Cyclone Connection

NOVEMBER 13-21, 2023

NO SCHOOL - THANKSGIVING BREAK WED. NOV. 22 - FRI. NOV. 24





LITTLE CYCLONE DAYS REGISTRATION IS OPEN NOW

Calling all Future Cyclones! Join us this year at Little Cyclone Days here at SCE on the third Thursday of each month. We will have our next meeting on Nov. 15th from 1:15-2:45 for some fun learning activities. Register with the link below or call 812-352-9343 to let us know you are coming.

Registration Link - Click Here

CYCLONE SPIRIT DAY - MONDAY, NOV. 20TH

Please join us as we cheer on our Cyclone Basketball Teams for the 2023 season. Wear your Cyclone gear or SCE Colors all day at school. Then all students that attend the game at SCE will get in FREE! Just let the gate keeper know, you are a Cyclone and you get to enter for FREE. All students must have parents present to stay for the game. We have amazing concessions as well. Come on out for a great night of Cyclone Basketball.





NOVEMBER GUIDANCE LESSONS:

Every year as part of mandatory curriculum in Indiana schools, the school counselor covers lessons on child abuse and child sexual abuse prevention. This lesson will be covered in November in our building. As a parent you may choose to review the material prior to the lessons or opt out of having your child participate. If you have any questions, would like to review the curriculum, or would like your child not to participate, please contact Elizabeth Lane at 812-352-9343 or elane@jcsc.org. Thank you!



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

Nov. 13 - Spell Bowl Competition at 5pm in the gymnasium

Nov. 14 - 5th/6th Cyclone Boys vs. BCE 2 @ Scipio 6pm

Nov. 14 - 5th/6th Cyclone Girls vs. NVE @ NVE 6:15 pm

Nov. 15 - Picture Retake Day

Nov. 15 - 5th/6th Cyclone Girls vs. Scipio/Hayden @ GCE 6pm

Nov. 15 - Mobile Dentist

Nov. 20 - Cyclone Spirit Day - Wear Blue and Gold or SCE Gear

Nov. 20 - 5th/6th Cyclone Girls vs. GCE @ SCE 6pm

Nov. 20 - 5th/6th Cyclone Boys vs. Hayden @ SCE 7pm

Nov. 21 - All School Decorating starting anytime after 1:00

Nov 22 - through Nov. 24 Thanksgiving Break

Dec. 7 - SCE Christmas STEM Night

Dec. 12 - K-2 Christmas Music Program

Dec. 20 - End of 2nd Nine Weeks

Dec. 21-Jan. 3 - Christmas/New Year Break

Link <u>SCE calendar</u> with your calendar to stay Up to Date.

INCLEMENT WEATHER PLANNING 2023-2024

Dear JCSC Parents/Guardians,

Thank you for your support of our students, staff, and schools this school year! We appreciate your quick connections to our new communication platform Parent Square, helping us navigate the construction at the beginning of school successfully, and the high attendance at school events. If you have any questions or need help with Parent Square, please contact your

As we begin to prepare for possible inclement weather this upcoming winter, we would like to share some updates and planning information. Schools in Indiana are limited to three days where we may use eLearning days (teachers post assignments online and students work at their own pace at home). In addition to the three eLearning days, schools are allowed to use traditional make up days and/or live virtual learning. Live virtual learning days are days where students log in to Google Meets for classroom instruction. Schools are required to provide live teacher led instruction on these days.

Jennings County School Corporation will utilize a schedule to plan which types of days will be used if school instruction must change due to inclement weather (snow days). We would like to share that schedule with our families, so they may also be prepared in the event of the need to change instruction due to poor road conditions or snow.

JCSC Inclement Weather Planning 23-24

Day 1

eLearning Day (Students work online at their own pace, no live instruction)

Day 2

eLearning Day (Students work online at their own pace, no live instruction)

Day 3

Virtual Learning Day (Students will complete live online learning. Students must login to class times for live lessons from the teacher online.)

Day 4 and beyond

Virtual Learning Day (Students will complete live online learning. Students must login to class times for live lessons from the teacher online.)

Additional Option: JCSC may also call a traditional snow day. During this type of day, students do not complete any online work at home and instead make up the missed day on another date. If this option is needed, the first scheduled make up day used would be April 1st.

Reminder: April 8th is already a scheduled eLearning day due to the solar eclipse event locally.

Additional Information:

- <u>eLearning Days</u>- Students work on assignments at their own pace at home. There will be no live teacher instruction log in times required. Student attendance is counted based on work completion and teacher communication. Teachers are available for communication and support throughout the day (8:30am- 3:00pm).
- Live Virtual Learning Days Students must log in to Google Meets for live instruction.

Elementary students: 9:00am-11:30am

<u>JCMS:</u> 8:30am-1:00pm (Lunch is 11:05-12:00)

JCHS: 8:30am- 12:45 pm (lunch is 11:05-12:00)

Students will work on independent assignments after live instruction. Student attendance counted based upon Google Meet attendance, assignment completion, and communication with school staff. Teachers are available throughout the day for support and instruction (8:30am- 3:00pm).

Our schools will be planning and practicing these options with our students. You will receive additional information from your child's school or teacher. If you need internet connection support, we do have hotspots available for our students. Please reach out to your child's school for hotspot requests or any questions regarding planning.

Thank you for your support and involvement in our schools. We appreciate you!

Respectfully,
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