## St. John's Jesuit High School & Academy iPad Information

2024-2025

We are committed to facilitating student learning through technology; and we are excited to have your son start learning skills that transcend the classroom with his iOS device.

## Each student at SJJ is required to have an iPad with a protective case and keyboard.

- Apple iPad that is a 7th generation or newer. **No iPad Minis.**
- The base storage capacity of 64GB is required, but you should consider upgrading to 128GB to accommodate school and personal use.
- We recommend the Logitech rugged folio iPad case with the keyboard for class work and learning systems.

**Insurance for breaks and damage:** There are many companies that offer multi-year insurance plans that cover everything from water damage to cracked screens. This could be a major cost saving solution for clumsy drops and accidents. **AppleCare+** is one to consider.

## Student iPad Setup and Training

Before school starts, we want to ensure that students are prepared to use their devices. Various dates will be offered throughout the summer. Sign up for the iPad Setup and Training session will be via email to the parents/guardians of registered students. <u>Attendance is mandatory at one of these session for all new students</u>.

- Students must have an Apple iTunes account on their iPad with access to the App store and the ability to download apps.
- Parents, please record your son's account information in a safe place for reference, if necessary. <u>Required apps</u> for school will be reviewed in the summer training session and will be emailed prior to the date. Note:
  - o Safari is the recommended browser for school.
  - o Microsoft Apps are used for school.

## School Technology Management

SJJ uses Jamf School which is a cloud-based Mobile Device Management (MDM) solution designed for educational institutions, particularly K-12 schools. It allows IT administrators to manage Apple devices such as iPads in the classroom, ensuring that they are secure and properly configured.

With Jamf School, administrators can control app distribution and updates, configure settings and restrictions. They can also monitor device usage and track if lost or stolen. Additionally, Jamf School provides tools for teachers to distribute and manage apps and content on their students' devices, and for parents to stay informed about their children's device usage.