



# 5th Grade Happenings

November 1, 2019



## Pajama Drive

St. Paul School is holding a pajama drive for those in need. Pajamas can be in any size (newborn through adult) and for any season. They need to be brand new and a complete set (top/bottom or one piece). This is another great way to serve others. We serve God when we serve others. If students decide to participate, I would like them to at least help pay for the pajamas. I would like the service to come from them. The drive ends November 22. A form did go home.

## Dressing For Recess

St. Paul uses the following guidelines when dressing for recess. Please make sure your child is prepared. Students that do not dress properly will possibly sit on the outside bench during recess.

**Above 60 degrees:** Short sleeves may be worn.

**50-59 degrees:** Light jacket or sweatshirt/hoodie

**40-49 degrees:** Heavier jacket

**39 degrees and below:** Winter coat and apparel

## Power School: Grades

Remember to be checking your child's grades. Here's the link. <https://dol.clgpsedu.com/public/home.html>

## Spelling Units

We have started our spelling units. During the weeks that we do have spelling, the class will get a spelling packet (2 pages: 1st page front and back; 2nd page just front) on Mondays. They will have at least part of the class period on Mondays to work on the packet.

The packet will be due on Wednesdays. There will be a practice spelling test on Wednesdays. If students get a 20/20 on the practice test, they do not have to retake it on Friday. If they score higher on Friday, I will take the higher score. If they score lower on Friday, I will take the average of both tests.

## Accordion Folder: Notes Section

Students have a section in their accordion folder called "Notes." This section contains handouts from the office or from me. Students should be responsible and give their parents anything that is in this section. However, it does not hurt to check this section of the folder every so often. The most recent thing handed out was the pajama drive form.

## Band Starting

Band is supposed to be starting this coming week.

If it does not start on Monday, I expect for it to start on Wednesday. Those not in band will work on Moby Max to help them fill in any missing learning gaps they may have

