

2/11/2024

Welcome to February! This year the 6th Grade class will be doing something different for Valentine's Day. Tomorrow will be an Out-of-Uniform Day where the students can dress in Valentine's Day colors. Since Valentine's Day falls on Ash Wednesday, we will NOT be having an official Valentine's Day Party. If your student is bringing in Valentines for their classmates, please do not address them (makes passing them out easier) and make sure you have enough for all of the 17 students in the class. The students will have a space in the room to deliver and collect these Valentine's Day cards. (They may bring these in on Tuesday if it makes life easier for you.)

Some of the students have received passes from Mr. Oberdorf for an Out-of-Uniform Day on Tuesday as well. These passes were earned by participating in the events associated with our Catholic Schools Week Open House on Saturday, January 27th. The passes state that the students need to turn these into me on Tuesday for confirmation. Please ask your student to show you the pass if they plan to be out-of-uniform on this day. NHJS is planning other Out-of-Uniform Days for the future.

The 6th grade students are working toward their AR goals for February! Many who have been achieving their goals on a monthly basis are starting to become discouraged by those classmates who are not helping the class obtain the highest percentage of students reaching their goals. Please encourage your child to be a team player and help our class gain the title and trophy for this month.

Please remember that Thursday Office folders and Friday Folders (when sent home) should come back to school on Monday. Make sure you are removing all graded papers before returning the folder to school. The **students** should be setting a weekly goal for themselves (with your assistance).

Please encourage your child to work at keeping his/her Honor Card clean. Remember to check your child's Honor Card regularly. It is stapled inside the front cover of his/her assignment notebook, which should come home every afternoon. It is important for your child to hear your comments and expectations before you receive contact from school because he/she received an academic or behavioral infraction.

I am blessed to have you on our team as we work together to sharpen the faith and knowledge of our sixth-grade students. Please contact me with any questions or concerns. I am looking forward to a fantastic year as I work with you and your child.

Ms. Dunning wdunning@sje.school

Important Dates:

***** Valentine's Day Out-of-Uniform Day – Monday, February 12, 2024 *****

***** Chess Club – Monday, February 12, 2024 – 2:45-3:45 pm *****

***** Paczki with Pop – Tuesday, February 13, 20204 – 7:00-7:40 am *****

***** Open House Out-of-Uniform Day (Pass Required) – Tuesday, February 13, 2024 *****

***** Ash Wednesday – Wednesday, February 14, 2024 – Liturgy at 10:00 am *****

***** Wellness Warriors – Wednesday, February 14, 2024 – 2:45-3:45 pm *****

****** Stations of the Cross – Friday, February 16 & 23, 2024 – 2:00 pm *****

****** NO SCHOOL – Teacher Inservice – Monday, February 26, 2024 ******