program, but has arranged with MassMutual to have these specially-trained financial professionals offer financial education and provide personal guidance to employees and former employees of firms providing PlanSmart through MetLife.

4 The TCA is not insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or any government agency. The assets backing TCAs are maintained in MetLife's general account and are subject to claims of MetLife's creditors. MetLife bears the investment risk of the assets backing TCAs, and expects to receive a profit. Regardless of the investment experience of such assets, the interest credited to TCAs will never fall below the guaranteed minimum rate. Guarantees are subject to the financial strength and claims paying ability of MetLife.

6 Will Preparation and MetLife Estate Resolution Services are offered by Hyatt Legal Plans, Inc., Cleveland, Ohio, a MetLife company. In certain states, legal services benefits are provided through insurance coverage underwritten by Metropolitan Property and Casualty Insurance Company and affiliates, Warwick, Rhode Island. For New York sitused cases, the Will Preparation service is an expanded offering that includes office consultations and telephone advice for certain other legal matters beyond Will Preparation. Tax Planning and preparation of Living Trusts are not covered by the Will Preparation Service. Certain services are not covered by Estate Resolution Services, including matters in which there is a conflict of interest between the executor and any beneficiary or heir and the estate; any disputes with the group policyholder, MetLife and/or any of its affiliates; any disputes involving statutory benefits; will contests or litigation outside probate court; appeals; court costs, filing fees, recording fees, transcripts, witness fees, expenses to a third party, judgments or fines; and frivolous or unethical matters.

7 WillsCenter.com is a document service provided by SmartLegalForms, Inc., an affiliate of Epoq Group, Ltd. SmartLegalForms, Inc. is not affiliated with MetLife and the WillsCenter.com service is separate and apart from any insurance or service provided by MetLife. The WillsCenter.com service does not provide access to an attorney, does not provide legal advice, and may not be suitable for your specific needs. Please consult with your financial, legal, and tax advisors for advice with respect to such matters.

10 The Accelerated Benefits Option is subject to state availability and regulation. The accelerated life insurance benefits offered under your certificate are intended to qualify for favorable federal tax treatment. If the accelerated benefits qualify for favorable tax treatment, the benefits will be excludable from your income and not subject to federal taxation.

This information was written as a supplement to the marketing of life insurance products. Tax laws relating to accelerated benefits are complex and limitations may apply. You are advised to consult with and rely on an independent tax advisor about your own particular circumstances.

Receipt of accelerated benefits may affect your eligibility, or that of your spouse or your family, for public assistance programs such as medical assistance (Medicaid), Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF), Supplementary Social Security Income (SSI) and drug assistance programs. You are advised to consult with social service agencies concerning the effect that receipt of accelerated benefits will have on public assistance eligibility for you, your spouse or your family.

This summary provides an overview of your plan's benefits. These benefits are subject to the terms and conditions of the contract between MetLife and St. Joseph School District and are subject to each state's laws and availability. Specific details regarding these provisions can be found in the booklet certificate.

Life and AD&D coverages are provided under a group insurance policy (Policy Form GPNP99) issued to your employer by MetLife. Life and AD&D coverages under your employer's plan terminates when your employment ceases when your Life and AD&D contributions cease, or upon termination of the group contract. Should your life insurance coverage terminate for reasons other than non-payment of premium, you may convert it to a MetLife individual permanent policy without providing medical evidence of insurability.

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