






back-to-school health and safety




# RE-OPENING AT-A-GLANCE

St. John the Baptist Catholic School is committed to being in school in person on August 31st. We will balance the educational, social, and emotional needs of students with procedures that will significantly lower transmittable health risks due to COVID-19 to students and staff.

OUR COMMITMENT

 <p><b>TEMPERATURE SCREENINGS</b></p> <p>SJB will be checking temperatures of students.</p>	 <p><b>HAND SANITIZATION</b></p> <p>SJB has installed wall mounted and free standing sanitization stations.</p>	 <p><b>RESPIRATORY ETIQUETTE</b></p> <p>We will teach students respiratory etiquette and proper hand-washing.</p>	 <p><b>FREQUENT SANITATION</b></p> <p>High touch areas will be sanitized twice daily and classrooms each day after school.</p>	 <p><b>CONTACT TRACING</b></p> <p>SJB will follow MDH guidance on any potential contact tracing.</p>
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YOUR COMMITMENT

 <p><b>FOLLOW HEALTH + SAFETY PLAN</b></p> <p>Follow MDH Decision Tree when students present symptoms.</p>	 <p><b>STUDENTS WITH SYMPTOMS</b></p> <p>Keep students home if they have fever, new cough, or shortness of breath.</p>	 <p><b>Prayer</b></p> <p>Pray for the safety of our entire community and the education of our students.</p>	 <p><b>RESPECT AND CHARITY</b></p> <p>Please understand our plan may change and not everyone will agree on every policy.</p>
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**8.31.20**

First day of school



**8:30-8:50 AM**

Morning Drop-off



**3:20-3:30**

Car Rider and Walker Dismissal



**YES**

Before/after care is open



**REMOTE**

Lego League will have remote competitions.

## A DAY IN THE LIFE AT SJB



SJB will move some furniture from classrooms in order to create distance between student seating.



SJB will limit the use of some spaces and material sharing in order to sanitize more effectively.



Staff, parents, and adult visitors will wear masks when in close contact with other adults or children.



Preschoolers will wear masks when entering and exiting the building.



K-4 will follow the mask directions issued by Governor Walz



SJB will be limiting visitor policies and limiting the number of adults in the building.



Hand-Sanitizing stations will be outside of each classroom, bathroom, and entryway.



We will continue to have Pizza Mondays. We will pause hot lunch prepared by parents for now due to CDC guidelines.



SJB will continue having school Mass. We will separate classes and ask visitors to sit separately.



SJB will stagger recess and limit large congregations at recess.



SJB will only have large gatherings outdoors with spacing.



SJB is working with District 200 regarding student transportation.



### HOW WE WILL COMMUNICATE WITH YOU

Our online Newsletter will be updated weekly and a link will be emailed to parents. Any updates to our plan will be included in this letter.



### STAYING FLEXIBLE IN UNCERTAIN TIMES

We will practice our online platforms during in person classes to prepare students in the case that they may be out of class.



### CONTACT US ANY TIME YOU HAVE A QUESTION

I know you may have concerns about our plan. Please feel free to call me at the school office or email at [PDIELTZ@SJB-SCHOOL.ORG](mailto:PDIELTZ@SJB-SCHOOL.ORG)



Our mission is to inspire and empower all learners to become the best Christ-centered version of themselves by integrating Christian virtues, 21st century learning, and service