

# Parent Handbook



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## **Dear Parents:**

Thank you for choosing St. Jane Frances de Chantal School for your child's education. Our faculty and staff strive to provide the best education in a safe environment. To complete this goal, there have been changes to the handbook with regards to school safety issues. It is important to note, that we have 24-hour video surveillance inside and outside the school buildings, in key locations, which is accessible to administration and law enforcement personnel. Our 2018 updated phone system has recording capabilities for safety purposes. There is a new key access system to restrict usage of the school buildings monitored by administration and law enforcement. We look forward the cooperation between the faculty/staff and parents/guardians to continue making St. Jane School a safe environment

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of St. Jane Frances de Chantal School is to enable the learner to achieve his/her potential using a curriculum, infused with Catholic values, and diverse instructional methods in partnership with a supportive community.

## **BELIEF STATEMENTS:**

We believe that:

1. The Gospel message is realized through religious instruction, liturgical worship, and service to the community.
2. Religious values and mutual respect are the foundation that promotes the educational environment.
3. Teachers strive to be role models and challenge each student to develop spiritually, academically, emotionally, physically, and socially.
4. Education is a partnership of parent, teacher, and student.
5. Mastery of basic skills and development of thinking skills cultivate life-long learning.
6. Students' diverse learning styles and abilities are enhanced through instruction promoted by rigor and relevance.
7. Advances in technology support learning.
8. Character formation programs encourage personal growth.
9. Children learn in a safe and loving environment.
10. Extra curricular activities support the educational experience.

## **HISTORY**

St. Jane Frances de Chantal is accredited by the Middle States Association. (For more information about our middle states accreditation, see [www.msa-cess.org](http://www.msa-cess.org).) The school is staffed by certified lay teachers.

St. Jane Frances de Chantal School was founded in 1926 as a parish school with 145 children. It has grown to a population of nearly 500 students, including students not only from St. Jane Parish but also from neighboring parishes, as well as many students who are not members of the catholic faith. The school complex consists of 19 classrooms pre-school through eighth grade. The school office, library, chapel and pre-school through sixth grade classrooms are housed in the main school building located at the corner of 19th and Washington Boulevard. The junior high, the gym, computer lab, art room, and cafeteria are housed in the Bennett Building located at 1930 Washington Blvd., a short walking distance from the main school building. Through the Intermediate Service, classes for speech and remediation in math and reading are held in the Conference Center located next to the main school building.

St. Jane Frances de Chantal School is part of the Diocese of Allentown School System under the direction of Bishop John Barres, ordinary of the Diocese, and Mr. Philip Fromuth, superintendent of schools.

## **ADMISSION**

No child will be denied admission on the basis of color, race, or ethnic origin. While we do not provide a special needs education program, we will make **reasonable accommodations** for students with special needs. Parents are required to disclose in writing to the principal any special needs so that a formal meeting can take place before admission is granted.

## **ADMISSIONS CRITERIA**

Upon receipt of application materials, the pastoral staff will consider admission on the following:

### **Parish Membership**

- Registered and participating members of St. Jane Frances de Chantal Parish, Our Lady of Mercy Parish, St. Anthony Parish, Sacred Heart, Miller Heights Parish, and Our Lady of Lebanon Parish. Participating means attending Mass, and contributing through the regular use of offertory envelopes. Once a family qualifies as a registered participating member, applicants will be accepted in the following order:
  - \* students with siblings in the school
  - \* students who are enrolled in St. Jane's Preschool
  - \* students whose parents are alumni of St. Jane Frances de Chantal School, Easton Catholic, and Sacred Heart, Miller Heights School
  - \* students from other families in the parish -- admission and placement on a waiting list will be determined by the number of years the family is a registered /participating member of St. Jane Parish. Families who have recently moved into St. Jane Parish and are able to present a letter of participation from the pastor of their previous parish may

be given “credit of years” consideration.

- Registered (non-participating) parishioner
- Non-registered Catholic
- Non-Catholic

**NOTE:** In order to be eligible for the reduced tuition rate (subsidized by St. Jane Frances de Chantal Parish, Our Lady of Mercy Parish, St. Anthony Parish, Sacred Heart, Miller Heights Parish, and Our Lady of Lebanon Parish) a family must be registered and in “good standing” with their parish for a minimum of six months. This waiting period may be waived for new parishioners who present a letter of participation from their previous pastor.

● **Academic/Social Performance**

**Admission to Kindergarten:**

All children must be five years old by October 15 of the Kindergarten school year. Upon acceptance of the general admission criteria, the following procedure is required:

- Registration form completed by parent/guardian
- Presentation of birth certificate
- Presentation of immunization records in accordance with State requirements.
- Presentation of baptismal certificate if child was not baptized at St. Jane’s.
- Payment of non-refundable registration fee

**Admission to grades 1 through 8 will also be based on the following:**

New students are admitted only if there are vacancies. Upon acceptance of the general admission criteria the following procedure is required:

- All students must be six years old by October 15 of the first grade school year.
- Presentation of a transfer slip from the previous school.
- Presentation of a copy of the student’s most current report card.
- Presentation of a baptismal certificate if child was not baptized at St. Jane’s.
- Payment of a non-refundable registration fee
- Presentation of the original Pennsylvania Immunization card from previous school. (if applicable)
- Notification of any physical or mental limitations of the child by the parents/guardians.
- Students and parent interviews with the Principal.
- At the discretion of the Principal, students shall take an entrance test to assess prior knowledge.
- Parents may be requested to provide a tutor for their child in order to bridge any academic gaps that exist because of transferring schools.

All new students will be accepted on a probationary basis the first marking period; if warranted, probation could be extended to the end of the first semester. The purpose of this policy is to ascertain a pupil’s ability to adjust to the school philosophy and education program. Any student who, after admission, does not perform satisfactorily will be asked to withdraw from school.

### **Other Criteria**

- That Catholic parents/guardians desire to raise their children in the Catholic faith, and in keeping with the laws of the church, which include participation in Saturday evening and/or Sunday Mass.
- That parents/ guardians agree to support the organizations which assist the school, e.g. the Home and School Association and the Volunteer program.
- That parent/guardians agree to cooperate and uphold the rules and regulations of the school
- That parents/guardians are willing to participate in fundraising to support the school.
- That parents/ guardians of non-Catholic students agree that their children study the Catholic faith and participate in all liturgical and paraliturgical services according to the school schedule.
- That parents/guardians will pay all tuition, fees, and other financial obligations in a timely manner.
- That parents/guardians understand that the academic expectations of a student at St. Jane's School may exceed those of his/her previous school, and that the parent/guardian will, if necessary, employ a tutor to enable their child to be successful.
- **That parents/guardians will give the principal a copy of any ER or IEP that is in existence for their child so that the principal and parent/guardian can meet BEFORE admission is granted.**

### **ACADEMIC PROGRAM**

St. Jane Frances de Chantal School is an elementary school consisting of Grades K through 8. All students receive instruction in the following subjects: religion, language arts, reading, mathematics, science, social studies, art, music, physical education, computer, and Spanish. A program for remediation in reading and mathematics is available for those who qualify as set forth by the Intermediate Unit 20 criteria. Additional support services are available through an in-house resource teacher. Enrichment within the classroom is also provided for those students who manifest the ability to do work beyond that required of the class as a whole. All students, Catholic and non-Catholic, are required to attend religion classes to learn the teachings of the Catholic Church.

### **HOMEWORK POLICY**

The faculty of St. Jane Frances de Chantal School recognizes the positive relationship between homework and academic achievement. We are committed to a homework policy that fosters the development of self-discipline, time management, and sound study skills.

### **TYPES OF HOMEWORK**

**Preparation** - Homework that is assigned before the formal lesson

**Practice** - Homework that is assigned after the skill or concept is taught

**Extension** - Homework that is assigned to see if a student can transfer a skill to a new or a different situation

**Creativity** - Homework that is assigned or putting together concepts and skills in new and different ways

All students are to write their assignments in a homework book. We expect parents to review homework nightly. Failure to complete assigned work or being inadequately prepared for class will have a negative impact on a student's grades.

### **HONORS**

Honors are earned by students in the 6th, 7th and 8th grades at each trimester report card period.

- **Distinguished Honors** - those students who have earned a 95 or above in all subjects; satisfactory in minor subjects, conduct, and effort.
- **First Honors** - those students who have earned a 90 or above in all subjects; satisfactory in minor subjects, conduct, and effort. (Algebra I students may still qualify for first honors with an 85 in Algebra I.)
- **Second Honors** - those students who have earned an 85 or above in all subjects; satisfactory in minor subjects, conduct, and effort.

### **REPORT CARDS**

Students receive mid-trimester progress reports and report cards three times yearly. Each report card subject grade reflects a wide range of the student's school experience for which he/she must learn to take ownership:

- Oral participation and expression, class cooperation, and attentiveness
- Homework and in-class assignments completed as directed
- Major test results and quizzes
- Projects and long-term assignments
- Being prepared for class by having studied and having materials
- Quality of work

**Please note that report card grades are not determined simply by averaging test scores. When applicable, the points listed under Report Cards will determine the subject grade.**

### **POWERSCHOOL**

Grades K to 8 use PowerSchool, an electronic reporting system. PowerSchool enables parents to have daily access to their children's grades and whether or not graded assignments were handed in. Passwords are given to parents at the first Home and School Association Meeting in early September. Students will not receive passwords. It is the responsibility of the parent to monitor their child's progress and contact the teacher with any questions or concerns. Report cards are also printed at the end of each trimester, and sent home in an envelope. Parents must sign and return the envelope.



## **STANDARDIZED TESTING**

St. Jane Frances de Chantal School follows the Diocesan Testing Program.

