THE LION LINE

Learn the True, Do the Good, Love the Beautiful

Welcome, summer.

It's been an unusual year, Lions. We miss seeing the scholars on campus and hearing the hustle and bustle of the Academy in action. We are grateful to our students, parents, and teachers for rising to the occasion throughout the distance learning process. We aren't sure what lies ahead; we hope for normalcy in the upcoming school year. As we receive communication from the Florida Department of Education and the Clay County School District, we will share it with you. If you have questions over the summer, please don't hesitate to reach out via phone or email. Administration is preparing for next year by interviewing and hiring new teachers, working on course schedules, ordering textbooks, and a plethora of other tasks. We'll introduce you to our outstanding group of new teachers, who have been hired for the 2020-2021 school year, in the July newsletter.

Thank you to Mrs. Natasha Bull for serving as the SJCA Parent Liaison for the 2020-2021. We appreciate all you have done for our families this year. We wish your family the best.

Over the next few days, we will collect textbooks, novels, and Chrome Books so that your family can look forward to a relaxing summer vacation that is sprinkled with some normalcy. We extend our deepest gratitude to Ms. Lori Meredith for serving as the Interim Headmaster this year. Ms. Meredith devoted countless hours to running SJCA during the 2019-2020 school year; we appreciate all she has done to manage SJCA during this transitional period. Mr. Johnson, the new SJCA Headmaster, comes aboard on June 8th. The faculty, staff, and administration are excited to work under his leadership. SJCA's future is bright and promising.

This issue of The Lion Line focuses on summer learning. There is no <u>required</u> work; however, many parents look for opportunities to continue academics during the summer months. We've listed a multitude of resources for your scholars to use in this edition. They have also been posted on the SJCA website.

Finally, we'd like to say goodbye and extend our warmest wishes to our faculty members who will not be returning to SJCA next year: Mr. Clarke, Mrs. Cardona, Mrs. Cooper, Ms. Yarberry, Mrs. Stratton, Mrs. Grewe, Mr. Everhart, and Dr. Leon. We wish each of them the best of luck in their future endeavors. We sincerely appreciate their service to our Academy.



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Way to Go, Wendell!

The CLT10 is the official preparatory exam for the Classical Learning Test. The CLT is an achievement test suited to our rigorous, classical education; it draws test passages from the greatest authors from a diverse background, including many authors studied in our curriculum. The CLT10 also reintroduces logic as an academic standard for students. Last month, some of our 10th grade scholars took the CLT 10 online. Wendell Feliciano-Berrocales was recognized as a CLT10 Distinguished Scholar. He received the highest score in our school. Congratulations Wendell!

Summer Learning Opportunities

- A suggested reading list is located on pages 3-5 of this newsletter.
- IXL: Scholars may continue to practice concepts in IXL over the summer.
- Cursive Handwriting Practice (Incoming 4th graders and above): Purchase the workbook, Learning Cursive: Handwriting Practice for Teens: With Declaration of Independence, United States Constitution and Bill of Rights for \$9.95 from Amazon.
- Phonogram videos: Please click the links below to have your scholar practice the phonograms, the basic foundation, to Literacy Essentials.

https://youtu.be/SkOxF8-OOjk https://youtu.be/-6I0zfE7fD4 https://youtu.be/ia98CsoSmGo https://youtu.be/ZFjDW9LPMQ4 https://youtu.be/ErIrMrB7XA https://youtu.be/1Xbkm5KNaA8

(PH 1-26: My Turn, Your Turn) (PH 27-55: My Turn, Your Turn) (PH 56-72: My Turn, Your Turn) (PH 1-26: Say It, Write It) (PH 27-55: Say It, Write It) (PH 56-72: Say It, Write It)

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(Manuscript: Short Line Letters)
(Manuscript: Tall Line Letters)
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https://www.stjca.org/summer-learning-opportunities.html

Supply Lists

The K-6th grade supply lists for next year are on pages 6-8 of this newsletter and can also be found here. Be sure to check page eight for supplies needed for elementary resource classes. Upper School lists will be provided to scholars during the first week of school. Additionally, planners will be available for purchase during the first week of school. We will update the cost of planners in the near future.

