



**ST. JOACHIM SCHOOL  
NEWSLETTER  
NOVEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup>, 2019**



**St Joachim's School  
559-674-7628**

**310 N "I" Street  
Madera, CA 93637**

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**November 4<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019**

1<sup>ST</sup> Week of Star Testing for 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter

**Wednesday, Nov. 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

Parent Club Meeting at 6pm

8<sup>th</sup> Grade T.O.B. (all day retreat)

**Thursday, Nov. 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 10:30 am**

Futbolero Show (Soccer Entertainers)

**Friday, Nov. 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

School Mass / Noon Dismissal

7<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip

**Monday, Nov., 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

No School - Veteran's Day

**Wednesday, Nov., 13<sup>th</sup> 2019**

Picture Re-Takes with Mass Uniform

## **STANDARDIZED TESTING AND REPORTING (STAR)**

How can you help your child prepare for STAR testing? Successful student's test-takers tend to be students with good attendance, homework, and study habits; therefore, your daily assistance with homework and attitude toward school has the biggest impact on your child's performance. Encourage them with good study habits and challenge critical thinking skills. Make sure they have enough sleep every night and a good breakfast every morning.

## **SPELLING BEE**

Spelling Bee will be starting next month. Please **stay posted** for the specific dates.

## **PICTURE RE-TAKES**

Individual pictures retakes will be taking on **Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>**. If you have had and aren't happy with them, please bring the entire package back when you have your picture retaken. If you were absent or are new to the school, you will want to have your picture taken. Money needs to be turned in at the time your child's picture is taken or pay online within 48 hours after Picture Day.

## **PARENT VOLUNTEER INFO.**

**All parents who wish to volunteer at St. Joachim School, either in the classroom or on the fieldtrips, will need to complete the following steps listed below:**

### **\*Fingerprinting (Live Scan)**

### **\*Safe Environment Training (SET)**

Re-training every 3 years

The website is:

<https://safeandsacred-fresno.org>

(turn in your certificate to school office and we will invoice you \$6.00)

### **\*Proof of TB Test/Screening**

Re-certification every 4years.

## **Save the Dates:**

**November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

Spelling Bee In-Class Testing Starts

**Nov., 19<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> 2019**

Scholastic Book Fair

**November 22<sup>nd</sup> 2019**

School Mass / Noon Dismissal

**Nov., 25<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> 2019**

Thanksgiving Break

**Monday, Dec., 2<sup>nd</sup> 2019**

School Resumes

## **UNIFORM NOTICE**

The time of the year has arrived when we make minor changes to our uniforms. When we return from Thanksgiving Break, shorts will no longer be allowed.

## **BOOK FAIR VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The Scholastic Book Fair will be here at our Saint Joachim School Learning Center on **Tuesday, November 19<sup>th</sup> through Friday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>** after school. If you are interested in volunteering please stop by the office or call at 559-674-7628.



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**Date:** 11/5/2019

**From:** Ms. Darlene Lopez  
*St. Joachim - Principal*

**Re:** MUSD Confidential Family Survey 2019-2020

Dear Parent/Guardian(s),

I have attached a form which has been given to us by the Madera Unified School District to determine St. Joachim School's ability to qualify for school funding. I am requesting that every family fill out this form regardless of whether or not you feel your income is in range for consideration. Every SJS family should fill this out and submit it to the front office, either hand delivered or emailed to the secretary or principal. I will allow every family one service hour if they complete this form prior to the Thanksgiving break, November 22, 2020. If you have any questions, please feel free to let me know.

Thank you,

Darlene L. Lopez  
St. Joachim School - Principal

Forward, always forward... God will provide



# Confidential Family Survey for 2019-2020

The information you provide on this form is confidential, and is protected by relevant state and federal privacy laws. While your response is voluntary, this completed form is **very important** for funding Madera Unified Schools.

Dear Parent or Guardian,

Every year, Madera Unified School District qualifies for school funding from both the State and Federal levels. The funding formulas take into account several factors, one of which is the number of households in the district that receive income at specific levels. By completing this form, **you are helping St. Joachim School qualify for these funds**, which directly helps to improve your student's schools. We sincerely appreciate your timely response to this simple questionnaire.

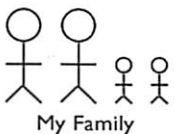
STEP 1) Please verify that this information is correct for your student. If there are corrections, please handwrite them below the boxes.

Grade	Student Name	Address	Date of Birth

STEP 2) Please fill in the circle (only 1) for this student's household size and household income.

Household Size	Annual Income		
	Less Than	Between	More Than
1	<input type="radio"/> \$15,782	<input type="radio"/> \$15,783 and \$22,459	<input type="radio"/> \$22,460
2	<input type="radio"/> \$21,398	<input type="radio"/> \$21,399 and \$30,451	<input type="radio"/> \$30,452
3	<input type="radio"/> \$27,014	<input type="radio"/> \$27,015 and \$38,443	<input type="radio"/> \$38,444
4	<input type="radio"/> \$32,630	<input type="radio"/> \$32,631 and \$46,435	<input type="radio"/> \$46,436
5	<input type="radio"/> \$38,246	<input type="radio"/> \$38,247 and \$54,427	<input type="radio"/> \$54,428
6	<input type="radio"/> \$43,862	<input type="radio"/> \$43,863 and \$62,419	<input type="radio"/> \$62,420
7	<input type="radio"/> \$49,478	<input type="radio"/> \$49,479 and \$70,411	<input type="radio"/> \$70,412
8	<input type="radio"/> \$55,094	<input type="radio"/> \$55,095 and \$78,403	<input type="radio"/> \$78,404
9	<input type="radio"/> \$60,710	<input type="radio"/> \$60,711 and \$86,396	<input type="radio"/> \$86,397
10	<input type="radio"/> \$66,326	<input type="radio"/> \$66,327 and \$94,387	<input type="radio"/> \$94,388

**Example:** If my family consists of two parents and two children or one parent and three children, my household size is 4. Then select the bubble that corresponds to your household's annual income.



