

Teachers, Parents, Students – Together for Success

In The Classroom

South Elementary School will work with students and their families to develop students' literacy and mathematical understanding. Some of our key connections with families will include the following:

- School website provides important Individual classroom information.
- <https://www.jmcss.org/south>
- Assessment of students on a regular basis and adjustment of instruction to meet student needs.
- Communication with students and parents on a regular basis.
- Student homework assignments signed
- Positive phone calls to parents
- Teacher and staff will set high expectations for academic success

At Home

School parents and staff have developed ideas about how families can support students' literacy and mathematical understanding. Families may have other suggestions to add to the list.

- Participate in Parent-Teacher conferences twice a year or communicate with classroom teachers if unable to attend.
- Review the Student Handbook/Agenda for important school and district information and policies.
- Review homework and grades using the district's PowerSchool website.
www.jmcss.org
- Read with your child 20 minutes every day. It's the most important time of the day.

Our Goals for Student Achievement

District Goals

JMCSS Vision and Mission:

Vision: That all graduates will be effective problem solvers and have acquired the knowledge and skills to be life-long learners and productive citizens.

Mission: To prepare tomorrow's leaders by providing a safe, caring learning environment, working in cooperation with families and the community and providing appropriate curriculum and effective instruction.

School Goals

School administrators and teachers have studied our student performance data to decide on the most important areas of improvement for our school.

South Elementary School Goals:

Every student has an opportunity to learn in a positive environment.

All students are challenged to reach their full potential.

All students will achieve a year's growth academically.

Students

Students at South Elementary School will share the responsibility to improve academic achievement and meet the state's high academic standards. Specifically, the students will:

- Attend school regularly prepared to work with completed homework assignments.
- Discuss with parent/guardian what is being learned in school.
- Show positive attitude about learning by respecting parents, teachers, and others.
- Read 20 minutes at home every day.