**COGAT:** The Cognitive Abilities Test is administered to grades 3, 5 & 7 in the spring

**ITBS:** The Iowa Test of Basic Skills is administered to grades 2 through 7 in the spring

## **TESTING POLICY**

Assessment, part of the teaching and learning process, is varied and ongoing. It includes: diagnostic screening tools, reading, writing, and math benchmarks; chapter and unit tests; daily quizzes, and other alternative assessments. Since an important part of the learning process is learning how to study, trimester assessments and final exams are given to students in grades 5-8 in the following subjects: Religion, Mathematics (computation and problem solving), English Grammar, Science, Social Studies, and Spelling (optional). Eighth grade students whose year to date average is a 93 or better in a subject at the time of finals, **may** be exempt from taking the final in that subject.

All tests for grades 1-2 will be sent home on a regular basis to be signed by the parent/guardian and then returned to the teacher for the classroom student file.

All tests except reading unit tests for grades 3-8 will be sent home on a regular basis to be signed by the parent/guardian and then returned to the teacher for the classroom student file. Trimester assessments and final exams are not sent home.

## **TEXTBOOKS**

Textbooks approved for use in the Catholic Schools are provided for our students. The children are expected to take care of the books given for their use. Books are to have clean covers at all times. The children must carry their books to and from school in a book bag. Lost or damaged books must be replaced at the current cost.

## **ATTENDANCE**

Students must be present for a minimum of 4 instructional hours (lunch and recess not included) in order to be considered present for the entire day. Therefore, students who arrive after 9:30AM are considered absent for the morning session, and students who leave before 12:30PM are considered absent for the afternoon session.

Regular attendance of the child is primarily the duty of the parents. When a child is absent a parent /guardian must call the school between the hours of 7:00 and 8:15 and report the child absent. If this is not done, a phone call will be made by the office staff to check on the absence. All requests for homework must be made through the school office. Requested work will be available in the office no earlier than 2:30PM after the second day of absence.

A student who has been absent from school must present a written excuse from a parent / guardian which states the reason for the absence and dates. If a student is absent for three or more consecutive days, a doctor's certificate must be presented to the school. Excessive absences will be dealt with according to Pennsylvania State Law. (10 days out must be sent a warning letter)

Students who are absent 20 or more days and have not successfully completed the requirements of the curriculum are subject to retention. Students who have a specific health problem causing frequent or repeated absence from school must have a letter from their family doctor verifying and explaining the reason for such absence.

Students who will be going on an extended trip during the school year must request the "Extended Absence Form" from the school office **prior to the trip**. Make-up work, which will be given when the student **returns** to school, is the responsibility of parent/guardian and student.

### **TARDINESS**

Our school day **begins at 7:40 a.m.** Teachers are in their classrooms with a majority of the students by 7:30 a.m. and morning work begins. Chronic tardies are a disruption to the classroom and often the late offenders fall behind on their work for the day. **Exceptions that DO NOT count toward detention: doctor's appointments with notes with reason for the late entry into school.**

Prompt arrival at school is expected of all students. Students who arrive after **7:40** are **considered tardy and must** report to the secretary's office for an admission slip which must be given to the homeroom teacher. Any student who is late **5 times** will serve a **Friday detention** which will include light housekeeping of sweeping, dusting and vacuuming. It will be revolving, so every 5 tardies will serve the following Friday detention. A letter outlining consequences will be sent by Administration. **All unexcused tardies make the student ineligible to receive an Outstanding Attendance Award.**

### **CALENDAR**

A yearly calendar is posted on our school website ([www.stjaneschool.com](http://www.stjaneschool.com)). The calendar is updated as needed. For up to date information, parents/guardians are encouraged to access the website. A yearly calendar is also sent home in both June and August. Refer to our website for up-to-date calendar changes.

<http://www.stjaneschool.com/events/category/st-jane-school-calendar/>

### **CHANGE OF ADDRESS**

Changes of address or telephone number must be reported to the homeroom teacher and to the school office immediately. Up-to-date records are most essential. For the safety of your child and to ensure that the home receive all school communication, emergency numbers and emails must also be up-to-date.

## **CODE OF CONDUCT**

The conduct of students directly impact educational outcomes. It is essential that St. Jane Frances de Chantal School (St. Jane School) provides a safe environment driven by instruction, and supported by constructive consequences. The administration, faculty, and staff have established a Code of Conduct policy which includes a discipline plan. Every student at St. Jane School will adhere to the Code of Conduct, with no exceptions.

At St. Jane School, we believe all students have the right and responsibility to achieve their educational best. To ensure this, all members of the school community need a safe and positive environment in which to learn and grow

### **We Pledge To:**

- \*Honor individual differences
- \*Foster dignity and recognize the inherent worth in all students
- \*Clearly define expectations
- \*Hold each person accountable for his or her own actions
- \*Teach and model positive behaviors

### **We Expect Students to Strive to be Janers:**

- J**oyful attitude
- A**lways do your best
- N**urture growth
- E**mulate the Saints
- R**espect all
- S**how school pride

### **We Expect Teacher To:**

- \*Maintain a positive and safe classroom environment
- \* Communicate with families
- \*Teach and model positive behaviors
- \* Be on time
- \* Cultivate a positive working environment while putting students first

### **We Expect Administrators To:**

- \*Provide strong leadership
- \*Communicate with teachers and parents
- \*Encourage family support and participation

- \*Provide a safe environment
- \*Teach and model positive behaviors
- \*Cultivate a positive working environment while putting students first

**We Expect Parents To:**

- \*Speak in a positive and encouraging manner about St. Jane and its employees
- \*Provide strong leadership
- \*Communicate with teachers and administration
- \*Encourage and support school policies
- \*Explain and review policies with their children
- \*Teach and model positive behaviors

**WHEN STUDENTS MEET EXPECTATIONS**, positive behaviors will result in one or more of the following:

- \*Positive school environment
- \*Enhanced self-image
- \*Enhanced self-respect

**WHEN STUDENTS DO NOT MEET EXPECTATIONS**, faculty and administration will encourage students to develop increased self-control and improve their ability to make positive choices through the school-wide use of a “discipline level system.” The level system defines infractions/points and related consequences.

**WHEN AND WHERE THE DISCIPLINE CODE APPLIES TO BEHAVIOR:**

- \*Any time a student is on school property (before, after, during school hours)
- \* At all school-sponsored events including Field Trips, church functions, etc.
- \*Any time a student is in school uniform (on or off school property)
- \***Any other time when a student’s behavior negatively impacts the educational process or endangers the health (mental and physical), safety, values, or welfare of any member of the school community.**

**Discipline Policy for Kindergarten through Grade 8:**

Teachers will develop their own policies for addressing student behaviors that are inconsistent with the expectations outlined in our “JANERS” acronym. Dialogue between teachers and parents/guardians is essential in nurturing students during these formative years.

- Joyful attitude
- Always do your best
- Nurture growth
- Emulate the Saints

Respect all  
Show school pride

**Level One Infractions: WARNING**

A **Level One** infraction will result in a verbal and/or written warning. The written warning in assignment book or white paper format (see attached) will detail the violation. The student and the parent must sign and return the warning. It is our expectation that the behavior will change IMMEDIATELY with the warning so that the behavior does not escalate to a Level Two infraction.

**Level One** infractions, though not limited to, include the following:

1. Missing or incomplete homework/classwork
2. Test folder/planners not signed
3. Dress Code violations
4. Not Following Directions (especially for safety)
5. Inappropriate language with no malice (cursing)
6. Disobedience (defiance)
7. Disregard for Cafeteria, recess, morning room rules (especially for safety)
8. Physical confrontation with no malice that results in injury, ...hitting, shoving, scratching, biting, shoving in line (Typically “rough housing”)
9. Talking in hallways/end of school dismissal (for safety reasons)
10. Disruptive behavior

**Level Two Infractions: POINTS**

**Level Two** infractions will result in assigned point(s), depending on the infraction. The student and parent/guardian must sign and return Discipline Referral pink slip. (NOTE: The Discipline Referral slip will be filed in the student’s file.)

**Level Two** infractions, though not limited to, include the following:

1. Repeated or significant incidents of Level 1 offense(s)
2. Inappropriate language with malice/intent
3. Aggressive behavior
4. Harassment - verbal, physical, or sexual
5. Misuse of electronic or technology devices (on school premises or from alternate locations)
6. Unauthorized use of cell phones. Cell phones that are being used during school hours will be collected and given to administration. Parent/Guardians must pick up the cell

phone from administration at a mutually convenient time. (Consequence for use of phone will result in a loss of privileges such as and not limited to: loss of recess, removal of placement in any extra-curricular club or activity; for example, cupstacking, Student Ambassadors, National Junior Honor Society, Academic Bowl Team, field trips, 8th grade dance.

\*Accumulation of five points will result in an after-school detention (time and location to be determined, as needed). This may include community service. Parents will be notified when behavior is detrimental to the student's progress. Teacher will notify administration.

### **Level Three Infractions: AUTOMATIC DETENTION**

**Level Three** infractions will result in an automatic detention. Level Three Infractions, though not limited to, include the following:

1. Cheating (on tests or homework assignments -- including plagiarism)
2. Inappropriate use of electronic or technology devices/web (on school premises or from alternate locations that affects the safety and well-being of the school)
3. Bullying / Cyberbullying (on school premises or from alternate locations that affects the safety of the school)
4. Threatening behavior (in words or actions) (on school premises or from alternate locations that affects the safety and well-being of our school)
5. Stealing
6. Fighting
7. Vandalism

\*After **two** detentions, repeated behavior issues will result in a parent conference. Teacher will notify administration. A third detention received in a trimester may result in one or more of the following suspension, loss of privileges, parent conference, and probationary restrictions and/or contract.

