

The DOZJA Insider

Daughter of Zion Junior Academy August 25, 2023



As we reflect upon the first two weeks of school, we can't help but be grateful! We are praising God for our scholars and their families, the faculty and staff, the administration, the school board, and the entire DOZJA family of volunteers and constituents that kept us prayed up!

The DOZJA faculty and staff were dedicated in prayer this past Sabbath. We hope that you were able to meet and greet them after church and that you will continue to keep them on your prayer list each week as they minister to our students this school year.

This edition of our digital, school newsletter is dedicated to the new members of our DOZJA team for the 2023-2024 school year including our new Principal, Mr. Richard Smith, and our new/returning teachers, Ms. Ezrone Bernard, Mrs. Cynthia Murray, and Mrs. Lorette Irving.







The Bible reminds us that prayer changes things.

"The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much." James 5:16

We are asking the DOZJA family to keep the following in prayer:

- Mikhi Kinnel—7th Grade
- Brooke Miller—Kitchen Staff—just had surgery.
- Nevaeh Jones—1st Grade For the recent loss of her Grandfather. Please keep the family in prayer.



Celebrating August Birthdays August 1 Ms. P. Chippy August 18 Mrs. W. Fulmore

Day to Day Details:

• **Earliest Daily Arrival Time:** 7:30 a.m. (Students should not come before this time; no staff will be here before this time.

• Location: Please drop off your child at the front door if you are just dropping off. If you are coming into the school, you must park across the street in the parking lot.

• School Hours:

Our school day begins promptly at 8:00 a.m. and ends at 3:00 p.m. Monday-Thursday. School ends at 2:00 p.m. on Fridays. Please make sure your child is picked up on time.

Aftercare:

Aftercare begins at 3:30 and ends at 5:30 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 2:30 p.m.—4:00 p.m. on Friday's.

Meet the Teacher:

We invite you to our "Meet the Teacher" event, where you'll have the opportunity to meet your child's teachers and learn more about the curriculum, classroom expectations, and communication methods. The event details will be shared shortly.

School Supplies:

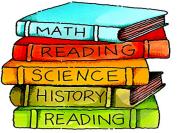
A list of required school supplies is attached to this letter. Please ensure your child comes prepared with all necessary materials.

Communication:

Open communication between school and home is crucial. We encourage you to reach out to teachers or the school office with any questions, concerns, or updates you may have. You can expect regular communication from us. We can be reached at (561) 243-0715.

Upcoming Events:

Stay tuned for announcements about upcoming school events, parent meetings, and extracurricular activities that your child can participate in.





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September 12 OPEN HOUSE Home & School Meeting @ 6:00 p.m.

September 14th

No School—Teachers In-Service



September 5-11

September 28 EARLY DISMISSAL 12:00 Noon



Please Note:

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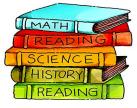
A Big Thank You...

DOZJA would like to thank the following volunteers and students for their acts of kindness and committed service. Your generosity and service for the cause of education will continue to make our school environment a better place, and encourages our efforts in reaching our goals.

- Sonia Collins & Shirley Ford for providing school supplies and donations.—thank you!
- *Bro. Penn* for kindly assembling our new lockers and always keeping our maintenance needs as a top priority we appreciate you!
- *Chris Solomon* (7th Grade / Ms. Bernard's Classroom) for the amazing job of monitoring the front doors in the mornings with a great smile.









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