

## Summer Middle School News for the 2020-2021 School Year

I trust you are anticipating a great school year. I would like to take this opportunity to provide you with some details about the beginning of school, as well as some important information. You can find an Internet Use Policy, Royal Athletic News, Parent-Student Handbook, Fall Athletic Schedules, Class Schedules, and MHSAA Physical Cards all on our website at [www.jacksonchristianschool.org](http://www.jacksonchristianschool.org).

### Important information:

- ❖ Orientation for incoming 6<sup>th</sup> graders and new students will be held in the cafeteria on Wednesday, August 26<sup>th</sup> at 11:00am. Lunch will be provided. Parents are strongly encouraged to attend.
- ❖ All middle school students will be required to maintain and purchase a school-issued agenda for \$8.00. They will be available at orientation or on the first day of school.
- ❖ The first day of school is Thursday, August 27<sup>th</sup>.
- ❖ The school day on the MS/HS campus is from 7:45am-2:40pm.
- ❖ Middle school students should be dropped off and picked up at the double doors off the gym lobby facing the soccer field, during the school year.
- ❖ Students will be assigned lockers the first day of school. Due to the increasing need for secure storage of personal technology, students may purchase a combination lock for \$5 from the office. Any locks used must be school-issued.
- ❖ Students will need a dedicated pair of non-marking athletic shoes for gym class.
- ❖ Special supplies for classes by teacher/class can be found on the school website or will be provided the first week of school.
- ❖ The 6<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> grade students will have their fall retreat on Friday, August 28<sup>th</sup> at Camp Michindoh.
- ❖ Students should have a record of any Christian service they have done this summer to receive credit for their Bible class requirement.
- ❖ **Athletic News** - Please be on the lookout for a separate email from the athletic department with important information, schedules and dates.