### **Level Four Infractions: REFERRAL TO ADMINISTRATION**

**Level Four** infractions may result in a temporary or permanent separation from St. Jane School. Level Four Infractions, though not limited to, include the following:

1. Terroristic threats (on school premises or from alternate locations that affects the safety and well-being of our school)
2. Weapons
3. Assault on faculty or staff (verbal or physical)
4. Serious assault on peer (verbal or physical)

5. Slander / Libel (on school premises or from alternate locations that affects the safety and well-being of our school)
6. Robbery, etc.
7. Possession of drugs or drug paraphernalia
8. Intoxication
9. Smoking, vaping, juuling

\*In some cases, law enforcement involvement may be required due to the nature of the offense.

Report Grading (excluding Kindergarten) with the point system:

For a student to earn an O/VG on the report card for *Conduct and Effort Grades*, a student must have earned 0 points for the trimester. The Code of Conduct does not solely determine the *Conduct and Effort Grades*.

For a student to earn a G on the report card for *Conduct and Effort Grades*, a student **must not have earned more than 4 points for the trimester**. The Code of Conduct does not solely determine the *Conduct and Effort Grades*.

A student accumulating **5 points per trimester**, will automatically earn an S on the report card for *Conduct and Effort Grades*. The Code of Conduct does not solely determine the *Conduct and Effort Grades*.

A student accumulating **6 - 9 points in any trimester**, will automatically earn an N on the report card for *Conduct and Effort Grades*. The Code of Conduct does not solely determine the *Conduct and Effort Grades*.

A student accumulating **10 or more points in any trimester**, will automatically earn an a U on the report card for *Conduct and Effort Grades*, and a meeting with the administration will determine if St. Jane School is the right choice for that student. The Code of Conduct does not solely determine the *Conduct and Effort Grades*.

- All warnings / infractions must be signed and returned to the homeroom teacher.
- It is our expectation that all parents/guardians will support this policy in word and action. The Administration may amend and/or interpret the Code of Conduct at its discretion. We thank you in
- advance, for your support and cooperation of this Discipline Code.

### **Sexting**

Students involved in possession or transmission of inappropriate photos on their cell phone or other electronic device faces suspension and/or expulsions. In accordance with the law, the administration will notify law enforcement.

### **Technology Concerns**

Engagement in social media such as, but not limited to, Facebook, Instagram, Snapchat, will result in disciplinary action if the content of the student or parent's posting is defamatory comments regarding the school, the faculty, other students, or the parish. Parents or students must refrain from creating any social media for a specific class/grade. Negative or defamatory comments about the school, the faculty, other students, or parish made on a social media will result in the children of the parent being separated from the school. In the event that a student is disenrolled from the school there will be no reimbursement for tuition and/or fees. (Level Three, #2 infraction)

### **Cell Phones**

At no time during the school day should a personal cell phone/tablet/electronic device/SMART watches of any kind, etc. be in a student's possession unless directed by the teacher. Exceptions to this rule are by administrative decision. The devices must be turned off and stored in student's back pack/lockers during the school day. (Level Two, #6 infraction)

***Conduct in or out of the school that is detrimental to the reputation of the school is reason for expulsion.*** Administration will issue Suspensions and expulsions when deemed necessary. Administration will follow the directives in the *Diocesan Crisis Manual*, in conjunction with the Diocesan Office of Education.. The principal is the final recourse in all disciplinary situations and may waive any disciplinary rule for just cause at his/her discretion.



## **COMMUNICATION**

A weekly communication newsletter is sent via SchoolMessenger weekly on Wednesdays The Communication folder is sent electronically in this communication with a link to our website – Parents Tab, Communication Folder link. Parents asked to read the contents and return any necessary forms no later than the following day.

Any material for the communication folder must be electronically presented to the principal ([altnsjf@ptd.net](mailto:altnsjf@ptd.net)) for approval and must be received by **Monday, 2:30 P.M.**, in order to be included in the next week's electronic communication folder.

## **COMPUTER AND INTERNET ACCESS POLICY**

St. Jane de Chantal School has an *Acceptable Use Policy for Computers and Internet Access*. A copy of this policy is an addendum to this handbook. Parents and each child in the family must sign and return the consent form yearly before gaining access to the computers or Internet.

## **CONFIDENTIALITY**

Teachers will keep confidential information entrusted to them as long as no one's life, health, or safety is at stake. Parents will be promptly notified of teacher concerns.

## **COURT ORDERS**

St. Jane Frances de Chantal School complies with the provisions of the Buckley Amendment:  
*“Non-custodial parents will be given access to unofficial copies of student records and the staff will be available to discuss the records, unless a court order stating otherwise is filed with the school.”*

Divorced parents are required to file a copy of the custody section of their divorce decree with the school.

## **DAILY SCHEDULE**

- 7:00 Doors to the school are opened. Students should report to the morning room.
- 7:40 School day begins. Students arriving after 7:40 are considered late and must report to the school office for a late slip.
- 11:00 Lunch for grades 3 ,4, 5
- 11:30 Lunch for grades 6, 7, 8
- 12:00 Lunch for grades k, 1, 2
- 1:55 Prayers and dismissal

## **EARLY DISMISSAL**

Students who need to be excused part of the day in order to meet a medical or dental appointment that could not be scheduled after school hours must bring a note from his/her

parent. Notes must be presented for approval to the teacher and the office during the early part of the day. If an emergency arises and an early dismissal is necessary, you **MUST** contact the office. The completion of schoolwork missed during such absences is the responsibility of the student.

No child may leave the school during school hours unless accompanied by a parent or authorized adult who will sign out that student in the school office in the book provided. **All students to be picked up during school hours will be called to the office when the parent arrives. PARENT/OTHER AUTHORIZED person MUST show a valid photo ID.**

### **EMERGENCY CARD**

An emergency contact card will be sent home at the beginning of the school year. It is vital that this information be complete and up-to-date.

### **EMERGENCY CLOSING**

For school closings because of ice or snow, St. Jane Frances de Chantal School will follow the Easton Area School District. A SchoolReach phone alert will then be sent to our families. Please do not call the Church Business Office, Rectory or School. SchoolReach alerts will also be sent for any emergency that might be specific to St. Jane Frances de Chantal School and not part of the Easton Area School District alert.

If school is already in session, children will be dismissed as the Bus Districts send the buses. Each district will be different. A SchoolReach phone alert will be sent to all families. Please monitor radio stations (stations WAEB (790 AM), (99.9 FM), WFMZ (100.7FM) and the local television channel 69. St. Jane Frances de Chantal will be on the list, but a good judge of time for your child would be the school district in which you reside.

For a delay, again, we follow the Easton Area School District. If they are on a two hour delay, we are on a two hour delay. Easton buses will also be on a two hour delay. However, many times other districts are not on a two hour delay.

There is a possibility that your school district of residence will be on regular time. Their buses then would be sent out at the usual time. If we are on a delay, and your school district of residence is not on delay, please do not send your child on the bus because we cannot guarantee that there will be a responsible adult at the school to be with him/her.

If your district is on a two hour delay and we are on regular time, you may send your child on the bus and there will be no mark against the late arrival in his/her attendance. If this ever occurs, you may choose to bring your child in to school on time.

### **EXTENDED CARE PROGRAM**

For an additional fee, the school provides an after school extended care service on most school days from the close of school until 5:30PM. A separate aftercare handbook and registration

forms are available by calling the school office. See website [www.stjaneschool.com/parents/extended-care/](http://www.stjaneschool.com/parents/extended-care/)

### **FACULTY APPOINTMENTS/CONFERENCES**

Conferences are scheduled in conjunction with the distribution of the first trimester progress report. Teachers or parents may schedule conferences at any other time by teachers or by parents. Faculty members are eager to discuss your child's progress. Meetings can be easily arranged by notifying the individual teacher. No parent should detain teachers before, during, or after school without prior notification and agreement. Teachers will NOT schedule an appointment at times that conflict with teaching or supervisory duties. Teachers may be reached at school from 2:10 - 2:30 PM. A parent may leave message in teacher's voice mail box anytime during the school day, and the teacher will return the call when he/she is available. Both the parent and the staff member should know the purpose of the conference so that all concerned can appropriately prepare.

### **FIELD TRIPS**

Parents will be notified of all class trips. A written release slip must be signed by the parent/guardian before the child is permitted to attend the field trip. Field trips are an earned privilege. Students may be denied participation in a field trip due to discipline, academic, or tuition/fee problems. Code of Conduct and Dress Code apply to all field trips. There is no reimbursement of fees charged if a student misses a field trip for any reason. Students can not bring any type of electronic devices (e.g. ipod, ipad, cell phone) on a field trip.

### **GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS**

The following programs are available to us through the government.

**Federal:** Title I: Remedial Reading

**State:** Act 89: Remedial Reading and Mathematics  
Speech Therapist NCIU  
Psychologist - NCIU

Act 90 and Act 195: supplemental funds for purchase of workbooks and textbooks

Act 372 busing (1972) provided by local school districts

School Health Services: Nurse's services

### **HOME AND SCHOOL MEETINGS**

The Home and School Association holds general meetings, annually, according to their Calendar of Events.. They will give ample notice in order that you will be able to make attendance at these meetings a priority on your schedule. We ask that at least one parent attend the meeting. The HSA assists the school in many ways, providing both social and educational programs along with fund-raising activities to support special projects.

## **INSURANCE**

The Diocese of Allentown implemented a student accident program for any student who attends kindergarten through grade eight. The cost of this program is a fee paid by the parents. Claim forms, as well as a description of the coverage, may be obtained at the school office.

