

Occasionally, inclement weather requires SJRCS to close, delay opening or dismiss early. Follow these instructions in the event of a virtual live Remote Learning Snow day while the school building is closed.

SNOW DAY DISTANCE LEARNING PLAN

Students are expected to attend all classes and wear their uniform shirts when attending synchronous class discussion(s) via Google Meet®. Teachers will take attendance during each class period and will adhere to SJRCS' traditional grading and procedures. Virtual learning during inclement weather, teachers, and students will follow our traditional academic schedules in compliance with The Code of Maryland Regulations.

Remote instructional activities supporting the curriculum lesson(s) may include unique actions, independent work, and possibly grade-dependent small groups. Students will also engage in non-screen-related instructional activities including reading assignments, projects, and workbook assignments. Remote learning will not require students to remain online for the entire school day; there will be periods of both direct instruction and independent learning tasks.

In the event of advance notice for inclement weather, SJRCS will provide all students with a mobile device for synchronous remote instruction, and all student accommodation plans will be supported.

Remote synchronous instruction sessions will **not** be recorded, and the same work expectations will apply as in-class requirements. Class schedules are provided below and students will be required to "attend" and interact with the teacher(s) during this schedule.

SYNCHRONOUS (LIVE) REMOTE INSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

Grades PK3, PK4, & K schedule:

<i>Subject</i>	<i>Synchronous (live)</i>
Attendance will be taken at the start of each class period.	
Morning Meeting	8:30– 9:00
Literacy & Circle Time	
Math Activity	9:30 - 10:00
Science/Social Studies/Religion	10:30 – 11:00
Storytime Activity	11:30 - 12:00
Lunch	
Independent Centers	
Teacher office hours	2:15 - 2:45

Grades 1-8 Schedule:

<i>Subject</i>	<i>Synchronous (live)</i>
Attendance will be taken at the start of each class period.	
Period 1	8:30– 9:00
Period 2	9:15 - 9:45
Period 3	10:00 – 10:30
Period 4	10:45 - 11:15
Period 5th or 6th*	11:30 - 12:00
Lunch	12:05 – 12:35
Period 7	12:45 –1:15
Period 8	1:30 – 2:00
Teacher office hours	2:15 - 2:45

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Each teacher has an office period at the end of the day. This office period will be used only as needed to provide feedback to student inquiries that might come up throughout the day. Students are to message teachers via any Google Classroom class assignments. Messages are sent to the teacher's email address for a response during office hours.

GOOGLE MEET® STUDENT EXPECTATIONS

- Students must use only their SJRCS-assigned Google account to join all SJRCS online events.
- Please do not share SJRCS online event links and invitations with anyone else.
- Please be **on time** for all online learning events.
- Please be prepared to participate in online learning events with all required materials before the start of the day.
- When learning remotely, please keep the camera on and the student **visible**. Cameras should not be angled towards the ceiling.
- When learning remotely, please **mute** your mic when not talking.
- Students must maintain a neat appearance and dress in appropriate school attire.
- Please respect the privacy of other classmates and teachers. Students may **NOT** record online events in any way, including snapshots, video, or voice recording.
- Students may not take or share screenshots or any other content from any in-person or online class or event nor post anything related to SJRCS classroom instruction on any social media platform.
- Students must continue to follow all SJRCS conduct, behavior, and acceptable use rules whether in-person or online.
- Students must continue to use school-appropriate language in all written and verbal communication.
- Attend all scheduled online learning events and complete class assignments. Please contact your teachers with any questions or concerns.
- Remember to check Google Classroom®, Google Calendar®, and your To-Do list for assignments.
- Take breaks to eat (students will not be eating during instruction) and move around.

HOW TO JOIN GOOGLE MEET® FROM GOOGLE CLASSROOM FOR PARENTS AND STUDENTS

1. Log in to Google using the school-assigned student account.
2. Select the class in Google Classroom.
3. Select the Meet link in the class banner.
4. Select Allow to receive Meet Notifications.
5. Click Allow to enable your microphone and webcam.
6. Click Join Now or Ask to Join when you're ready to join the meeting.

NOTE: Be sure to mute your microphone before entering the room. Only unmute your microphone when your teacher gives you permission.

Virtual ½ Day Schedule:

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