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Dear Parents/Guardians and 6th, 7th, & 8th Grade Students,

Welcome to the JJHS family! We look forward to collaborating with you to make this school year a success.

New Staff and Vision

We are excited to welcome new teachers and staff who are a great addition to our team. Our vision is to develop students who are problem solvers, respectful, responsible, academically competent, and confident in their social skills and ability to persevere. Our mission is to create conditions that will foster these skills and dispositions.

Back to School Night

Join us for Back to School Night on August 12th, from 6:30-7:30 P.M. A flyer with detailed information about the event will be sent out soon. Students can check out their iPads during this event or on Tuesday, August 13th, between 8:00 a.m. and noon. **Please note, students will only receive their iPads if their parents/guardians have completed [online registration](#) in PowerSchool.**

First Week of School

The first day of school is Wednesday, August 14th, with a regular A day class schedule. The bell schedule will be adjusted for an assembly and other culture-building activities, but students will attend all A day classes. Thursday will follow a normal B day schedule without Advisory, and our regular bell schedule will begin on Friday. Advisory classes will start on Monday, August 19th. Every Friday will alternate between A and B days. Our schedule is coordinated with the high school to ensure alignment.

House System

We will be using the House System to build a positive school culture, fostering student engagement and belonging. 7th and 8th graders will remain in the same houses as last year. New students and 6th graders will choose their houses on the first day of school. We have planned fun activities, competitions, and rewards for the houses throughout the year.

Policy Updates and Restorative Practices

There are adjustments to some of our school policies outlined in the student handbook, which will be available on August 8th. We will be using restorative practices to help students develop a positive school environment. The student handbook outlines these practices, which aim to help students understand how their words and actions affect others and involve them in restoring relationships.

Master Schedule and Support

We've diligently constructed our master schedule to meet each student's unique needs, considering their academic goals and personal strengths. Classes like Reading Strategies, SIS (Study Hall), and Study Skills are strategically placed to provide targeted support. Class lists have been reviewed to address any significant behavioral concerns, ensuring a positive learning environment for all.

Counselor Availability

If you have concerns, please reach out to our counselors. They will be available in person from August 6th-8th, 9:00-12:00 and 1:00-3:00 P.M. **Note that schedule changes won't be made for social preferences or lunchtimes.** Class changes will be subject to administration approval.

Thank you for entrusting us with your child's education.

Sincerely,

Mr. Blair Albrecht

Principal, Juab Jr. High School

JJHS REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

**All registration forms are done online at <http://ps.juabsd.org/public/> with your parent account. Call the school (435)623-1541 if you need to reset your password.

Secretaries will be in the office **August 6th-8th from 9:00-12:00 & 1:00-3:00** if you need help with these forms. **Student iPads will not be handed out until these forms are completed.**

Students can view their class schedules by logging into PowerSchool. Counselors will be in the office for scheduled help **August 6th-8th from 9:00-12:00 & 1:00-3:00. Please bring a parent for schedule help.

**Student Fees can be paid online at <http://myschoolfees.com>

Starting August 1, 2024 or you can come into the office **August 6th-8th from 9:00-12:00 & 1:00-3:00** to pay with CASH OR CHECK.

ALL FORMS AND FEES NEED TO BE DONE BY MONDAY AUGUST 12th

JJHS STUDENT FEES 24-25

All iPad repairs will be paid by the Student/Parent according to the CUES invoice.

If not repairable the full replacement cost will be \$300.00

\$10.00	Art
\$15.00	Advanced Art
\$10.00	Ag. Science
\$40.00	FFA Dues
\$10.00	Exploring Science
\$80.00	Band/Orchestra Instrument Rental
\$10.00	Band Headphones
\$15.00	Clothing
\$15.00	FACS Exploration
\$20.00	Cooking
\$10.00	Fashion Exploration
\$45.00	Shop
\$5.00	STEM
\$5.00	3D Animation
\$5.00	Advanced 3D Animation
\$10.00	Ukulele

\$5.00	Advanced Choir
\$10.00	Marine Biology
\$20.00	Student Government T-Shirt (Paid at the time of order)
\$40.00	Yearbook (optional)
\$30.00	BUZZ CLUB Activity (paid at the time of activity if student qualifies)
\$60.00	8th Grade Lagoon Trip (paid at the time of activity)