## **STUDENT INTERVENTION TEAM (SIT)**

The mission of the Student Intervention Team is to identify students who are in need of academic and behavioral support and to provide them with the type of academic, communication, social/emotional, and/or behavioral support needed to succeed in school. It is a team-based model. Members of the team include the school psychologist, the remedial teacher, the classroom teacher, the principal, the in-house resource teacher, and the parent/guardian. The SIT process is initiated when a request for consultation form is completed.

## **LIBRARY**

The school library is available for the use of the students. The card catalog is on-line and each student receives a password to enter the system. They are able to reserve a book. Students in grades K-5 attended classes according to their schedule. Students may check books in or out during this time. Instruction on the correct use of the library and its materials is presented. A student may not take a book out unless the previous book is returned. Students are responsible for the cost of the book and library processing fee if they do not return books within three weeks or if they damage a book. Since the money covers the purchase of a replacement book, no refunds are possible if a book is found after the assessment of the fee.

## **LUNCH / RECESS**

Children eat in Father Farrell Hall. Students may pack a lunch or purchase a pre-ordered hot lunch.

The following is the procedure for ordering lunch.

1. A lunch calendar is posted on the school website monthly.
2. There are order forms for lunch tickets on our website.
3. Fill out one form (it contains 3 sections: Lunch/extra entrée/milk)
  - a. number of lunch tickets you wish to purchase (for a month, two months, the entire year, 10 lunches...) Remember all lunches include a drink.
  - b. The number of extra entrees-e.g. extra chicken nuggets. Remember, you must buy the lunch to be able to purchase an extra entrée.
  - c. The number of ONLY drinks
4. Orders for lunch tickets will only be filled on Thursdays and Fridays. If you send in an order on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday, there is no guarantee that it will be filled until Thursday or Friday.
5. Child must bring in ticket on the day he/she wants to purchase a lunch.
6. Teachers submit the lunch count at 8:30AM every day. No one can be included in the lunch count after 8:30 A.M. If your child is late, please pack a lunch. If you know that

- your child will be late the following day, you can ask the teacher to include your child in the lunch count for the following day.
7. If a child forgets his/her ticket and realizes before the morning count, we ask that the child phone home to verify this. The school will provide a lunch ticket; however, for accounting reasons, this ticket must be reimbursed with money and not another ticket.
  8. If a child forgets to order by the morning count and parents are unable to bring in lunch, the school provides cereal.

Glass containers are prohibited.

The students must treat the parent monitors of the lunch period with respect at all times. The monitors have the authorization to correct the children and to demand good order during the lunch period. The code of conduct applies to all non-classroom situations.

### **MEDICAL**

There are two school nurses: one provided by the Wilson Area School District and the other employed by St. Jane School. The school district school nurse is at St. Jane School one day a week and she is responsible for the maintenance of health records, health assessments, parental contact concerning health, care of minor injuries, and as a resource in health education. The nurse also performs regular height and weight checks, and hearing and vision screening.

Our in-house school nurse is here on the four days that the district nurse is not at St. Jane School. She is responsible for parental contact concerning health, dispensing approved medications, and the care of minor injuries, and assisting the district nurse in maintaining of records.

Parents are free to contact the school nurse with questions or concerns regarding health-related matters. Contact can be made by calling the school's office. All cases of chickenpox, head lice, scabies, impetigo, and "pink eye" must be reported to the school nurse. When a student is excluded because of head lice, the parent must make arrangements with the school for the child to be checked by the school nurse before readmission to class. Returning to school following all other communicable disease and illness is in accordance with doctor's orders, dependent upon ongoing doctor's treatment, and/or being declared no longer "contagious" by a physician.

All students in kindergarten, first grade, sixth grade, and out of state new entries require a physical examinations. These can be done by the school physician, free of charge, or by the family physician at the parent's expense.

All students in grade kindergarten or first grade, third grade, seventh grade, and out of state new entries require dental examinations. These can be done by the school dentist, free of charge, or by the family dentist at the parent's expense.

Parents must return all private family physician and dental forms - signed and dated - to the school nurse, by September 15. If the forms are not returned, students will be scheduled for

school exams performed by the school physician, with permission of the parent or guardian.

Hearing screenings take place every year for kindergarten and grades one, three, seven, and for anyone having a problem. Height, weight, and vision screenings take place every year.

### **ILLNESS or INJURY**

In case of illness or injury, the school nurse or a member of the school staff will care for a child temporarily. School personnel will render first aid treatment only. If emergency medical treatment is necessary, parents will be contacted. They will assume responsibility for further treatment. Please provide the school with the names of local relatives and/or friends/neighbors who can care for your child in the event of an emergency or illness and can provide transportation.

Emergency Care cards with information such as address, phone numbers, place of employment, etc. must be current at all times.

### **IMMUNIZATIONS**

New student entries and children entering 7th grade in Pennsylvania require the following:

#### ALL GRADES:

- Four (4) doses of Tetanus and Diphtheria –one (1) dose after fourth birthday
- Four (4) doses of Polio -- one (1) dose after fourth birthday
- Two (2) doses of MMR
- Three (3) doses of Hepatitis B
- Two (2) doses of varicella (chickenpox) or evidence of immunity
- One (1) dose of Tdap on first day of 7th grade
- One (1) dose of Meningococcal conjugate vaccine (MCV)

Exemptions are for medical reasons and religious beliefs. As additional immunizations are administered to your child, please provide the school with written copy of dates (month, day, year) from the doctor or health care provider. This will ensure that your child's records are appropriately updated.

### **MEDICATIONS**

**State law prohibits the administering of** both over-the-counter (nonprescription) and prescription medication in school. Parents should administer medication to their child at home. Most prescription medication can be taken at home before school, after school, and at bedtime. If a parent feels it is necessary to administer a medication during the school day, he/she can come to school to administer such medications.

The administration of medication to children shall be done only in exceptional circumstances wherein the child's health may be jeopardized without it and only when the *Authorization for*

*Medication During School Hours* Form has been signed by both the parent/guardian and the attending physician. This form must be kept on file in the school office. Only the school nurse or her designee may administer authorized medication.

Any medication sent to school must be a single dose and in a properly labeled container. No medications of any kind are kept in a child's desk, pocket, lunch box, or school bag. All medications are kept in the health room.

### **PARTIES**

With the exception of Christmas, parties during the school day are not permitted for the third through eighth grades. On special occasions a treat may be given during the LUNCH or SNACK period. Kindergarten through second grade parties are at the discretion of the teacher. No child's birthday may be celebrated during school time; however, a treat for the class may be sent in for snack or lunchtime. Please notify the teacher at least one day in advance. Invitations to home parties may be given out in school only if the whole class or gender is invited. Gifts from parents and friends may not be sent to the classroom during the school day.

### **PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

Each student participates in Physical Education. If, for some reason, the child is unable to participate in this program, a note should be presented to the Physical Education teacher, classroom teacher, and nurse. Students in grade K-8 must wear official school gym uniform on their assigned gym day. (See Physical Education Uniform )

### **RELIGIOUS OPPORTUNITIES**

In conjunction with Diocesan policy, students in all grades must attend Religion classes daily. The entire student body attends Mass or a para-liturgical service weekly. There are opportunities to participate in services such as the Living Rosary, seasonal prayer services, Stations of the Cross, Living Stations, and May Procession. The Sacrament of Reconciliation is available four times a year. Parental attendance at special meetings held prior to a student's reception of the sacrament of Eucharist, Reconciliation and Confirmation are required.

### **PRESCHOOL**

Preschool programs for three and four year olds are available throughout the school year. For more information please call the principal at the school 610-253-8442. See our website for additional information at [www.stjaneschool.com/preschool-application-information/](http://www.stjaneschool.com/preschool-application-information/)

### **RETENTION/REQUIREMENTS FOR PROMOTION**

Students who have a failing general average for the year (below 70) may be required to repeat the grade. Grades 3 to 8 .repeat in a different school. Students failing major subjects may be required to attend summer school or receive 30 hours of tutoring in each failed subject before being promoted to the next grade.

## **SEARCH POLICY**

Students have no expectation of privacy in their locker or any other storage space assigned to them. Student lockers or other storage space and their contents, including personal items belonging to students, may be searched at any time at the discretion of the administration. The administration may authorize or undertake such searches regardless of whether the administration has reason to believe that prohibited materials or evidence of a violation of law or school policy will be found in any particular locker or storage area.

## **SPORTS AND CULTURAL CYO**

St. Jane's Parish School is honored to include its students in extra-curricular activities as Christian witnesses to the entire community. All who participate are expected to apply and demonstrate Christian values.

The following CYO sports and cultural/academic programs are available:

<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>GRADE(S)</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>GRADE(S)</b>
Soccer	K – 8	Academic Bowl	7 – 8
Cheerleading	4 – 8	Declamation	7 – 8
Basketball	3 – 8	Geography Bee	4 – 8
Wrestling	K – 8	Spelling Bee	5 – 8
Baseball/Softball	K – 8	Chess Club	K – 8
Cross Country	K – 8	Halloween Party	K – 3
Track/Field	K – 8	Easter Egg Hunt	K – 2
Pep Squad	K – 3	Flag Football	K – 6
Dances	7 – 8	Volleyball	5 – 8

The above lists of both sports and cultural/academic activities may be modified and expanded depending on various circumstances.

## **STATIONERY**

Students must purchase supplies on the first day of school. Send cash/check for the exact amount on the first day. Stationery supplies are available for purchase in the school during the school year. A list for each grade is provided in June for the following year. Copybooks, Theme Tablets, and Homework Books must be purchased at school since they are specially lined. Students should also purchase Bibles through school to ensure that students have the same translation. A Stationery Sale is held for two days in August. In the beginning of the school year, you will be notified of which day of the week is the designated "stationery day". On this day, please put your money in an envelope with your child's name, grade and stationery needs clearly labeled. Your child will give this order to his/her homeroom teacher in the morning and his/her supplies will be delivered to the classroom during the day.



