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“Home of the Vikings”

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RE: Important Student Handbook Updates

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Upcoming LHS events:

Grades 10-12 Schedule Pick-up	Friday, Aug. 26	10am-Noon	HS Office
New Student Orientation	Monday, Aug. 29	6-7pm	Auditorium
LHS Meet the Teacher	Monday, Aug. 29	7-8pm	LHS

The purpose of this message is to inform LHS families of a few important Student Handbook updates and reminders that may impact your student at the beginning of the school year. Please understand that the Student Handbook is online and can be viewed on Final Forms. Please note that these updates are only summaries or highlights from the handbook. Some key changes and reminders are summarized below:

Attendance at School Events

Students must be in attendance for a half-day to attend events such as athletic events and dances.

Bell Schedule

Breakfast:	7:20-7:40
Doors open:	7:30
First Bell:	7:37
Tardy Bell:	7:40
Homeroom:	7:40-7:45
1st Pd:	7:45-8:35
2nd Pd:	8:38-9:28
3rd Pd:	9:31-10:21
4th Pd:	10:24-11:14
5th Pd:	11:17-11:47
6th Pd:	11:50-12:40
7th Pd:	12:43-1:33
8 th Pd:	1:36-2:26

*All students entering the building before 7:30 will report to the cafeteria.

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Dress Code

Hair Color/Style – We often have students returning to school with unique hair colors and styles. Hair color, including highlights, must be within the spectrum of color that hair grows naturally, such as shades of blonde, black, auburn/red, and brunette. Hair must not be worn in a way which obstructs the natural vision of students or staff members (hair cannot be covering your eyes).

Headgear – Hats, hoods, headbands, or headgear are not to be worn in the building by students. These should be removed immediately upon entering the building. Considerations will be made due to classroom temperatures that vary from room to room (only with permission by the teacher).

Holes in Pants – Pants guidelines: Pants that are distressed or have holes can only have holes below the fingertips when arms are relaxed at this side.

Nose Piercings – Visible body piercings other than ears are not to be worn at school or school activities. No gauging of any kind will be permitted. Exception: small single stud or hoop in the nose.

Other Items – Wallet chains, spiked wrist bands and spiked necklaces are not permitted to be worn or brought into the school building.

Planners

Each LHS student will receive a planner this school year. Each planner contains a calendar for recording assignments, hall pass information, and miscellaneous items students may find useful during the year. Replacement planners are \$5.

Clear Drink Containers

Only clear drink containers will be permitted in the hallways or classrooms. Water is the only acceptable beverage to be consumed during the day. Other beverages can be consumed during lunch.

Flowers, Balloons, Gifts, ETC

Flowers, balloons, gifts, cake, etc are not permitted to be delivered to school for occasions such as birthdays, special events, and so forth. They cannot be delivered to the student and therefore should be sent to the student's home address.

Lockers

Each student is assigned a locker. Take a picture of your locker combination. Each combination is found on your schedule. You are required to use your locker for storing school supplies and personal belongs. Students who chronically store items above their lockers may receive school discipline.

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Bullying/Harassment Form

Bullying/Harassment forms are located in the attendance office. Any student or guardian may complete these forms.

LHS Cafeteria News

Students may be assigned seats due to contact tracing and will be dismissed to the lunch line. Food delivered to students from outside venues is prohibited.

Breakfast:	\$1.10	\$.30 (reduced)
Lunch:	\$2.85	\$.40 (reduced)
Milk:	\$.50	

Parking permits

Students must secure a permit from the attendance office to drive to school. Cost of the permit is \$5. All student drivers must have a permit by September 16.

School Dances

Homecoming/Prom (Eligibility For Attendance)

1. All Final Forms must be completed.
2. You must be in good academic standing (not failing two or more courses).
3. You can have NO OUT OF SCHOOL SUSPENSIONS this school year.

Fee Requirements:

- A. Homecoming – all fees from previous year(s) must be paid in full (Students must have fees paid down to \$50 or less in order to participate in Homecoming this year)
- B. Prom – all school fees must be paid in full two weeks prior

Attendance Requirements:

- Homecoming - no more than 30 missed hours without legitimate excuse.
- Prom - no more than 90 missed hours without legitimate excuse.

*Attendance credit will be not utilized for extra-curriculars (including dances)

Minimum 55%

In the past, if LHS students earned below a 55% F in a nine week grading period, their grade was raised to reflect a minimum of a 55%. This year students will not receive a minimum 55% for the last nine weeks of the school year. Students will receive the grade they have earned.

Please call the LHS office with any questions. See you soon!

Respectfully,



Mr. Starkey

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