Family & Scholar Handbook

The 2020-2021 received Board approval and can now be found on the Academy's website. Please take some time this summer to thoroughly review this important document.

https://www.stjca.org/family--scholarhandbook.html

Summer Reading Suggestions

Title Green Eggs and Ham	Author Dr. Seuss	Grade Level Equivalency
Frog and Toad	Arnold Lobel	2.1
Little Bear		1.8
Danny & The Dinosaur	Else Holmelund Minarik, Syd Hoff	$\frac{1.8}{2.7}$
Mouse Soup	Arnold Lobel	4.1
The Cat in the Hat	Dr. Seuss	2
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Henry & Mudge Magic Tree House Series	Cynthia Rylant	2.2-3
Childhood of Famous Americans- George Washington		3.2
The Sword in the Tree	Clyde Robert Bulla	2.2
Dr. Desoto	William Steig	3.6
Boxcar Children Series	William Steig	3
Mike Mulligan	Virginia Lee Burton	3.4
The Secret Soldier	Ann McGovern	2.9
Bartholomew and the Oobleck	Dr. Seuss	3.7
Corduroy	Don Freeman	3.5
Little House Series	Laura Ingalls Wilder	3.8
Encyclopedia Brown	Donald J. Sobol	3.9
Blueberries for Sal	Robert McKloskey	4.1
Babar	Jean de Brunhoff	3.1-4
The Courage of Sarah Noble	Alice Dalgliesh	4.4
Paddington Bear	Michael Bond	2
The Tale of Despereaux	Kate DiCamillo	4.7
Amelia Bedelia	Herman Parish	2.5
Fortunately the Milk	Neil Gaiman	4.3
The Black Stallion	Walter Farley	6.5
Snow Treasure	Marie McSwigan	4.9
Where the Red Fern Grows	Wilson Rawls	6.5
Make Way for Ducklings	Robert McKloskey	3.1
The Little Prince	Antoine de Saint-Exupery	5
A Wrinkle in Time	Madeline L'Engle	4.7
BedKnob and Broomstick	Mary Norton	4
The Yearling	Kinnan Rawlings	5
Misty of Chincoteague	Marguerite Henry	5
Trumpet of the Swan	E.B. White	5.1
Sylvester and the Magic Pebble	William Steig	3.8
The Cricket in Times Square	George Selden	5.9
Indian in the Cupboard	Lynne Reid Banks	5.9
Winnie the Pooh	A.A.Milne	5.9

Summer Reading Suggestions

Title	Author	Grade Level Equivalency
The Thirteen Clocks	James Thurber	4.9
Redwall Series	Brian Jacques	7.8
A Little Princess	Frances Hodgson Burnett	5.7
The House at Pooh Corner	A.A.Milne	5.9
Mary Poppins	P. L. Travers	6.1
Matilda	Roald Dahl	5.2
Railway Children	E. Nesbit	5.6
The Mouse and the Motorcycle	Beverly Cleary	4.1
Five Little Peppers	Margaret Sidney	5.4
Doctor Doolittle	Hugh Lofting	5.8
Pippi Longstocking	Astrid Lindgren	5
Heidi	Johanna Spyri	7.9
Winged Watchman	Hilda Van Stockum	5
Justin Morgan Had a Horse	Marguerite Henry	5.3
Shiloh	Phyllis Reynolds Naylor	4.4
Caddie Woodlawn	Carol Ryrie Brink	5.3
Cheaper by the Dozen	Ernestine Gilbreth Carey,	6.6
Calico Captive	Elizabeth George Spears	6.9
Mr. Poppers Penguins	Richard Atwater	4.9
Stuart Little	E.B. White	3.9
The Door in the Wall	Marguerite De Angeli	6
Roll of Thunder Hear my Cry	Mildred D. Taylor	6
Ballet Shoes	Noel Streatfield	6.2
Silver Skates	Mary Dodge	7.5
My Father's Dragon	Ruth Stiles Gannett	4.8
The Black Arrow	Robert Louis Stevenson	7.6
The Phantom Tollbooth	Norton Juster	5.4
The Reluctant Dragon	Kenneth Grahame	5.5
Little Lord Fauntleroy	Frances Hodgson Burnett	8.1
Across Five Aprils	Irene Hunt	5.5
Princess and Curdie	George Macdonald	7.8
Little Men	Louisa May Alcot	7.1
Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm	Kate Douglas Wiggin	8.9
The Trumpeter of Krakow	Eric P. Kelly	5.5
Hardy Boys	Franklin W. Dixon	7
Roald Dahl Box Set: Willie Wonka, James and the Giant		
Peach, Fantastic Mr. Fox	Road Dahl	4
Nancy Drew	Carolyn Keen	7
The Borrowers	Mary Norton	5.9