## **STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS / ACTIVITIES**

**Student Ambassadors** - the students in grades 1 - 8 vote for students to represent them on the student council. Student Council promotes student leadership in the school. Meetings are held once a month after school.

**Band** - Any student who plays a musical instrument may be part of the band. The band meets on Wednesdays.

**Yearbook** - Eighth grade students are invited to join the staff.

**National Junior Honor Society** - The purpose of this organization is to create enthusiasm for scholarship, to encourage service, to promote leadership, and to develop character. Grades 7 - 8 are eligible for consideration.

**Choir** – Students in grades 4-8

**Culinary Club** – Students in grade 8

**Cupstacking** – Students in grades K - 8

**Armata Bianca** – Students in grades K - 8

**Other Activities include:** Bonding activities with NDHS, Presidential Physical Fitness, Career Day, Outreach programs, field trips, assemblies, safety programs, DARE program, anti-smoking program, field day, concerts, and many more.

The above lists of both sports and cultural/academic activities may be modified and expanded depending on various circumstances.

## **TECHNOLOGY CONCERNS:**

St. Jane is positive and nurturing school community. When conflict arises, parents should address their concerns directly with classroom teachers and with administration when necessary. Posting on social media, such as but not limited to Facebook/Twitter, will result in disciplinary action including expulsion if the content of the students' or parents' postings include defamatory comments regarding the school the faculty, other students or the parish. Parents should set a positive example of conflict resolution in keeping with our Catholic values. Parents should refrain from making negative social media postings. Such postings about the school community will result in the child/ren being disenrolled from the school. There is no reimbursement for tuition and or fees following the student's disenrollment.

## **CELL PHONES**

See Code of Conduct - Level 2 - Infraction number 6:

Unauthorized use of cell phones. Cell phones used during school hours will be collected and given to administration. Parent/Guardians must pick up the cell phone from administration at a mutually convenient time. (Consequence for use of phone will result in a loss of privileges such as and not limited to: loss of recess, removal of placement in any extra-curricular club or activity; for example, cupstacking, Student Ambassadors, National Junior Honor Society, Academic Bowl Team, field trips, 8th grade dance.

### **TELEPHONE**

For security and safety purposes, the school has the ability to record all phone calls.

If an emergency arises, please call the office and your child/ren will receive the message. In order for a student to get a message at the end of the day, the parent/guardian must call the school **NO LATER THAN 1:30 PM**. Students may only use the school phone to call home when they have forgotten their lunch or their glasses. Make all transportation arrangements for extracurricular activities prior to arriving at school.

Our children are growing up in dangerous times. We are all concerned for their safety. Many of us provide our children with cell phones for this very reason. However, since all our students have access to the phone for emergency reasons, students **may not carry and/or use a cell phone during school hours**. They must also be turned off. Misuse of a cell phone will result in it being confiscated and kept until a parent or guardian comes to retrieve it. See above. (Level 2, #6)

### **TRANSFERS/EARLY WITHDRAWALS**

The Principal issues a transfer for any student who will enroll in another school. Parents should contact the school office when a transfer is to take place.

In the case of a child withdrawing from St. Jane Frances de Chantal School during the school year, the parent/guardian will be responsible for the following fees:

- One month's tuition will be charged for every month a child attends. If a child attends one day in a month, the entire month's tuition will be charged. For example, if a child attends school from August 26 to September 1 and then disenrolls on September 2, he will be charged for two months tuition (August and September).
- Registration fees will not be refunded at any time, even if the child disenrolls before the first day of school.
- All other fees, including religion book fee, computer fee, lunch fee, HSA fees, etc. will not be refunded if the child has attended one day of school.
- Pupils transferring from St. Jane School to any other school will not be accepted back for one year following the transfer.

### **TRANSPORTATION**

**ANYTIME YOUR CHILD IS NOT USING HIS/HER NORMAL FORM OF**

**TRANSPORTATION HOME (BUS, CAR, WALKING) PARENTS/GUARDIAN MUST SEND A HANDWRITTEN NOTE ADDRESSED TO THE HOMEROOM TEACHER. THIS INCLUDES AFTER CARE, EARLY DISMISSALS, AND SPECIAL ACTIVITIES. PLEASE NO EMAILS DURING THE SCHOOL DAY. TEACHERS ARE UNABLE TO CHECK EMAILS DURING THE SCHOOL DAY.**

## **BUS**

**Bus transportation is provided by Bangor, Bethlehem, Easton, Lower Saucon, Nazareth, Northampton, Pen Argyl, and Wilson Area School Districts. Applications for this service are sent out each year and one must be returned for every child who is to ride a bus. Children must ride their assigned bus. The bus companies will not permit children to ride any other bus but their own.**

Students riding the school buses represent St. Jane Frances de Chantal School and are expected to conduct themselves in an appropriate manner. Respect and consideration are to be shown to the bus drivers. Students are expected to keep voices at a low level, remain seated (youngest children in the front and oldest in the back), keep their hands and head inside the bus, refrain from improper gestures, words, etc., refrain from eating or drinking and from throwing objects. Misconduct on the bus will not be tolerated. Students with serious infractions will be suspended from riding the bus at the discretion of the principal. The director of the Department of Transportation may also suspend a student from riding the bus. **FYI: MOST BUSES HAVE VIDEO CAMERAS WHICH ARE AVAILABLE TO ADMINISTRATION AND LAW ENFORCEMENT.**

## **CAR RIDERS**

Parents who drive their children to school must NOT block or impede bus access in the front of the school building. Please use the side street, the back alley, or other areas of the boulevard for dropping off children. Do NOT double-park. Please be reminded that children must be in their classrooms no later than **7:40 AM** or they are considered late.

Parents who pick up children after school may pick up their children on Washington Boulevard after the buses at 2:10PM. Parents may not double-park on the street or in the alley. **If your child needs to cross the street, he/she MUST go to the corner and cross by the crossing guard.** Parents may **NOT** take other children home unless the teacher has a written note.

## **TUITION AND FEES**

The stated tuition and fees at St. Jane Frances de Chantal School for the given year do not cover the total cost of the education of a given student at St. Jane's. The cost of education is paid for in the following ways:

1. Tuition and fees
2. Parish subsidy
3. Fund-raising

Since every student's tuition is subsidized by the parish and fund-raising, all are asked to contribute on a regular basis to the parish collection and to the fund-raising efforts of our

church and school. Tuition rates for the following year will be announced no later than April.

Tuition may be paid in any of the following ways:

1. Pay the tuition and fees in full to St. Jane's School by July 5 for the upcoming year. (A \$50 discount is given)
2. Pay the tuition and fees twice a year or in monthly installments to the tuition program. (A company-issued fee is involved)

If, as a result of financial difficulties, you are unable to make the payment that is due, it is necessary that you contact the principal/pastor prior to the date the payment is due.

**Students will not receive their report cards or attend class trips if tuition/ fees are unpaid unless arrangements have been made.** In enrolling your child/ren in our school it is taken as fact that you agree to be responsible for the payment of their tuition. All tuition/fees must be paid prior to re-enrollment and graduation and participation on field trips.

**All school families are required to purchase a set amount in gift certificates** from the parish or pay a buy-out fee each school year (June 1 thru May 31). Gift certificates are available from a variety of places. A full list is available in the church bulletin and the school website. 2% of certificate purchases over and above the required amount will be credited to the following year's tuition.

**Tuition Assistance Applications** are made available through St. Jane's Parish for St. Jane Parishioners only.

## **UNIFORMS**

A regulated dress code affects a certain calming influence over the behavior and actions of the students. Parents need to encourage proper school grooming and to see that their children abide by this dress code.

**All uniforms MUST be purchased from Flynn and O'Hara:**

**Main Office:** 1-800-441-4122  
Shopping Center 215-637-6392 (fax)  
[www.flynnohara.com](http://www.flynnohara.com)

**Local Office:** Valley Plaza  
1876 Catasauqua Road  
Allentown, PA 18103  
610-231-3788

## **BOYS AND GIRLS:**

**Kindergarten DAILY uniform and Gym uniform for grades 1 through 8, worn on their designated gym days:**

**Summer (worn from the beginning of school to October 31 and April 1st to end of school year):**

- Flynn and O'Hara green collarless T-shirt with school logo (or HawkWalk t-shirt for current school year)
- Flynn and O'Hara black mesh shorts

- White socks crew style
- All white (soles and laces included) tied sneakers (Velcro may be worn)

**Winter (worn all year but MUST be worn from November 1 to March 31):**

- Flynn and O’Hara collarless T-shirt with school logo (or HawkWalk t-shirt for current school year)
- Flynn and O’Hara grey sweatpants and sweatshirt
- White socks crew style
- All white (soles and laces included) tied sneakers or Velcro
- The GREEN St. Jane Hawks CYO hooded sweatshirt (front zipper included) with St. Jane Hawks logo only (no team specific) may be worn in classroom with winter uniform.

**GIRLS: GRADES 1 – 4**

**(Another Option for Kindergarten):**

**Summer (worn from the beginning of school to October 31 and April 1st to end of school year):**

**Option One:**

- Flynn and O’Hara tan walking shorts OR Flynn and O’Hara tan skort with dark—colored unembellished belt; length for shorts and skort is 1 inch above the knees
- Flynn and O’Hara green golf shirt with school logo
- White socks crew style
- All white (soles and laces included) tied sneakers (Velcro may be worn by grades 1, 2)
- The GREEN St. Jane Hawks CYO hooded sweatshirt (front zipper included) with St. Jane Hawks logo only (no team specific) may be worn in classroom with winter uniform.

