



May 31, 2022

Dear St. James Families,

The campus has really come back to life in marking Period #4: the Art Showcase, the Jazz Festival, the Rumpelstiltskin play, the Scholarship Benefit, class trips, and more...coming soon is the Book Fair, House Cup, MAPs, July Summer Camp, and of course, we look forward to celebrating our 8th Grade at Graduation!

A reminder that July is mandatory for students currently in Grades 4,5,6,7. Key information is below.

EVENT / DATE	STUDENTS	DETAILS
Family Teacher Conferences	All students	May 23 - June 3
Baccalaureate Mass	Class 2022	June 16 5pm followed by graduation rehearsal
Graduation	Class 2022	June 17 5pm
Student Vacation	All cohorts	June 18-July 1
July Calendar	Classes of 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027	** See below ** July students uniform is SJS T-shirt, appropriate shorts, and any sneakers. Each student will receive a SJS T-shirt for July.
Summer Vacation	All students	Summer vacation begins when students return from North Bay
Student Orientation		First day of Student orientation is Tuesday, September 7th

**** JULY STEAM CAMP **** - ALL St. James students attend the **Summer STEAM Camp in July.**

July 5,6,7,8 8:30am-1:00pm Class of 2026 (current 4th Grade) and new students (Class of 2027)

July 11-15 8:30am-3:00pm All students (*Classes of 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, and 2027*)

July 18-22 8:30am-1:00pm Remediation Week (*Classes of 2025 and 2026 - by invitation only*)

Boys' Group (*Classes of 2023 and 2024*)

Girls' Group (*Classes of 2023 and 2024*)

July 24-28 North Bay Camp (Sunday 5pm to Thurs 3pm) *Classes of 2023, 2024, 2025*

Attendance is required in July - students who do not attend will not be promoted to the next grade.

Student Recruitment: LAST CALL for students entering grades 4-8 Fall 2022. Please contact Ms. SCarroll for assistance. scarroll@stjamesphila.org

What to bring to NorthBay?

BRING	DO NOT BRING
<p>Clothes: 2 pairs of tennis shoes (not new) Shoes to wear in the water (Five & Below sells water shoes for \$5) 1 sweatshirt 5 sets of clothing 6 pairs of socks 6 pairs of underwear 1 swimsuit (one piece swimsuits only - no two piece swimsuits) 1 set of pajamas</p> <p>Toiletries: 2 towels (1 bath, 1 beach) Soap and Shampoo Toothbrush & Toothpaste Medications Sunscreen Deodorant Bugspray Sunglasses 1 medium size trash bag (for wet clothing) Water bottle</p>	<p>Cell Phones Tablets / Gameboys / Headphones No more than \$10 cash for souvenirs</p>

Important dates:

- June 3 6-8pm Family First Friday
- June 4 10am-1pm Saturday Academic Clinic, 6th Grade
- June 9 Last day for Enrichments
- June 11 10am-1pm Saturday Academic Clinic, 8th Grade
- June 16 Last day for 8th graders, House Cup and 3pm dismissal for all students
 5pm 8th Grade Baccalaureate Mass followed by graduation rehearsal
- June 17 1pm dismissal for grades 4th-7th
 5pm 8th Grade Graduation!
- June 20-July 4 Student Vacation
- July 5-July 28 Summer programming for cohorts 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027 (mandatory)
- July 29 - August Student Vacation...see you after Labor Day weekend!
- Sept 6 First day of Student Orientation

Sincerely,

Mr. McDonough