

6th Grade News

9/12/2025

Yeah!!! The first full week of school is coming to an end today. Hopefully you can join us this afternoon for the Family Fun Run and Tailgate party at 5:00 pm. Please refer to the school newsletter for specific details.

This week, the students took the first round of STAR assessments. STAR is an adaptive, computer-based diagnostic tool that our students take 3 times a year. Math and English/Language Arts assessments are administered in class and take roughly 30-45 minutes. The results of these diagnostic tests will be shared at Parent-Student-Teacher conferences in October. Teachers use these results to assist students at their individual levels through enrichment/instruction on IXL or in small groups as needed.

The students will be spending time next week preparing to lead the all-school prayer service on Monday, October 22nd and the all-school Liturgy on Wednesday, October 24th. You are welcome to join us in the gym every Monday at 7:50 am and in church every Wednesday at 10:00 am. Please sit in the side sections of pews. The students will take up most of the middle section this year.

The month of September is almost half over. Please check in with your child to see what progress he/she has made toward achieving his/her AR goal. Students should be reading a minimum of 20 minutes each night. Please direct any questions regarding your child's monthly AR goal or appropriate level books to Mrs. Wisniewski at ewisniewski@sje.school.

If your child would like to become a Junior Lector for our school Masses, please have him/her contact Mr. Courchane for a sign-up sheet. We will work with the students and their reading prior to Mass. We could really use some assistance with this important ministry.

All Scholastic Book Club orders need to be submitted online. The Back-to-School flyer was sent home in the Friday Folder 2 weeks ago. Thank you to the family that has already placed an order! All orders are due by Tuesday, September 16, 2025. Our Class Code is LT6F2. Please let me know if you need help with the online ordering process.

Honor Cards are in full effect and have been staying clean. PLEASE remember to check your child's Honor Card regularly. It is stapled inside the front cover of their assignment notebook, which should come home every afternoon. It is important for your child to hear your comments and expectations before you receive an e-mail or phone call from school because their green Honor Card is filling up.

Physical Education class will be held on Mondays and Tuesdays. Please make sure your child brings a change of clothes for class that are modest and appropriate for the type of movement he/she will be required to do during class. These clothes should come home daily/weekly to be washed. Deodorant is recommended.

I am blessed to have you on our team as we work together to sculpt the faith and knowledge of our sixth-grade students. Please contact me with any questions or concerns at wdunning@sje.school.

Ms. Dunning

***** UPCOMING DATES *****

- ***** Sunday, September 14, 2025 – Cousins Subs Fundraiser – 11:00 am – 2:00 pm *****
- ***** Tuesday, September 16, 2025 – Summer Birthdays Out of Uniform Day *****
- ***** Thursday, September 18, 2025 – Portillos Fundraiser Night – 5:00 – 8:00 pm *****
- ***** Friday, September 19, 2025 – Last day to sign up for Chess Club *****
- ***** Monday, September 22, 2025 – 6th & 1st grades lead prayer service – 7:50 am *****
- ***** Tuesday, September 23, 2025 – September Birthdays Out of Uniform Day *****
- ***** Wednesday, September 24, 2025 – 6th grade leads all school Mass – 10:00 am *****
- ***** Wednesday, September 24, 2025 – Wellness Warriors – 3:00 – 3:45 pm *****