

# ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL FULLERTON

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What's Coming Up @SJS-Fullerton!

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## From the Principal's Desk

I hope to see you all tonight at the State of the School at 6pm in the Parish Center!

Please [click here for Key Dates](#) for the 2023-2024 School Year.

Please note the following faculty positions for the '23-24 school year:

- Mrs. Isom will remain teaching 3rd Grade.
- Mrs. Power will remain teaching Middle School Social Studies.
- Ms. O'Malley will move back to PA where her family lives. We will miss her and wish her the best!
- Mrs. Ellis will return to her role as an IA; therefore, we are hiring a Math teacher.
- We are hiring two Middle School ELA teachers in hopes of bringing back three groups.
- We are hiring IAs as needed.

### Some Spring Reminders:

- *Warm Weather Uniforms* began this past Monday. Please ensure that your child is arriving each and every day dressed as an SJS-Fullerton student. Our uniform is a symbol of the pride we take in our faith-filled academic excellence, and we appreciate everyone adhering to the requirements, especially with regard to socks, jewelry, and makeup. Please see our [handbook](#) if needed.
- *Cell Phones* - Please remind your children they do not need them for anything school related, nor are they allowed to access them at any point during the day, so it may be best if they are left at home. If your child brings a cell phone to school, it should be off as they enter the building and placed into the cell phone holder in their homeroom. Cell phones are not allowed to be used in the waiting zone at the end of the day, so please walk up to meet your child when you arrive.
- *Social Media* - Please be mindful of your child's activity on social media platforms. Their actions should reflect that of a Catholic school student and the expectations of SJS both in and outside the classroom. It is important to remind them that their digital footprint is forever, as nothing is ever completely deleted.
- *Parking Lot* - Please make sure to follow all the rules on the parking lot both in the morning and afternoon. Please have your child ready each morning to safely exit the car on the curbside of the vehicle. In the afternoon, please park in straight lines so we can all fit in and exit smoothly. As the weather gets warmer, it is tempting to hang out, play and chat, but for the safety of everyone as well as respect for everyone's time, please head to your cars so we can begin to dismiss. Please refrain from playing on the hill, in the flowerbeds, or in the trees.

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## New Announcements

### Dominick's Pizza Spirit Day

Join us for Dominick's Pizza Spirit Day! Order any time on Monday, April 24th from the Perry Hall location, mention St. Joseph School, and a portion of the proceeds will be donated back to St. Joseph School.

## Race for Education Pep Rally

This Friday morning, students will kick off Race for Ed with a pep rally! All students will receive a t-shirt to wear on May 19th and an info packet with details about this year's event. If your business or family is interested in sponsoring the event, please [click here to learn more](#).

## Home & School Assoc. (HASA) Board Nominations '23-24

Calling all St. Joseph Parents! HASA is accepting Board Member nominations for two Hot Lunch Co-Chairpersons. All you need is a desire to share your time and talents with your school family. Please consider joining and volunteering your time to help the students. [Submit your nominations here](#) by May 3rd. [Email HASA](#) with any questions. Thank you for your consideration!

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## Important Dates

### WEDNESDAY, 4/19

- State of the School 6pm in Parish Center

### THURSDAY, 4/20

- Chick-fil-a Lunch (pre-orders only)

### FRIDAY, 4/21

- Race for Ed Pep Rally (students only)
- Deadline to submit yearbook cover art entries

### MONDAY, 4/24

- Dominick's Pizza Spirit Day

### TUESDAY, 4/25

- **No Hot Lunch** - Please send a lunch except for Gr. 4 Subway and Gr. 5 Chick-fil-a (field trip makeup day)

### WEDNESDAY, 4/26

- Subway Lunch (pre-orders only)
- Grade 4 Field Trip to Annapolis
- Interim Reports Sent Home

### THURSDAY, 4/27

- Chick-fil-a Lunch (pre-orders only)
- Spiritwear Day

### TUESDAY, 5/2

- Pizza Lunch (pre-orders only)
- 7th Grade: Pre-High School Placement Test (HSPT)

### SAVE THE DATE

- **5/15:** No School ("No Snow" Snow Day)
- **5/19:** Race for Education
- **5/25:** Used Uniform Sale
- **5/26:** Half Day