**Option Two:**

- Flynn and O’Hara tan pants with dark-colored unembellished belt
- Flynn and O’Hara green golf shirt with school logo
- Dress brown, dark green, or tan socks
- Black or dark brown leather-like dress shoes (heels no higher than one inch), **NO MOCCASSINS**
- GREEN St. Jane Hawks CYO hooded sweatshirt (from zipper one included) with St. Jane Hawks logo only (no team specific) may be worn in classroom with winter uniform.

**Winter (worn all year but MUST be worn from November 1st to March 31st):**

**Option One:**

- Flynn and O’Hara plaid jumper – 1 inch above the knees
- White Peter Pan collar long or short sleeve blouse
- Dark green knee socks or dark green tights
- Black or dark brown leather-like dress shoes (heels no higher than one inch)
- Dark green sweater or vest is optional but must be purchased at Flynn and O’Hara
- The GREEN St. Jane Hawks CYO hooded sweatshirt (front zipper included) with St. Jane Hawks logo only (no team specific) may be worn in classroom with winter uniform.

uniform.

**Option Two:**

- Flynn and O’Hara tan pants with dark-colored unembellished belt
- Flynn and O’Hara green golf shirt with school logo, long or short sleeve (Flynn and O’Hara green sweater or vest is optional) OR white Peter Pan collar shirt long or short sleeve (Flynn and O’Hara green sweater or vest **MUST** be worn)
- Dress brown, dark green, or tan socks
- Black or dark brown leather-like dress shoes (heels no higher than one inch), **NO MOCCASSINS**
- The GREEN St. Jane Hawks CYO hooded sweatshirt (front zipper included) with St. Jane Hawks logo only (no team specific) may be worn in classroom with winter uniform.

**GIRLS: GRADES 5-8**

**Summer (worn from the beginning of school to October 31 and April 1st to end of school year):**

**Option One:**

- Flynn and O’Hara tan walking shorts OR Flynn and O’Hara tan skort with dark—colored unembellished belt
- Flynn and O’Hara green golf shirt with school logo
- White socks crew style
- All white (soles and laces included) tied sneakers
- The GREEN St. Jane Hawks CYO hooded sweatshirt (front zipper included) with St. Jane Hawks logo only (no team specific) may be worn in classroom with winter uniform.

**Option Two:**

- Flynn and O’Hara tan pants with dark-colored unembellished belt
- Flynn and O’Hara green golf shirt with school logo
- Dress brown, dark green, or tan socks
- Black or dark brown leather-like dress shoes (heels no higher than one inch), **NO MOCCASSINS**
- The GREEN St. Jane Hawks CYO hooded sweatshirt (front zipper included) with St. Jane Hawks logo only (no team specific) may be worn in classroom with winter uniform.

**Option Three:**

- Flynn and O’Hara plaid kilt – **1 inch above the knees**
- White oxford collar long or short sleeve blouse
- Dark green knee socks or dark green tights
- Black or dark brown leather-like dress shoes (heels no higher than one inch)
- Flynn and O’Hara dark green sweater or vest is optional for **SUMMER ONLY**
- The GREEN St. Jane Hawks CYO hooded sweatshirt (front zipper included) with St. Jane Hawks logo only (no team specific) may be worn in classroom with winter

uniform.

**Winter (worn all year but MUST be worn from November 1 to March 31st):**

**Option One:**

- Flynn and O’Hara plaid kilt – **1 inch above the knee**
- Flynn and O’Hara green golf shirt with school logo, long or short sleeve (Flynn and O’Hara green sweater or vest is optional) OR white oxford collar shirt long or short sleeve (Flynn and O’Hara green sweater or vest **MUST** be worn)
- Dark green knee socks or dark green tights
- Black or dark brown leather-like dress shoes (heels no higher than one inch) **NO MOCCASSINS**

**Option Two:**

- Flynn and O’Hara tan pants with dark-colored unembellished belt
- Flynn and O’Hara green golf shirt with school logo, long or short sleeve (Flynn and O’Hara green sweater or vest is optional) OR white oxford collar shirt long or short sleeve (Flynn and O’Hara green sweater or vest **MUST** be worn)
- Dress brown, dark green, or tan socks
- Black or dark brown leather-like dress shoes (heels no higher than one inch), **NO MOCCASSINS**

**BOYS: GRADES 1-8**

**(Another Option for Kindergarten)**

**Summer (worn from the beginning of school to October 31 and April 1st to end of school year):**

**Option One:**

- Flynn and O’Hara tan walking shorts with dark—colored unembellished belt
- Flynn and O’Hara green golf shirt with school logo
- White socks crew style
- All white (soles and laces included) tied sneakers (Velcro may be worn by grades 1, 2)

**Option Two:**

- Flynn and O’Hara tan pants with dark-colored unembellished belt
- Flynn and O’Hara green golf shirt with school logo
- Dress brown, dark green, or tan socks
- Black or dark brown leather-like dress shoes), **NO MOCCASSINS**

**Winter (worn all year but MUST be worn from November 1 to March 31):**

**Option One:**

- Flynn and O’Hara tan dress pants with dark-colored unembellished belt
- White dress shirt with Flynn and O’Hara green tie
- Flynn and O’Hara dark green sweater or vest
- Dress brown, dark green, or tan socks
- Black or dark brown leather-like dress shoes), **NO MOCCASSINS**

**Option Two:**

- Flynn and O’Hara tan pants with dark-colored unembellished belt
- Flynn and O’Hara green golf shirt with school logo, long or short sleeve
- Dress brown, dark green, or tan socks
- Black or dark brown leather-like dress shoes, ), **NO MOCCASSINS**

### **NO UNIFORM TODAY (NUT)**

On “NUT” days, students may wear jeans or other appropriate casual clothes. However, students may NOT wear any of the following: torn jeans, tight-fitting clothing, very short shorts, sleeveless shirts (camisoles, spaghetti straps, tank tops), low necklines, clothing with messages contrary to our mission as a Catholic School, clothing in styles which are contrary to our mission as a Catholic School, and shoes that are dangerous for play (e.g. clogs, flip flops, open-toed shoes, sandals, heels).

### **IMPORTANT CONCERNS**

- **Students may not deface or alter uniforms in opposition to the dress code.**
- **Students not adhering to the dress code guidelines (both uniform and dress down) must call home for appropriate clothing.**
- Pants must be worn at the waist. Skirts / jumpers must touch the top of the knee.
- Dress down shorts must be no more than two inches above the knee.
- Students MUST tuck in ALL blouses and shirts.
- Only a **solid white** undershirt may be worn under uniform shirts/blouses
- Students can only wear Flynn and O’Hara uniform sweaters (on a non-gym day) or sweatshirts (on gym days and with kindergarten uniform), or the appropriate CYO hoodie during the day.
- School shoes are to be SAFE – no clogs, mules, sandals, flip flops, moccasins, etc. No fad sneakers (light up, wheeled, etc.)
- Students who wear boots to school during inclement weather must change to appropriate school shoes during the school day
- Both boys’ and girls’ hair must be neat, clean, and out of their eyes. Boys’ hair cannot reach the shirt collar. Students may not have extreme hair fads or styles. Students may not alter natural hair color. Boys may not have facial hair.
- For safety reasons, girls may wear **ONE** pair of small post earrings that do not dangle. Boys may not wear earrings. For both boys and girls, other permissible jewelry includes a small religious medal worn under the shirt or watch - no bracelets.
- Students may not wear hats in the school buildings except on special occasions or with teacher permission.
- The uniform code prohibits tattoos of any type (except for religious reasons) and body piercing.
- Only girls in grades 7 and 8 can wear light facial make-up.
- Girls may wear clear nail polish on natural nails.

***The teachers, together with administration, reserve the right to deem something inappropriate.***



## **USE OF STUDENT INFORMATION/PICTURES**

The school reserves the right to use student pictures in publications, on the school website, and on our school fan page. Any parent/guardian who does not wish his/her child's picture to be used must notify the principal in writing prior to the beginning of the school year.

## **VISITATION OF SCHOOL**

Parents are welcome and encouraged to visit the school. **In accordance with diocesan policy, NO ONE may go directly to the cafeteria, gym, classrooms, library, and chapel to see a child before school, during school hours, and at dismissal time.** *All visitors, parents, guardians, and volunteers MUST report to the school office upon entering the school building where they MUST show photo ID, sign in and when leaving, sign out.* In case of an emergency, all people need to be accounted for. All visitors, volunteers, parents, and guardians must wear a school issued identification badge at all times when on school property. If a child forgets a lunch, book, glasses, etc., the parent should leave it in the main office with proper identification and it will be delivered to the child. **This is for the safety of all students, staff, and faculty. Thank you for your cooperation.**

## **VOLUNTEERS**

St. Jane Frances de Chantal School considers volunteers a very special resource. A sign-up sheet is sent out in the beginning of each year. Volunteer help is encouraged and welcomed. Your presence and help would be greatly appreciated. All volunteers must have a child abuse clearance, attend a "Protecting God's Children" workshop, and sign and agree to the Diocese of Allentown Code of Conduct for Volunteers and the Diocesan Sexual Abuse Policy. Please see our website for more specific requirements needed at [www.stjaneschool.com/parents/volunteer/](http://www.stjaneschool.com/parents/volunteer/)

## **MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS**

- \* All money that is sent to school MUST be in an envelope with the student's name, grade, and the reason.
- \* Students SHOULD have their personal belongings labeled with their name.
- \* School is NOT responsible for lost or damaged personal property that is brought to school.

