



*St. Jude the Apostle School*  
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## St. Jude the Apostle School Athletic Tryout Policy

Dear Parents,

The St. Jude School Athletic Department will be conducting tryouts at the gym for students interested in playing on CSAA 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade teams.

We would like to share some information as to how the teams are picked. Please read the policy and procedure described below and sign with your child. If your child will be trying out, send the form to school by **Tuesday, November 7th, 2017 to Mrs. Moses**. No child will be able to participate without this completed form.

Our tryouts consist of an evaluation of skills, team concepts and attitude. Each grade is evaluated by numerous people, consisting of coaches and assistant coaches. We use varying criteria to evaluate athletes and each coach's assessment is part of the criteria used in determining the final team.

We would like to stress that this is a TEAM first and foremost. We are looking for the best athletes who can compete together as one unit. Each child is given ample opportunity to showcase his/her talents individually and as part of a team during our tryout process.

While this is an exciting time for everyone, we remind you that not everyone will make the team. As with excitement, also comes disappointment. We ask you as parents to help by discussing this with your child before tryouts, reminding them that they may or may not make the team. Let them know that we will once again attempt to enter Junior Varsity teams for anyone who does not make the Varsity team depending upon the level of interest. Please be aware that after CSAA rosters are posted there are no changes made to the rosters.

**Tryout Dates/ Times:**      6<sup>th</sup> grade: Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> 7:00 – 8:30  
   7<sup>th</sup> grade: Nov. 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> 5:30 – 7:00  
   8<sup>th</sup> grade: N/A

Please plan to pick up your child at the end of tryouts each day. Tryouts are closed to all spectators.

Thank you,

Tanna Moses – Athletic Director  
Brad Moses – Asst. Athletic Director

Fr. Trey Nelson - Pastor  
Mrs. Michelle Gardiner - Principal  
Mrs. Angelle Saia, Asst. Principal

My child plans to try out for CSAA basketball. I am aware of the policy and procedures of the SJS tryout process and agree to comply with the process as stated.

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: 6   7   8   (circle)