## [FULL YEAR CALENDAR](#)

*Click the calendar to view/print PDF:*

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1
2 <b>Palm Sunday</b> Please join us for 10:30 Mass followed by donuts and the Passion Walk	3 Hearing & Vision Screening	4 Pizza Day (Pre-order only)	5 Subway Lunch (Pre-order only)	6 Holy Thursday <b>Noon Dismissal</b>	7 Good Friday <b>School Closed</b> Bill's Seafood Sale	8
9 <b>Easter Sunday</b>	10 Easter Break <b>School Closed</b>	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 Students Return Warm Weather Uniform Begins	18 Pizza Day (Pre-order only)	19 Subway Lunch (Pre-order only) State of the School 6:00pm in PC	20 Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only)	21 Race for Education Pep Rally 8:30-9:30am	22
23/30	24 HASA Fundraiser at Dominick's Pizza	25 <b>No Hot Lunch</b> this is only a makeup day for Gr.4: Subway Gr.5: Chick-Fil-A	26 Subway Lunch (Pre-order only) Interims Home 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade to Annapolis	27 Chick-Fil-A lunch (Pre-order only) Spirit Wear Day	28	29

## ICYMI

### Yearbook Orders & Cover Art Contest

Two flyers were sent home about [creating custom pages and placing your yearbook order](#) (custom pages due June 12) and an [invitation to all SJS students](#) to enter their drawings into the cover art contest! Entries are due Friday, April 21.

### Rising 6th & 7th Graders - Required Health Records

Students entering 6th and 7th grades this fall will need to provide certain health records to the school. For 6th grade, an updated physical exam is required ([read more here](#)). For 7th grade, Tdap and Meningococcal immunization records are required ([read more here](#)). Please call or [email Nurse Mary](#) with any questions.

### Early Bird School Supply Shopping

We've partnered with 1st Day School Supplies again to offer our families an easy way to purchase school supplies. If we sell at least 50 kits in April, we're entered into a drawing for \$2,500 worth of free school supplies! *\*Please note that not all required items are available from 1st Day. Some will need to be purchased separately. Be sure to check your child's [school supply list](#).* To order your kit from 1st Day, [click here](#) (Ordering from 1st Day is optional).

## Around Campus



### Upcoming Sports Registrations:

- **Fall Soccer** registration will be from April 28 - May 15. The U6 clinic will continue until July 14.

## Parish Happenings

**C.L.O.W - Children's Liturgy of the Word**  
will be held every Sunday at 10:30am Mass  
with contemporary music



### Divine Mercy Family Dinner Night

Friday, April 28th 5:30pm-8pm  
\$20 per household - Register Online!

Spaghetti Dinner, Catholic Trivia, Guided  
Family Adoration & Learn about Divine Mercy!

### CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION NOW AVAILABLE ONLINE

Confirmation Program for rising  
9th-12th graders (17 & under)

Visit [www.stjoefullerton.org](http://www.stjoefullerton.org) under Sacraments

### Youth Ministry Hike at Gunpowder



Friday, April 21st

6th-8th grade from 4 - 5pm  
High School from 5:15 - 6:30pm

- **Summer Soccer Clinic** registration will be from May 19 - June 4. The clinic will run Monday - Thursday, July 10-13 from 6-7pm for PK and K and 6-7:30pm for Grades 1-8.

**CFC Kids For Christ**  
North Baltimore  
is proud to present

**FREE** for Children Age 17 & Under\*  
**\$99** for each accompanying Adult  
Fare includes  
Bus Ride 📶 Show Ticket 📶 Buffet Lunch

**June 23, 2023, Friday**

The trip will start with a prayer service at 9am at St. Joseph Catholic Church Fullerton. The bus will depart at 10am and will return at 8pm.  
Tickets are limited. Reservations are first-come/first-serve and are only guaranteed with payment. No reservations will be accepted after May 31, 2023.  
If interested, please contact: [Jim Hamilton](mailto:Jim.Hamilton@stjoe.org) at 410.218.3162  
\*All children must be accompanied by a responsible adult at all times.

Summer Camps at St. Joseph's! There's something for everyone - [read more about camp offerings here.](#)



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