## **IMPORTANT WEBSITES**

[www.stjaneschool.com](http://www.stjaneschool.com) - contains up-to-date information from the school

[www.ces-msa.org](http://www.ces-msa.org) - Contains a Directory of Accredited Schools. Look for St. Jane Frances de Chantal School's page listing Mission, Goals, Academics, and more.

<https://psdiocese.cliu.org/public> - POWER SCHOOL - electronic reporting of grades

[https://stjaneschool.follettdestiny.com/common/welcome.jsp?context=saas06\\_3721070](https://stjaneschool.follettdestiny.com/common/welcome.jsp?context=saas06_3721070) –  
School Library Card Catalog

[www.wfmz.com](http://www.wfmz.com) - Check on school closings for weather related emergencies. Sign-up for automatic notifications to your e-mail address.

### **ADDENDUM**

1. **Internet/computer Use Policy –**
2. **Internet/computer Use Policy Signature Form (to be returned)**
3. **Handbook Compliance Signature Form (to be returned)**

***NOTE: This handbook is intended as a guide to the school's policy and procedure for the benefit of the school and its students. However, this handbook is not a contract nor is it intended to vest any particular rights. The school reserves the right to deviate from literal compliance with the terms hereof, where the school deems it necessary in the interest of the school and its students to change or modify the application of the matter discussed herein.***

**DIOCESE OF ALLENTOWN**  
**St. Jane Frances de Chantal School**  
**INTERNET SAFETY POLICY**  
**For**  
**USE OF THE COMPUTERS, NETWORK, INTERNET,**  
**ELECTRONIC INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATIONS**

**Introduction**

It is the policy of St. Jane Frances de Chantal School to: (a) prevent user access over its computer network to, or transmission of, inappropriate material via Internet, electronic mail, or other forms of direct electronic communications; (b) prevent unauthorized access and other unlawful online activity; (c) prevent unauthorized online disclosure, use, or dissemination of personal identification information of minors; (d) prevent use of network or computer resources to publicly oppose, degrade, or intentionally misrepresent any teachings, beliefs, or practices of the Catholic Church and (e) comply with the Children’s Internet Protection Act [Pub. L. No. 106-554 and 47 USC 254(h)].

**Definitions**

Key terms are as defined in the Children’s Internet Protection Act.\*

**Access to Inappropriate Material**

To the extent practical, technology protection measures (or “Internet filters”) shall be used to block or filter Internet, or other forms of electronic communications, access to inappropriate information.

Specifically, as required by the Children’s Internet Protection Act, blocking shall be applied to visual depictions of material deemed obscene or child pornography, or to any material deemed harmful to minors.

Subject to staff supervision, technology protection measures may be disabled or, in the case of minors, minimized only for bona fide research or other lawful purposes.

**Inappropriate Network Usage**

To the extent practical, steps shall be taken to promote the safety and security of users of the **St. Jane Frances de Chantal School** online computer network when using electronic mail, social networking or chat rooms, instant messaging, and other forms of direct electronic communications.

Specifically, as required by the Children’s Internet Protection Act, prevention of inappropriate network usage includes: (a) unauthorized access, including so-called ‘hacking,’ and other unlawful activities; and (b) unauthorized disclosure, use, and dissemination of personal

identification information regarding minors.

### **Education, Supervision and Monitoring**

It shall be the responsibility of all members of the St. Jane Frances de Chantal School staff to educate, supervise and monitor appropriate usage of the online computer network and access to the Internet in accordance with this policy, the Children’s Internet Protection Act and the Protecting Children in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Act.

Procedures for the disabling or otherwise modifying any technology protection measures shall be the responsibility of the principal or designated representatives.

The principal or designated representatives will provide age-appropriate training for students who use the **St. Jane Frances de Chantal School** Internet facilities. The training provided will be designed to promote the **St. Jane Frances de Chantal School’s** commitment to:

- a. The standards and acceptable use of internet services as set forth in the St. Jane Frances de Chantal School Internet Safety Policy;
- b. Student safety with regard to:
  - i. safety on the Internet;
  - ii. appropriate behavior while on online, and social networking Websites, and in chat rooms; and
  - iii. cyberbullying awareness and response.
- c. Compliance with the E-rate requirements of the Children’s Internet Protection Act (“CIPA”)

Following receipt of this training, the student will acknowledge that he/she received the training, understood it, and will follow the provisions of the Diocese’s acceptable use policies.

### **Adoption**

The Board of St. Jane Frances de Chantal School adopted this Internet Safety Policy at a public meeting on May 14, 2012.

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\* CIPA definitions of terms:

**MINOR.** The term “minor” means any individual who has not attained the age of 18 years.

**TECHNOLOGY PROTECTION MEASURE.** The term “technology protection measure” means a specific technology that blocks or filters Internet access to visual depictions that are:

1. **OBSCENE**, that is anything that is of indecent or immoral character, including pictures, written words, recorded sound, or profane language, as that term is defined in section 1460 of title 18, United States Code;

2. **CHILD PORNOGRAPHY**, means any visual depiction, including any photograph, film, video, picture, or computer or computer-generated image or picture, whether made or produced by electronic, mechanical, or other means, of sexually explicit conduct, as that term is defined in section 2256 of title 18, United States Code; or
3. Harmful to minors.

**HARMFUL TO MINORS.** The term “harmful to minors” means any picture, image, graphic image file, or other visual depiction that:

1. Taken as a whole and with respect to minors, appeals to a prurient interest in nudity, sex, or excretion;
2. Depicts, describes, or represents, in a patently offensive way with respect to what is suitable for minors, an actual or simulated sexual act or sexual contact, actual or simulated normal or perverted sexual acts, or a lewd exhibition of the genitals; and
3. Taken as a whole, lacks serious literary, artistic, political, or scientific value as to minors.

**SEXUAL ACT; SEXUAL CONTACT.** The terms “sexual act” and “sexual contact” have the meanings given such terms in section 2246 of title 18, United States Code.

**DIOCESE OF ALLENTOWN**  
**St Jane Frances de Chantal School**

**ACCEPTABLE USE POLICY**  
**for**  
**COMPUTING AND INTERNET ACCESS**

Please read the following carefully before signing this document. This is a legally binding document.

**SECTION ONE: GENERAL, COMPUTING POLICY**

**1) Acceptable Use**

In order to ensure smooth system operations, the system administrator has the authority to monitor all accounts. A user must abide by the terms of all software licensing agreements and copyright laws. A user can be monitored at any time. Once a user receives a user ID to be used to access a computer or network and computer systems on that network, he or she is solely responsible for all actions taken while using the user ID. Therefore the following are prohibited:

- a) Applying for a user ID under false pretenses
- b) Sharing your user ID with any other person. (If you do share your user ID with another person, you will be solely responsible for the actions of that other person)
- c) Deletion, examination, copying, or modification of files and/or data belonging to other users without their prior consent
- d) Attempts to evade or change resource quotas
- e) Use of facilities and/or services for commercial purposes
- f) Any unauthorized, deliberate action which damages or disrupts a computing system, alters its normal performance, or causes it to malfunction is a violation, regardless of system location or time duration
- g) Copying programs purchased by you onto St Jane Frances de Chantal School computers and/or the network systems, without the express, written consent of St Jane Frances de Chantal School.
- h) Copying programs licensed to St Jane Frances de Chantal School for personal use.
- i) Abusing computer equipment.

## 2) Security

As a user of a computer or network, you may be allowed to access other networks and/or computer systems attached to those networks. Therefore the following are prohibited:

- a) Use of systems and/or networks in attempts to gain unauthorized access to remote systems
- b) Decryption of system or user passwords
- c) Copying, deleting, or moving system files
- d) Deleting, examining, copying, or modifying files and/or data belonging to other users
- e) Copying of copyrighted materials, such as third party software, without the express written permission of the owner or the proper license
- f) The willful introduction of computer "viruses" or other disruptive or destructive programs into the computer and/or network or into external computers and/or networks
- g) Vandalism is prohibited. This includes, but is not limited to, any attempt to harm or destroy the data of another user, the network/Internet, or any networks or sites connected to the network/Internet. Attempts to breach security codes and/or passwords will also be considered a form of vandalism.
- h) Willful destruction of computer hardware or software, or attempts to exceed or modify the parameters of the system are prohibited. Nothing in this policy shall prohibit the school/institution operator from intercepting and stopping Email messages which have the capacity to overload the computer resources. Discipline may be imposed for intentional overloading of school/institution computer resources.

## SECTION TWO: INTERNET ACCESS

Internet access is now available to employees and students of St Jane Frances de Chantal School. This access is being offered as part of a collaborative project involving St Jane Frances de Chantal School and IU 20/RCN. We are pleased to bring this access to St Jane Frances de Chantal School and believe the Internet offers vast, diverse and unique resources to administrators, teachers, employees, and students. Our goal in providing this service is to promote educational excellence at St Jane Frances de Chantal School by facilitating resource sharing, innovation and communication .

The Internet is an electronic highway connecting thousands of computers all over the world and millions of individual subscribers. Administrators, teachers, employees, and students have access to:

- \* electronic mail communication with people all over the world;
- \* access to many University Library Catalogs, the Library of Congress, and ERIC,
- \* discussion groups on a plethora of topics ranging from Japanese culture to music to politics to the environment,
- \* public domain and shareware of all types;
- \* information and news from NASA, as well as the opportunity to correspond with the scientists at NASA and other research institutions.

