



JETSTREAM

Jeffrey Trail Middle School—Monthly Newsletter

March ushers in Spring and the 3rd Trimester. It is unbelievable that we are already in the final leg of our Academic year. In the upcoming weeks and months you will start to get information regarding next year—as you do, please don't hesitate to contact us with any questions you may have.

- ◇ We are still collecting Residency Verification forms from all current students. If you have not done so, please have your child turn in yours to their Advisement Teacher ASAP.
- ◇ IPSF continues to support our school and district with resources and programming. To learn more about IPSF, read their [monthly newsletter](#).
- ◇ Winter is here! We have a new order of JTMS Sweatshirts, sold for \$35 by Ms. Carlos in the front office. Get one for your child before we run out.

Mark your calendar!

- March 2** Blue and Orange Day
- March 6** ID Picture Make-up Day
- March 7** PTSA Meeting (11:00 MPR)
- March 8** Festival Concert (6:30 MPR)
- March 9-11** IPSF Hoops Classic (IHS)
- March 12** Minimum Day (Out at 12:40)
- March 14-15** English Language Learner Testing
- March 15** Potato Bar Lunch
- March 19-30** PTSA Silent Auction
- March 22** Parent Night (6:30 MPR)
-Transition to High School
- March 30** Minimum Day (Out at 12:40)
- April 1-7** SPRING BREAK (return April 9)

See and print our [Year at a Glance JTMS calendar](#)

“Success is no accident. It is hard work, perseverance, learning, studying, sacrifice and most of all, love of what you are doing or learning to do.”
-Pele

R.A.P. (Report from the Assistant Principal)



When kids are in class we want to ensure that we do all we can to help them focus on instruction and learning. If there is an emergency, please contact the front office and we can contact your child. We ask that you help us maintain the most effective learning environment possible by not calling or texting your children from 8:30 to 3:00. Student phones do get taken if they use them without teacher permission. After multiple incidents, we do require a parent to come and retrieve a phone.

Happening Now!

To make our bi-weekly Advantage period as effective as possible, we are re-emphasizing to our students the importance of planning where to go and being prepared to use Advantage time wisely. To that end we are stressing the need to have and use their daily Planner. We encourage you to check in with your child by looking at their Planner with them—see when their tests are, ask them if they have completed coursework and talk to them about where they choose to go for Advantage.

Looking Forward

Science Olympiad

If you wish to participate in next year's **Science Olympiad Team**, please prepare for the Entrance Test. There are three different tests, and thus, three different study guides linked here: [Biology](#), [Physics](#), and [Chemistry](#). Please select only the one area that most interests you—the tests are subject specific. Check back on the website, or with Mr. Munoz for future updates on the test date.

Counselor Corner

Save the date! On Thursday, March 29, 2018, the Irvine Unified School District will host a College and Career Fair at University High School from 6:00pm – 8:00pm. All Middle and High School students within the district are invited to attend! This event will have many local and out of state colleges, Career Technical Education Programs from Middle School to the University level and an exciting career exploration activity. Food trucks will also be present for your convenience. We hope to see you and your student there!