Summer Reading Suggestions

Title	Author	Grade Level Equivalency
Benjamin West and his Cat Grimalkin	Marguerite Henry	7
The Hidden Treasure of Glaston	Eleanore M. Jewett	7
The Little Maid Series	Alice Turner Curtis	
The Little White Horse	Elizabeth Goudge	
The Blue Cat of Castle Town	Catherine Cate Coblentz	5.2

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Kindergarten

- 6 plastic folders with prongs and pockets-red, yellow, blue, green, orange, purple
- 1 package primary writing paper
- o 1 tablet primary story paper
- 1 primary composition book- This has a picture window at the top
- o 4 boxes of Crayola crayons (24)
- o 1 blunt tipped scissor
- o 4 glue sticks
- o 12 sharpened #2 pencils-(preferably no erasers)
- o 2 red pencils
- 1 package of twistable colored pencils
- o 1 set multi-color dry erase markers-thick
- o 3 sets black expo brand dry erase markers-thin
- o 1 plastic pencil box- you may label this
- o 1 Crayola watercolor paint
- 1 package Crayola
 Washable Markers
- o 1 package clear sheet protectors
- o 2 package Baby Wipes
- Boys Only- 1 bottle of hand sanitizer- excused if limited supply due to Covid 19
- Girls Only- 1 package large Zip-Loc bags
- 2 large containers
 Clorox/Lysol wipesexcused if limited supply due to Covid 19
- o 1 large box of tissues
- o 2 pack of copy paper

First Grade

- o (1) 36-count box Crayola colored pencils
- o (1) 24-count box Crayola crayons
- (1) pair of Fiskars bluntend scissors
- (8) thin, fine black EXPO dry-erase markers
- (1) dozen yellow #2 pencils,
 Ticonderoga brand
 (sharpened)
- o (1) green plastic, poly folders with pockets
- (1) blue plastic, poly folder with pockets and prongs
- (2) reams of white copy paper
- o (1) 3 pack Elmers glue sticks
- o (1) plastic pencil box (no locks or metal cases)
- o (1) pack unscented Baby Wipes
- (1) bottle of hand sanitizer
- o (1) large box of tissues
- (2) large containers of Clorox/Lysol wipes

Second Grade

- 3 black and white marbled composition notebooks
- 5 Folders with prongs- red, yellow, green, blue, orange (solid colors only please)
- o 24 Ticonderoga pencils
- o 2 red pencils
- 2 packs of Crayola colored pencils (They use these more than crayons, so a larger pack will last longer).
- o 1 pack of 3 glue sticks
- o 1 pair of Fiskar scissors
- 1 Lysol or Clorox wipes
- o 2 boxes of tissues
- 1 roll of paper towels (boys)
- o hand sanitizer (girls)
- pencil box- (solid color only, please)
- o 1 ruler
- 1 package of wide ruled notebook paper
- 2 pink erasers
- 1 package of multicolored printer paper
- o 2 reams of copy paper
- o 1 pocket dictionary
- o 2 highlighters
- o 2 packages of 3x5 index cards
- o 5 black or colored dry erase markers

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Third Grade

- dictionary (Merriam-Webster Edition)
- o disinfecting wipes
- o large hand sanitizer
- o zippered Pencil pouch
- o crayons (Crayola preferred)
- Scissors
- o Ruler
- o 6 glue sticks
- o 1 pk blue pens
- o 1 pk red pens
- o 2 highlighters
- 4 black dry erase markers (wide)
- 4 fine tip black dry erase markers
- 48 <u>pre-sharpened</u> yellow #2 pencils (Ticonderoga preferred)
- o 2 large pink erasers
- o 1pk pencil top erasers
- 6 composition notebooks labeled with names (wide ruled)
- 8 <u>3-prong</u> folders labeled with names (blue, yellow, green, purple, red, orange, black, 1 free choice)
- o 4 stacks Sticky notes
- o 2 pack index cards
- o 1 ream of copy paper each quarter
- 1 pack of wide ruled notebook paper each quarter
- 2 boxes of facial tissues each quarter (100 count or larger)
- o 4 tennis balls (can be used)
- Girls- gallon size baggies, construction paper, bandaids
- Boys- quart size baggies, baby wipes, 2pk paper towels
- Items may be reused from prior years.