With access to computers and people all over the world also comes the availability of material that may not be considered to be of educational value in the school setting. St Jane Frances de Chantal School and IU 20/RCN have taken precautions, which are limited to known sites, to restrict access to controversial materials. However, on a global network it is impossible to control all materials and an industrious user may discover controversial information. We, St Jane Frances de Chantal School and IU 20/RCN, firmly believe that the valuable information and interaction available on this worldwide network far outweighs the possibility that users may procure material that is not consistent with the educational goals of this Project.

Internet access is coordinated through a complex association of government agencies, and regional and state networks. In addition, the smooth operation of the network relies upon the proper conduct of the end users who must adhere to strict guidelines. These guidelines are provided here so that you are aware of the responsibilities you are about to acquire. In general, this requires efficient, ethical and legal utilization of the network resources. If a St Jane Frances de Chantal School user violates any of these provisions, his or her account will be terminated and future access could possibly be denied. Disciplinary or legal action including, but not limited to, criminal prosecution under appropriate state and federal laws may also be taken. The signature(s) at the end of this document is (are) legally binding and indicates the party (parties) who signed has (have) read the terms and conditions carefully and understand(s) their significance.



## INTERNET ACCESS TERMS and CONDITIONS

### 1) Acceptable Use

The purpose of accessing the Internet is to support research and education in and among academic institutions in the United States by providing access to unique resources and the opportunity for collaborative work. The use of your account must be in support of education and research, and consistent with the educational objectives of St Jane Frances de Chantal School. Each user is personally responsible for this provision at all times when using the network.

- a) Use of other organization's network or computing resources must comply with the rules appropriate for that network.
- b) Transmission of any material in violation of local, state, and/or federal statutes or regulations is strictly prohibited. This includes, but is not limited to: copyrighted material, material protected by trade secret, threatening or obscene material, and criminal activity.
- c) Use by student users for commercial activities or product advertisement (including campaigns for student government/council) is prohibited.
- d) Do not use the network in any way that would disrupt network use by others.
- e) **NEVER** reveal personal information, such as your address, phone number, password, or social security number. This also applies to others' personal information or that of organizations.
- f) Use of the network or computer resources to publicly oppose, degrade, or intentionally misrepresent any teachings, beliefs, or practices of the Catholic Church are strictly prohibited.
- g) Use of technology resources **to create**, access, or to distribute obscene, profane, lewd, vulgar, pornographic, harassing, or terroristic materials, **firearms**, or drug paraphernalia.”(emphasis added). The Acceptable Use Policy applies to any such use of a school district (or IU) 3D printer.

### 2) Privileges

The use of the Internet is a privilege, not a right, and inappropriate use will result in a cancellation of those privileges. (Each student who receives an account will be a part of a discussion with a St Jane Frances de Chantal School faculty member pertaining to proper use of the network.) The system administrator will deem what is inappropriate use and his or her decision is final. Also, the system administrator may close an account at any time. An administrator, faculty member, or staff of St Jane Frances de Chantal School has the right to request, for cause, that the system administrator deny,

revoke, or suspend specific user accounts .

### **3) Network Etiquette**

You are expected to abide by the generally accepted rules of network etiquette (netiquette). These include, but are not limited, to the following:

- a) Be polite. Do not send, or encourage others to send, abusive messages
- b) Use appropriate language. Remember that you are a representative of your school and district on a non private network. You may be alone on a computer, but what you say can be viewed around the world. Do not swear, use vulgarities or any other inappropriate language. Illegal activities are strictly forbidden.
- c) All communications and information accessible via the network should be assumed to be private property.

### **4) Electronic Mail (E-Mail)**

Whenever you send electronic mail, your name and userID are included in each message You are responsible for all electronic mail originating from your userID. Therefore:

- a) Unauthorized attempts to access another person's Email or similar electronic communications or to use another's name, Email or computer address or workstation to send Email or similar electronic communications is prohibited and may subject the individual to disciplinary action.
- b) All users must understand that the school/institution cannot guarantee the privacy or confidentiality of electronic documents and any messages that are confidential as a matter of law should not be communicated over the Email
- c) The school/institution reserves the right to access Email to retrieve school/institution information and records. to engage in routine computer maintenance and housekeeping, to carry out internal investigations, or to disclose messages, data or files to law enforcement authorities.
- d) Any information contained on a school/institution computer's hard drive or computer disks which were purchased by the school/institution are considered the property of the school/institution.
- e) Forgery (or attempted forgery) of electronic mail is prohibited.
- f) Attempts to sending harassing, obscene and/or other threatening email to another user is prohibited.
- g) Attempts at sending unsolicited junk mail, "for profit" messages or chain letters is prohibited.

## **5) Security**

Security on any computer system is a high priority, especially when the system involves many users. Never use another person's account to log on to the system. If you feel you can identify a security problem, you must notify the system administrator. Do not demonstrate the problem to other users. Do not reveal your account password to anyone. Users are responsible for any misuse of their account that is due to their own negligence. Users are responsible for reporting unauthorized use of their account to the system administrator.

## **6) Updating Your User Information**

If any information on your account changes, e.g., telephone number, location, home address. it is your responsibility to notify the system administrator.

## **7) Services**

St Jane Frances de Chantal School and IU 20/RCN make no warranties of any kind, whether expressed or implied, for the service it is providing. St Jane Frances de Chantal School and IU 20/RCN will not be responsible for any damages you may suffer. This includes loss of data resulting from delays, nondeliveries, misdeliveries, or service interruptions caused by the system or your errors or omissions. Use of any information obtained via the system is at your own risk. St Jane Frances de Chantal School and IU 20/RCN specifically deny any responsibility for the accuracy or quality of information obtained through its services.

Adopted by St Jane Frances de Chantal School, Easton, PA on June 1, 2002

*The Department of Education of the Diocese of Allentown would like to thank Bishop O'Reilly High School, Kingston, PA, the Luzerne Intermediate Unit #18, and the Diocese of Galveston-Houston for their assistance in developing this Acceptable Use Policy.*

**St Jane Frances de Chantal School**  
**Agreement for the Use of**  
**Computers and Telecommunications**  
***Parental Consent Form***

St.Jane Frances de Chantal School has chosen to permit students access to computer and telecommunication resources to further its educational goals and objectives. Reasonable care has been taken to assure the appropriateness and educational quality of the material available thorough the use of educational software and telecommunications. However, parents and guardians are warned that St Jane Frances de Chantal *School* and the Diocese of Allentown do not have total control of the information on the Internet. Parents and guardians are the primary authority responsible for imparting the standards of ethical and legal conduct their child or ward should follow. Therefore, St Jane Frances de Chantal *School supports* and respects each family's right to decide whether or not their child may have access to this resource.

1. I am the parent/guardian of the below named student. I have read the Acceptable Use Policy for Computers and Telecommunications ("the policy") and I have either explained it to my child/ward ("student") or I have assured myself that the student understands it. I also understand my own and the student's responsibilities regarding computer hardware, software, and Internet access at St Jane Frances de Chantal *School*.
  
2. Check one:  
[ ] I hereby consent to the student having access to, and use of, the telecommunications resources at St Jane Frances de Chantal School, I also hereby indemnify and hold harmless The Diocese of Allentown and St Jane Frances de Chantal School from any claim or loss resulting from any infraction by the student of the policy or any applicable law.  
  
[ ] I do not consent to the student having access to, or use of, the telecommunications resources at St Jane Frances de Chantal School.

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Parent's/Guardian's signature

Date

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Name of Parent/Guardian (Please Print)

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Name of Student (Please Print)

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Street Address

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City/State/Zip

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Home Phone

Office Phone

**St Jane Frances de Chantal School  
Agreement for the Use of  
Computers and Telecommunications**

*Faculty/Staff/Volunteer Form*

I have read the Acceptable Use Policy for Computers and Telecommunications ("the policy"), I understand its significance, and I voluntarily agree to abide with all terms and conditions of it, imposed by the policy. I further understand that any violation of the policy or any applicable law or of this agreement would be unethical and might even constitute a criminal offense. Should I commit any such violation, I understand that my privileges will be revoked, and disciplinary action, and/or appropriate legal action may be taken. I also hereby indemnify and hold harmless The Diocese of Allentown and St Jane Frances de Chantal School from any claim or loss resulting from any infraction by me of the policy or any applicable law.

User's Signature

Date

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Name of User (Please Print)

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Job title or position

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Street Address

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City/State/Zip

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Home Phone

Office Phone

**St Jane Frances de Chantal School  
Agreement for the Use of  
Computers and Telecommunications**

*Student Form*

I have read the Acceptable Use Policy for Computers and Telecommunications, I understand its significance, and I agree to voluntarily abide with all terms and conditions of it. I further understand that violation of this agreement would be unethical and might even constitute a criminal offense. Should I chose to violate this agreement, my privileges will be revoked, and disciplinary action, and/or appropriate legal action may be taken.

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Student Signature

Date

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Name of Student (Please Print)

Name of Parent/Guardian (Please Print)

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Street Address

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City/State/Zip

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Home Phone

Parent's/Guardian's Office Phone

**SPONSORING TEACHER** (Must be signed if the applicant is a student.) I have read the Terms and Conditions of this agreement, the Acceptable Use Policy for Computing and Internet Access, and agree to promote this agreement with the student. Because the student may use the network for individual work or in the context of another class, I cannot be held responsible for the student's use of the network. As the sponsoring teacher, I do agree to instruct the student on the acceptable use of the network and proper network etiquette.

Teacher Name (please print)

Teacher Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Handbook Compliance**

**All parents and students are required to sign the statement below and return it to school during the first week of school.**

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**Family Name (Please Print)** \_\_\_\_\_

**We have received the St. Jane Frances de Chantal School Handbook. We have read the handbook and we agree to follow the policies and procedures outlined in this book.**

**Parent**  
**Signatures** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Student**  
**Signatures** \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade** \_\_\_\_\_

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