St. John the Baptist School

# STAY CONNECTED



## **Ways We Communicate with Parents**

#### Stjbcatholic.com



Our website is the best source for school news, facts and general information. Subscribe to school "News" on our website and receive notifications by email when new stories are posted. The "Parents Place" page includes helpful links to information every parent wants to know about.



#### **Reminder Notes**

Notes and reminders from teachers will be sent home in the student's folder or backpack (this form of communication is most commonly used in younger grades). Permission slips, fundraising packets or special events communication may be occasionally sent home with all students.







Like • Follow • Subscribe Stay up to date on the exciting things happening at the school— news, events, photos and videos.







#### **Parent Connect Group**

StJB Parent Connect is a closed Facebook Group for only StJB parents. It's a great way to connect with parents, share ideas and resources and ask questions. The group page is separate from the school's public Facebook page and is administered by the Home and School Association.

Facebook: STJB Parent Connection



Facebook: STJBCatholic Instagram: @stjb catholic Twitter: @stibcatholic

YouTube: STJB Catholic School



#### **CARDINAL NEWS**

Cardinal News is a weekly parent newsletter that covers important school news, happenings and events. Each issue will be emailed to parents on Fridays and posted on the school website. A link to archived issues can be found on the Parents Page web page.



### **Power School & Canvas**

PowerSchool is the school's student information system that provides parents real-time access to grades and attendance. Canvas is a Learning Management System that provides parents real-time access to course work including assignments and due dates. Both tools can be accessed through a desktop computer or by downloading the app. Parents are given login codes to access their student's information.



#### **Email**



Important school-related information and events will be emailed to parents from school administration, the school office and the Home and School Association as needed. Classroom teachers will also email parents weekly to share class highlights, progress updates and reminders.



#### **School Messenger**

School Messenger is the school's emergency notification system. Parents will be sent alerts via voice messages and text notifications for school closings and other urgent types of school communications.