

Ready to Achieve! 2023- 2024 School Operational Guidelines

With the start of the 2023-24 school year, St. James Parish School Board continues to plan and work towards a safe and healthy school and work environment for students and employees. We are dedicated to ensuring that each student is provided a high-quality education in a safe setting. The information provided has been revised and is based on guidance from the Louisiana Department of Education, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Louisiana Department of Health. These guidelines are developed using the most current information available and are subject to change as new information becomes available.

Updated COVID-19 Quarantine Protocols

• If an individual tests Positive for COVID-19, that individual is to isolate himself/herself for 5 days.

Face Coverings / Masks

Face coverings / masks are now optional.

Virtual and Continuous Learning

St. James Parish Schools continues to offer virtual learning opportunities through SJPS Virtual Academy. Google Classrooms will continue to be used by all administrators, teachers, students and parents for communicating, posting classroom assignments and home learning assignments.

Devices

Students in grades PK - 12th have been assigned iPads for continual learning when in the classroom and at home. Students use the Google platform to complete assignments and to communicate with teachers.

Visitors

Visitors are allowed at schools and are expected to follow proper campus procedures.

Environmental Cleaning

St. James Parish School System will continue its efforts toward daily cleaning and disinfecting. High touch areas will receive additional cleaning as needed.