



Dear Parents,

Our teachers have put much effort and time into learning new technology and techniques to use during these unprecedented times. Our educators are attempting something that they have never experienced themselves, and yet are already making amazing teaching spaces, learning new technology, and implementing different routines. Virtual learning will now doubt bring about many classroom challenges. Please have compassion and understanding with the teachers and staff, when technology doesn't always work as planned.

Today few grade levels had some technology glitches to work through, between technology not cooperating, windows deciding to update unexpectedly, and internet traffic being slow; our teachers are working overtime to make all the necessary adjustments throughout the day.

Morning arrival went very smoothly today! Thank you parents and students! It's great to see all the smiling faces each morning.

We have adjustments to make to the dismissal. Today was a bit better than yesterday, thank you for being easy going with the longer than normal time frame for exiting campus. Let's adjust one more item; Parents meet students at the beginning of the car row that you're parked in. Please be respectful, turn off your cars, keep social distance from each other, and wear a mask. Students will exit their designated school door and meet you at the beginning of the car row. Starting with 8th, 4th, 1st, 7th, 3rd, Kindergarten, 6th, and 5th grade.

Please remember to send students to school with PLASTIC water bottles (a glass water bottle shattered during class today).

Students must wear appropriate face masks as stated on page 6 in the Reopening Guide version 2. "If valve-less N95 respirators or surgical

masks are not available, appropriate solid colored or printed face masks made with at least 2 layers of breathable material which fit snugly, yet comfortably against the side of the face (cover nose, mouth, and secure under the chin) are acceptable. Masks with inappropriate or political messages or innuendos are not permitted and subject to administrators' sole discretion. Neck gaiters, open-chin triangle bandanas and face coverings containing valves, mesh material, or holes of any kind including those in N95 and other similar masks are **not** acceptable."

Please remember that SJRCS is a peanut and tree nut free building. Remember to read labels while packing lunches.

Please note you can find the Parent Family Handbook under the parent tab of the SJRCS website.

With this in mind, flexibility is key as we continue in this new journey in education.

With appreciation,

Dr. Jones and Mrs. Hanner