CELL PHONES / ELECTRONIC DEVICES

Cell phones may be used between classes, before or after school and during lunch. **The rest of the time they need to be on silent mode. If they are used at any other time, the electronic device will be taken and the student will be able to pick it up from the office at the end of the school day on the first offense, after the first offense a parent or guardian will have to come and pick up the electronic device from the office at the end of the school day.** If there is reasonable suspicion that a phone, iPod, iPad, Kindle, Tablet, or other electronic device contains materials that are deemed harmful or inappropriate to any student or if students are using these devices as a means to access inappropriate material on the internet or to break school rules, they will be confiscated and / or searched. Harmful and inappropriate materials may include but are not limited to pornography, suggestive pictures, and cyber bullying.

DRESS CODE

Juab Junior High School will provide an environment that is conducive for optimal learning. The purpose of the JJHS dress and grooming policy is to promote generally acceptable standards of decency, health, safety, and cleanliness. Student dress, adornment and grooming should reflect a safe and positive learning environment for all students.

JJHS strongly believes that a student's dress becomes an important aspect of their preparatory experience. The dress and grooming code is a guide and is not all-inclusive. JJHS administration reserves the right to determine the appropriateness of all student clothing, adornment and grooming at school, and its disruptive impact on the classroom. 'Disruption' is defined as reactions by other individuals to the clothing, grooming or adornment which causes the teacher or staff member to; lose the attention of students, to modify or stop any instructional activity, or to deal with student to student confrontations or complaints. Any violation of the school dress and grooming code may result in school discipline.

Students should dress in a manner that is suitable to the day's activities and consistent with health, safety, and acceptable behavior.

Recommended:

- Clean clothing.
- Shoes worn at all times. For health and safety reasons closed toe shoes may be required, for example open toe shoes would not be safe in a woodshop class.
- Dresses, skirts, and shorts should reasonably cover legs.
- Clothing that doesn't show cleavage, midriffs, or backs during normal movement.

Discouraged:

- Facial piercings including tongue piercings.
- Excessive or distracting grooming styles.
- Shirts that expose the midriff.

- Provocative or suggestive clothing that may impede or distract from the learning environment.
- Shorts that do not reach the fingertips of the student’s hands with his or her arms hanging straight down at the side.
- Pants with excessive holes or holes above the knee.

Prohibited:

- Hats, beanies, or other head coverings including hoods cannot be worn inside the school building.
- Apparel or items that advertise alcohol, tobacco, and drugs or paraphernalia.
- Any items, or apparel that depict messages or images that are sexually suggestive, immoral, or offensive.
- Bare or stocking feet without shoes
- Any items, or apparel that may signify gang affiliation.
- Spaghetti straps or shirts that show a bra, bra straps, excessive cleavage, or a substantial portion of the midriff.
- Pants, shorts, skirts that do not properly cover underwear areas.
- Transparent clothing, “see through”.
- Pants or shorts that hang off the waist exposing underwear.
- Anything deemed to be of a health or safety risk to the student or others such as, nose/lip chains and/or sharp objects
- Any clothing that would be considered lewd in a public setting.

**School officials may require students to wear specific clothing for health and safety reasons in connection with specialized activities.*

JJHS Bell Schedule 2024-25

Mon- Thurs			Fri		
<u>Period</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Minutes</u>	<u>Period</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Minutes</u>
1st	8:10 - 9:10	60	1st	8:10-9:00	50
2nd	9:15 - 10:15	60	2nd	9:05-9:55	50
3rd	10:20 - 11:20	60	3rd	10:00-10:50	50
WC Lunch	11:20 - 11:50	30	WC Lunch	10:50-11:20	30
MC 4th	11:25 - 12:25	60	MC 4th	10:55-11:45	50
MC Lunch	12:25 - 12:55	30	MC Lunch	11:45-12:15	30
WC 4th	11:55 - 12:55	60	WC 4th	11:25-12:15	50
Homeroom	1:00 - 1:45	45	5th	12:20-1:10	50
5th	1:50 - 2:50	60			