Fourth Grade

- o Math blue divider
- Orthography red folder
- Writing orange divider
- o History yellow divider
- $\circ \quad \text{Science} \text{green divider}$
- Literature red divider2" notebook for subjects
- and plannerPencil pouch
- Crayola crayons 24 pack
- Crayola colored pencils 8
 pack
- self-contained pencil sharpener (for colored pencils)
- o Fiskars scissors
- o glue sticks
- o pencils (#2 Ticonderoga) (2 boxes)
- pens red, blue, black only (ballpoint only, not erasable)
- o highlighters
- o white erasers
- o tissues
- o Clorox wipes
- o hand sanitizer
- Printer paper (Hammermill jam-free recommended for our copier)
- o wide-ruled notebook paper
- o 3x5 notecards (spiral bound) for root words (2)
- o pack of 3 x 5 notecards
- o protractor
- o ruler (flexible is best)
- o Bic tank dry erase markers
- Sticky notes

Fifth Grade

- 24-pack of pre-sharpened#2 pencils
- o 1 pack of colored pencils
- o 1 pack of red pencils
- o 1 pack of sticky notes
- o 1 pack of glue sticks
- o 1 pair of scissors
- 1 pack of highlighters (any color)
- 1 pack of Expo markers (black)
- 1.5-inch plastic binder
- 1 pack (8 tab) of plastic dividers with pockets
- 2 folders with prongs (red and blue)
- o 12-inch ruler
- zipper pouch (must be compatible with a threering binder)
- o 2 3 x 5 spiral bound index cards
- 2 packs of college ruled loose leaf notebook paper
- o 1 composition notebook (no spirals)
- o 2 boxes of tissues
- o 1 Lysol/Clorox wipes
- o 1 hand sanitizer (boys)
- 1 pack of colored copy paper (girls)
- o 1 pack of white copy paper
- If your child cannot write cursive fluently, then he/she will need to purchase Learning Cursive: Handwriting Practice for Teens: With Declaration of Independence, United States Constitution and Bill of Rights Copybook by Trace2Write (This can be purchased from Amazon for \$10.)

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Sixth Grade

- o Index cards (200-400 of them)
- highlighters (pack of 4 different colors)
- o red grading pens
- o 6-sided pre-sharpened pencils
- personal pencil sharpener (small)
- o math: 3 ring binder + college ruled paper
- o science: 3 ring binder + college ruled paper
- history: 3 ring binder +
 college ruled paper
- ELA: composition book and 3 ring binder + college ruled paper
- Latin: 3-prong folder, any color
- hand sanitizer 2 per scholar
- o tissues 2 per scholar
- o paper towels 1 per scholar
- o Clorox wipes − 2 per scholar
- college-ruled notebook paper for all subjects
- Box of Ziplock baggies (1gallon size)
- Sharpies (pack of 4 different colors)
- dry erase markers 1 per scholar

Music with Ms. Smith

- o K: Nothing
- o 1st: Nothing
- o 2nd: two-pocket folder
- o 3rd: two-pocket folder
- 4th: two-pocket folder, and a recorder will be ordered through the classroom.
 Cost is approximately \$10.
- 5th: two-pocket folder, and a recorder will be ordered through the classroom. Cost is approximately \$10.

P.E. with Coach Patterson

Scholars in kindergarten through fifth grade will need:

- a water bottle
- o a warm weather P.E. uniform
- o a cold weather P.E. uniform

Art with Mrs. Rice

Kindergarten:

- o small hand sanitizer
- white t-shirt

First Grade:

- 1 ream printer paper- 24lb weight (Regular paper is 20lb. This is heavier weight and can be colored on without bleeding through.)
- white t-shirt (art smock)

Second Grade:

- o gallon size freezer bag
- o white t-shirt (art smock)

Third Grade:

- o paper towel roll
- white t-shirt (art smock)

Fourth Grade:

- o poster board: 11 x14
- o white T-shirt (art smock)
- 3 prong folder (any color) for Art History

Fifth Grade:

- o small tissue box
- white T-shirt (art smock)
- 3 prong folder (any color) for Art History