

# Madison State of Mind

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## STUDENT LIFE A Recap: the 2021-22 School Year Summarized by Students of JMPHS

Many students have enjoyed the 2021-2022 school year here at JMPS. In fact, 8 out of 10 students say that this year was great.

Elizabeth Beck (9) says that this year exceeded all of her expectations. "Coming from home school, I didn't really know what to expect. But this year has been great, and I'm super happy with my choice to come here."

Many say that they've learned lots of things this year, not just academically, but personally. Among these life lessons learned: get your work done on time, and don't worry yourself over people who could care less about you.



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# STUDENT LIFE cont...

Josie Driggers (10) says that if she learned one thing this year, its to finish your work. "I learned to complete my assignments at the beginning of the week, or at least work on them. It makes things so much easier."

Students think back happily to the things they've done this year. A common favorite activity on campus seems to be doing science labs with Mrs. Salterez and enjoying sweet treats with Mrs. Dela.

When asked to describe this school year in one word, students answered happily. "Fantastic", "great", "amazing", "educational", and "super" were just some of the positive words students had to say. Of course, some students said stuff like "too long!" or the eloquently worded "ehhh....", but according to most, this year was a total success.

One thing is for sure: students are looking forward to the next year here at JMPHS.



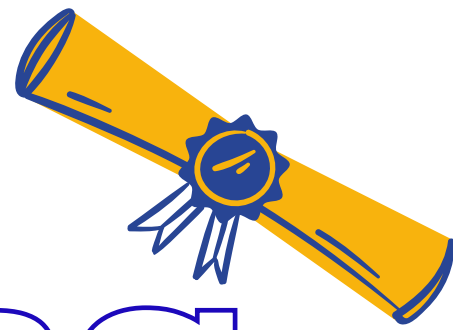
From left to right: Bryson Olive (9), Thad Lawson (9), Hafitha Ayyad (9), and Trey Silvernell (9) support the graduates



Avionna Ware (11) holds her sign to congratulate the graduating Seniors during the Senior walk



# *congrats* SENIORS



Pictures from the Senior  
Walk on 5/20/22

From top left to bottom right: Stavon McCreary, Alyssa Terry, Taylen Parish Fagin, Davy Wood, Tyler Robinson, Mikayla Pedro, Jashanti Johnson





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# Teacher Times: Hayley Starling

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By: Kiley Malone



Here at JMPHS, you will start your highschool mathematics with the brilliant Mrs. Hayley Starling. For this quarter's edition, she will be put under the spotlight to let the mysterious personal life for this teacher begin to shine.

Mrs. Starling has always liked math but didn't originally think of becoming a teacher. She first began teaching to be able to have the same schedule as her children and to be more present in their lives. Mrs. Starling was first shown teaching was an option for her when substituting at Lee and

realized she enjoyed it and felt like she understood her job there. She then began to find out what she needed to do to become a teacher. Mrs. Starling has been good at math since she was a child. She was set on the honors route once her teachers realized her brilliance. She has always liked math because of its unchanging nature. Things are not left up to interpretation and continue to be constant. Being able to learn from last year, Mrs. Starling was able to be more confident in switching up her way of teaching because she is now completely sure of herself in the material.

Outside of school hours, Mrs. Starling loves to enjoy her alone time, but also having fun with her family. In her free time, she enjoys watching movies, doing puzzles, and playing board games. Mrs. Starling doesn't have an all-time favorite movie, but she generally sticks to young adult or comedy films. Her comfort movie, though, is 10 Things I Hate About You. Mrs. Starling is a morning person, due to the fact that she is most motivated and productive earlier in the day. While being with her family, she likes going to adventurous places such as trampoline parks or kid-friendly museums.

Throughout your years at our school, you will find it is very hard not to love Mrs. Starling. She loves all of her students and is easy to communicate with. Her love for her family carries into the way she treats the ones around her. You could not find a teacher more caring for her students than our very own Hayley Starling.

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# SPORTS: Interviews with Student Athletes

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Interview with Josie Driggers

Q: How has playing sports helped you meet your goals?

A: It has taught me time management which better my ability to achieve them.



Interview with Erin Burnett

Q: How has being a student athlete affected you this year?

A: It helped me make more friends at school.

Interview with Sarah Androski

Q: What was your favorite thing about being on a sports team this year?

A: Let me meet new people and taught me how to work as a team.





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# SENIOR SPOTLIGHT: Interview With Senior Merridy Archambault

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Interview with Senior, Merridy Archambault

Q: When did you start playing sports?

A: I started playing when my parents forced me into tee-ball and I've played ever since.

Q: What is your favorite thing about playing on your sports team?

A: I love having my teammates around me during the good and bad throughout the game.





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# National News: Baby Formula Shortage

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By:Hafitha Ayyad

There is an Formula shortage across the United states and it is hurting infants and the low come families that don't have the resources to get the formulas. While the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) announced on Thursday that a stopped infant formula factory — one of the main causes of the statewide shortage – could reopen as soon as next week, store shelves could be empty for weeks. A lot of stores and pharmacies have already limited the amount of the formula a family can buy at a time Leaving many people with nothing.

Some parents are so desperate to have formula for their infants that they even tried making it from scratch. The American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) strongly suggests that parents shouldn't make formula from scratch. Why is there currently a formula shortage you may ask? The answer is that there are many reasons. In February, Abbott Nutrition, the top producer of baby formula in the US shut down. After four infants were hospitalized with bacterial illnesses and two of them died after drinking baby formula made at its Sturgis, Michigan factory, the company initiated voluntary recall and the factory shut down. Why would it matter if one factory shut down? This is the largest factory in the US so it impacts a lot.





# Creative Corner



Anna Meyer

At JMPHS, students have been trying new art techniques consisting of Pop Art. Pop Art is a lively, colorful, and stimulating art trend that began in the United Kingdom and the United States in the 1950s. Pop Art was revolutionary and disturbing when it first appeared, in stark contrast to the abstract expressionism style that came before it. Anna Meyer and Alexandria Carroll created an art piece with acrylic paint. Sarah Androski's artwork was created with mixed media.



Sarah  
Androski



Alexandria  
Carroll



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# WEATHER

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The Farmer's Almanac says that this summer is going to be "sizzling" for Floridians.

Students looking forward to summer will be happy to hear that it is predicted to be drier than usual in contrast to our usual humidity.

As of May 17th, temperatures reached as high as 96 degrees.

