

February 2, 2025



St. Joseph Parish School Lancer Times

Weekly online school information by Principal Matthews

Important Dates to Remember

- **Thursday, February 6: Mass at 8:30**
- **Wednesday, February 12: K3-K5 Pastries with Parents Family Breakfast 7:45-8:15 in Doherty Hall**
- **Thursday, February 13: Mass at 8:30, 3rd Grade hosts hospitality after Mass**
- **Saturday, February 15: Open Gym 9:00-10:30**
- **Thursday, February 20: Mass at 8:30**
- **Friday, February 21: No School, Teacher Inservice**
- **Monday, February 24: No School**

Calendar of Cash Winners Congratulations!

1/27/25 ~ Danielle Deprey ~ \$100
1/28/25 ~ Mary Domoe ~ \$25
1/29/25 ~ Krystal DeRuyter ~ \$50
1/30/25 ~ Parker & Monica Shipley ~ \$25
1/31/25 ~ Rev. G. R. Brushafer ~ \$100

A check will be mailed to the winners.

Weekly Classroom Highlights

By: Ms. Stengel, Art Teacher

Hello SJPS Families and Friends!

SJPS students have been busy creating and have decorated the Art Hallway with all their wonderful artwork!

Early childhood has been learning certain artistic technical skills, while creating winter themed art. K3 students have been arranging different winter animals out of pre-cut construction paper,

so they can focus on using a glue stick. If time allows, we spend about five to ten minutes practicing cutting paper each class. Remember, keep those thumbs up! K4 also has been making winter animals, but their projects aren't pre-cut, so they can gain more practice cutting. Recently, we made a Snow Yeti! K5/1st grade and I have been creating artwork together as a class, including winter birch trees and silly snowmen!

Elementary has also been concentrating on winter themes, while exploring different mediums and artistic techniques. For instance, 2nd/3rd grade designed winter trees with a stained glass like pattern - using black markers, rulers and soft pastels. 4th/5th grade designed the northern lights with soft pastels and a winter deer scene utilizing a variety of mediums.

Middle schoolers have been learning about ancient art, which applies to all cultures, but we've been exploring Egyptian and Greek art. The students drew their names in Egyptian hieroglyphics using sharpies and soft pastels. They will be designing Greek vases with a partner by playing Roll-A-Greek Vase.

I love using soft pastels because they can be therapeutic and calming, due to their tactile nature. All in all, it was a great first trimester creating all kinds of art in the art room!

TOT OPEN GYM



Join us in the St. Joseph Parish School gym from **8:30-10am** to run and play! Open to children ages 6 and under not currently in school. Caregivers must stay with children.



Please enter through the main School doors and sign in with the office when you arrive.



February 5
February 19
March 12
April 2
April 16



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to learn more about our summer camp offerings, including cost, registration info, and more.

~Important Information from Previous Lancer Times~

February Extended Care Sign Up

Please click the link below to sign up for morning and afternoon extended care.

[February Extended Care Sign Up](#)

2025-26 School Year Registration Is Now OPEN!

[2025-26 School Year Registration](#)

In order to secure your spot, the \$200 registration fee must either be sent via cash or check to the school office or paid online using credit/debit through our online giving portal. After February 15th the registration fee increases to \$250.

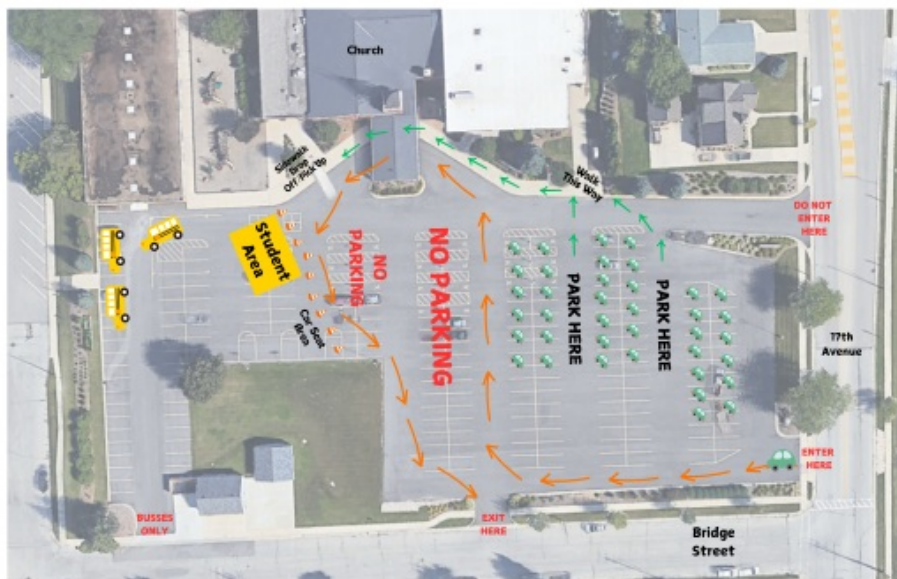
Spots in our K3, K4 and K5 programs will fill up quickly, so don't delay. Community Registration begins January 27th.

It's that time of year, for everyone's safety and sanity, to remind all families of our drop off and pick up procedures:

- Children in car seats can ONLY be dropped off or picked up using the car line option if you PULL UP to the far side of the car line alongside the cones near the basketball hoops. This way you are not blocking all of the cars behind you from getting out as you remove your child from their car seat.
- DO NOT walk through or in front of the car line to drop off or pick up your child.
- Anyone using sidewalk drop off/pick up MUST park on the FAR EAST SIDE of the parking lot and walk along the sidewalk in front of the church to drop off or pick up their child. This protects all of our children and families.

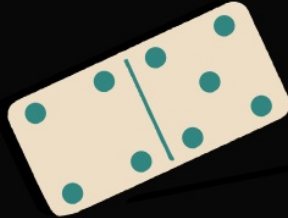
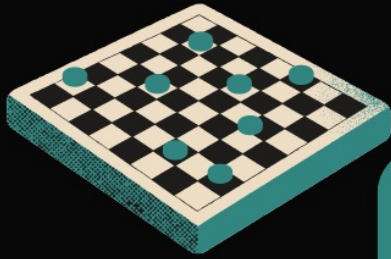
Use the route in the picture below for entering and exiting the line.

St. Joseph Parish School Drop Off/Pick Up Map



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Parish Bulletin Look-up

2024-2025 Parent/Student Handbook

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