+ \$35,000 =  
Annual Income

4	<input type="radio"/> \$32,630	<input checked="" type="radio"/> \$32,631 and \$46,435	<input type="radio"/> \$46,436
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STEP 3) Parent or guardian information and signature.

I certify (promise) that the information provided on this form is true and that I included all income. I understand that the school or district may receive state and federal funds based on the information I provide, and that the information could be subject to review.

Parent or Guardian Signature	Parent or Guardian Printed Name	Date

If you have more than one student attending St. Joachim School please enter their name(s) here:



# Distrito Escolar Unificado de Madera

## Encuesta Familiar Confidencial del 2019-2020

La información que proporcione en este formulario es confidencial y está protegida por las leyes de privacidad estatales y federales pertinentes. Mientras que su respuesta es voluntaria, el completar este formulario es **muy importante** para recibir fondos para las escuelas de nuestro distrito.

Estimado Padre o Tutor,

Cada año, el Distrito Escolar Unificado de Madera califica para fondos escolares a ambos niveles, estatales y federales. La fórmula de fondos toma en consideración varios factores, uno de los cuales es el número de hogares dentro del distrito que reciben ingresos a niveles específicos. Al completar este formulario, **usted está ayudando a la escuela St. Joachim a calificar para estos fondos**, los cuales ayudan directamente a mejorar las escuelas de sus estudiantes. Sinceramente apreciamos su respuesta puntual a este simple formulario.

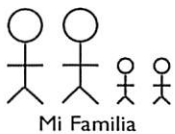
1) Por favor verifique que la información esté correcta para su estudiante. Si hay alguna corrección, por favor de escribirla en la caja de abajo.

Grado	Nombre Del Estudiante	Domicilio	Fecha de Nacimiento

2) Por favor, indique (de una opción) el tamaño del hogar de este estudiante y los ingresos del hogar.

Tamaño del hogar	Ingresos Anuales		
	Menos que	Entre	Mas Que
1	<input type="radio"/> \$15,782	<input type="radio"/> \$15,783 y \$22,459	<input type="radio"/> \$22,460
2	<input type="radio"/> \$21,398	<input type="radio"/> \$21,399 y \$30,451	<input type="radio"/> \$30,452
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**Ejemplo:** Si mi familia se compone de dos padres y dos hijos o un padre y tres hijos, el tamaño de mi hogar es cuatro. Luego, seleccione la opción que corresponde al ingreso anual de su hogar.



+ \$35,000 =  
Ingreso Anual

4	<input type="radio"/> \$32,630	<input checked="" type="radio"/> \$32,631 y \$46,435	<input type="radio"/> \$46,436
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3) Información y firma del padre o tutor.

Yo certifico (prometo) que la información proporcionada en este formulario es verdadera y que he incluido todos los ingresos. Entiendo que la escuela o el distrito pueden recibir fondos estatales y federales sobre la base de la información que proporcione, y que la información puede ser revisada.

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Firma del Padre o Tutor

Nombre del Padre o Tutor Impreso

Fecha

Si tiene más de un estudiante asistiendo a la escuela St. Joachim, por favor escriba su(s) nombre(s) aquí:



# November Parent Club Meeting

November 6th

6PM

STAFF ROOM

ALL PARENTS WELCOME. WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

WE ARE STILL IN NEED OF ONE MORE OFFICER TO JOIN OUR PARENT CLUB BOARD. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE COME TO WEDNESDAY NIGHT'S MEETING.

[sjsparentclub@sjoachim.org](mailto:sjsparentclub@sjoachim.org)

## **Agenda**

SJS Parent Club Officer's Meeting

Meeting Date: Wednesday, November 6, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.

Meeting Location: St. Joachim's School Conference Room

1. Call to Order, Roll Call, Opening Prayer
2. Agenda & Minutes
  - a. Review/approval of agenda and minutes of 10/2/19
3. Principal's Report
4. Officers' Reports
  - a. 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President's Report – Volunteer Hours & Fundraising (Lisa Elgorriaga)
  - b. 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President's Report – Room Parent Coordinator (Yadira Medina)
  - c. Treasurer's Report (Lisa Elgorriaga)
  - d. Secretary's Report (Chastity Burke)
  - e. Hospitality Coordinator (Ashley Diaz)
  - f. Community Service/Outreach Coordinator (Office Vacant)
  - g. President's Report (Leslie Cosyns)
5. Committee Reports
  - a. Halloween Carnival – wrap up
6. Old Business
  - a. Potential changes to volunteer hours
  - b. State of the School Meeting and informational workshop
    - i. Parents to give online scrip presentation
  - c. Red Ribbon Week – wrap up
  - d. Fall Fundraising – wrap up
7. New Business
  - a. Adopt a Family
  - b. Spirit Wear
  - c. Spelling Bee
  - d. Parent Volunteer Hours on website
8. Parent Comments & Concerns
9. Announcements & Adjournment