

August 30 - September 6



## SJF NEWSLETTER



**Welcome** back to a new school year! We're excited to reconnect and start this journey together. Thank you for being a valued part of our community!



#### This Week at SJF:

**Tuesday, September 3:** First Day of School for Grade 6s (Only grade 6 students attend)

Wednesday, September 4: First Day of School for Grade 7 & 8s (Only grade 7 and 8 students attend)

> Thursday, September 5: All Students Attend

#### Mark Your Calendar

Wednesday, September 11: School Picture Day

Wednesday, September 11: Meet the Teacher Evening

Friday, September 13: School Terry Fox Run (Event at Nic Sheran Park)

Monday, September 30: Truth & Reconciliation Day (No school)

#### **Supply Lists**

Grade 6 Grade 7

Grade 8



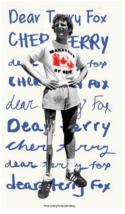




Athletics Calendar

Subject to change and refer
to it often

Terry Fox Fundraiser: Let's Go Bigger!



Our annual Terry Fox Run is on Friday, the 13th! Last year, we raised a record-breaking \$1,846 and celebrated with Mr. Miller dyeing his hair and beard pink, and Mr. Green shaving his head!

This year, our goal is \$1,250—and we have exciting new incentives to reach it. Click here to learn more!



#### **Senator Joyce Fairbairn Middle School**

#### 2024-2025 Grade 6 Supply List

Welcome to grade 6 at SJFMS. Please bring the following supplies to school on your first day. Please make sure all of your supplies are labelled with your first and last name.

1 – 2" 3-ring binder (zipped binder highly recommended)
 1 – pkg dividers
 1 – pkg of lined loose-leaf paper (100 sheets max)
1 – 200-page lined writing notebook (hole punched)
 5 – duotangs – various colors – (just the plain simple kind
 1 – pencil case
 1 – box pencil crayons (sharpened)
 1 – pencil sharpener
 2 – highlighters (different colors)
2 – large glue sticks
2 – fine-tipped black sharpies
1 – 30 cm ruler
2 – pkgs of 20 HB pencils
2 – white erasers
1 - blue or black ball-point pen
1 – red pen
2 – boxes of facial tissue
 1 – pair good quality scissors
 1 – headphones (for individual computer work)
1 – pkg cue cards
1 – water bottle (labelled with name)
2 – large whiteboard markers
1 – locker organizer (optional)
 1 – pair of running shoes (non-marking soles)



#### Senator Joyce Fairbairn Middle School

#### 2024-2025 Grade 7 Supply List

Welcome to grade 7 at SJFMS. Please bring the following supplies to school on your first day. Please make sure all your supplies are labelled with your first and last name.

- 1 2" 3-ring binders (zipped binder highly recommended)
- 2 pkg dividers
- 2 pkgs of lined loose-leaf paper
- 6 duo tangs various colours (just the plain simple kind)
- 2 Notebooks, 200 pages each, hole-punched (two different colors)
- 1 package of index cards (4x6 or 3x5)
- 1 box pencil crayons (sharpened)
- 1 pencil sharpener
- 3 highlighters (different colours)
- 2 fine-tipped black sharpies
- 2 fine-tipped dry erase markers
- 2 large glue sticks
- 1 30 cm ruler
- 4 pkg of 10 HB pencils (throughout the year)
- 2 white erasers
- 1 box of blue or black ball-point pens
- 1 roll of white-out tape
- 2-3 boxes of facial tissue
- 1 pencil case, soft-shelled zipper
- 1 pair good quality scissors
- 1 scientific calculator (Texas Instrument models TI-30Xa or TI-30X)
- 1 box paper reinforcements (optional)
- 1 non-Bluetooth headphones (for individual computer work)

Running shoes (non-marking soles)

Deodorant stick (no sprays please)

Athletic Wear (consideration for physical activity)



#### **Senator Joyce Fairbairn Middle School**

#### 2024-2025 Grade 8 Supply List

Welcome to grade 8 at SJFMS. Please bring the following supplies to school on your first day. Please make sure all your supplies are labelled with your first and last name.

- 1 2" 3-ring binders (zipped binder highly recommended)
- 2 pkg dividers
- 2 pkgs of lined loose-leaf paper
- 6 duotangs various colours (just the plain simple kind)
- 1 package of index cards (4x6 or 3x5)
- 1 box pencil crayons (sharpened)
- 1 pencil sharpener
- 3 highlighters (different colours)
- 2 fine-tipped black sharpies
- 2 fine-tipped dry erase markers
- 2 large glue sticks
- 1 30 cm ruler
- 4 pkg of 10 HB pencils (throughout the year)
- 2 white erasers
- 1 box of blue or black ball-point pens
- 1 roll of white-out tape
- 2-3 boxes of facial tissue
- 1 pencil case, soft-shelled zipper
- 1 pair good quality scissors
- 1 scientific calculator (Texas Instrument models TI-30Xa or TI-30X)
- 1 box paper reinforcements (optional)
- 1 non-Bluetooth headphones (for individual computer work)

Running shoes (non-marking soles)

Deodorant stick (no sprays please)

# September

#### 2024

Sunday		Monday	Tuesday		Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2		3	4 7/8 Girls Volleyball 3:45- 5pm 7/8 Boys Volleyball 5- 6:15pm	5 Invited 7/8 Boys Volleyball 3:45-5pm Invited 7/8 Girls Volleyball 5-6:15pm	Grade 6 Volleyball ID Session 7:30-8:30 Invited Boys Volleyball 11:45-1pm	7
	8	9 Grade 6 Volleyball 3:45-5 Rep Girls 5-615 Rep Boys 5-6:15 REP PARENT MEETING 6:15	Invited Girls 3:45-5 Invited Boys 3:45-5 Rep Boys 3:45-5 Rep Girls 5-6:15pm	10	Rep Girls 3:45-5 Rep Boys 3:45-5  MEET THE TEACHER	SJF BOYS @ GPMS 4pm SJF GIRLS @ GPMS 5pm Dev Girls 3:45-5 Dev Boys 3:45-5 DEV PARENT MEETING	13 SCHOOL-WIDE TERRY FOX RUN @ NIC SHERAN PARK	14

## **TERRY FOX FUNDRAISER:** LET'S GO BIGGER THIS YEAR!



### JOIN US FOR THE ANNUAL **TERRY FOX RUN!**

Support our school's goal to raise funds for cancer research and have some fun along the way!

#### LAST YEAR'S RECORD-**BREAKING ACHIEVEMENT!**

We raised \$1,846—the most ever by our school!

Thanks to your generosity, we had a school-wide treat and fun surprises:

- Mr. Miller dyed his hair and beard pink.
- Mr. Green shaved his head.

# **\$500:** Mr. Hamilton and Mr. Miller will run

the course in inflatable costumes.

\$750: Mrs. Parker, Miss Kalau, and Ms. Fairs will dump ice-cold water over their heads.

\$900: Mr. Skoretz will shave his mustache.

\$1,000: Mr. Mathur vs. Miss Muirhead in a Hot Wing Eating Contest.

**\$1.250:** The admin team will treat the entire school.

**\$1,500:** Bearded staff will glitterize their beards.

Above \$1,846: Mr. Filipenko and Mr. Miller will stay overnight at the school and complete student challenges!