

October 9, 2020

Dear families,

The follow are the weekly updates for you to keep in touch with school news and happenings.

<p>Message from the principal</p>	<p>Dear families,</p> <p>With our first few small groups of quarantines over the past few weeks, I just want to take a few minutes to address what we continue to do here at LHS to keep your students safe.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Students and staff are required to wear masks in the building at all times (and students have truly been amazing!).</i></li><li>• <i>Classes are small so that students can maintain a 6 foot distance whenever possible.</i></li><li>• <i>Classroom desks are cleaned between every class by teachers.</i></li><li>• <i>Tables in the atrium are cleaned between every class by custodians, counselors, and the admin team.</i></li><li>• <i>Every bathroom has an additional soap dispenser so that we don't run out of soap.</i></li><li>• <i>The district has adjusted the proportion of fresh air in the building, and I must say that the air movement feels noticeable.</i></li><li>• <i>We encourage socially distancing at all times and though adolescents are not perfect, they do a pretty decent job of honoring that request.</i></li><li>• <i>The district can assist schools with a deep clean if needed, as addressed in my letter from last Sunday night.</i></li></ul> <p>It feels like LHS is doing our best to help keep school clean and sanitary for in person learning each day. My next "ask" is a bit of an overreach, but please encourage your student to also do their best to adhere to similar guidelines when outside of school whether at work, socializing with friends, carpooling, or other situations. I know many of these practices are not how we wish to live each day, me included. Yet with cold and flu season nearly upon us, I want to be able to have the ability to continue school in person and the more students adhere to health guidelines, the better chance we have to continue with school as designed this year. The district sent updated quarantine processes and protocols last evening, please be sure to check your email for this information.</p> <p>Again, I know this is a large request, but I deeply care about providing the best education possible to students both in-person and remotely and we need our students help to make this happen. Thank you for your consideration and support.</p> <p>Mr. Bock</p>
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<p>Schedule for next three weeks</p>	<p>We have heard a wide variety of comments on the unique quarter system LHS has employed this fall. Truly, I appreciate both the compliments and critiques and trust me, we have received many of both. Thank you for supporting us with this unique strategy and we look forward to closing this quarter on October 20 and beginning the next quarter October 21. As we approach the end of this quarter, the schedule gets a little strange and so we have included a three-week calendar for the next three weeks at the bottom of this letter. Please encourage your student to catch up on any last minute assignments over the next two weeks and connect with their teachers as they complete the quarter.</p>
<p>Second Semester learning preference Survey</p>	<p>During the week of November 9<sup>th</sup>, Lakewood will be distributing a school-based survey that solicits the learning preference for next semester, beginning in January. This survey will only be <u>sent to families one time</u> and any surveys not completed will default to the student's current learning preference. Many people have requested to adjust at quarter, yet the school semester was designed to use quarters in a semester system, hence making changes are not available until second semester. Please stay tuned for the survey during November 9<sup>th</sup> and submit in a timely fashion. Thank you.</p>
<p>Parking Passes</p>	<p>Students who park in the parking lot will be issued a <b>FREE</b> parking pass for the 2020/2021 school year. Yet, we still need students to complete a district parking agreement and students will be issued a parking tag. This is mostly used for helping students turn off lights when running late to class, but also helps us identify who is using the parking lot each day. The link to register is below:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><a href="#">2020-2021 LHS Student Parking Agreement</a></p>
<p>Driving throughout the neighborhood</p>	<p>This is a gentle reminder to please drive safely, slowly, and quietly when passing through the neighborhood. Our local law enforcement has been patrolling the nearby streets and neighborhoods to ensure our students and community are safe. From time to time, the team parks in our lot to check in with Officer Geiger, our SRO, but it does not mean that anything is out of sorts at LHS. We would communicate with you if this is the case. Rather, we have a well-respected SRO and his teammates enjoy checking in from time to time. Thank you for keeping all students and community members safe!</p>
<p>How to get involved? Annual Tiger Prowl</p>	<p><b>Tiger Prowl – TIME IS RUNNIN OUT!!!</b> Registration for our <i>virtual</i> Tiger Prowl is now open to families! You can run/walk, but you can also just sleep in and support your favorite LHS student organization, ensemble, or team! Thank you to all our wonderful sponsors for helping support our students with this event! Please see <a href="http://Tigerprowl5k.com">Tigerprowl5k.com</a> for more info. <b>Final date to register is October 11<sup>th</sup>!</b></p>

## October 12<sup>th</sup> through 30<sup>th</sup> Schedule

Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	<b>October 12</b> Group A In Person (Group B Remote) Blocks 1-4	<b>October 13</b> Group B In Person (Group A Remote) Blocks 1-4	<b>October 14</b> Remote Learning Day for all students* Blocks 1-4 daily schedule will be followed, but students will learn from home.  *SSN Program Remote learning as well.	<b>October 15</b>  Teacher work day  No school for students!	<b>October 16</b> FALL BREAK  No School for students!
	<b>October 19</b> Group A In Person (Group B Remote) Blocks 1-4  Final Day of Class	<b>October 20</b> Group B In Person (Group A Remote) Blocks 1-4  Final Day of Class	<b>October 21</b> Quarter 2 classes Begin Group A In Person (Group B Remote) Blocks 5 - 8	<b>October 22</b> Quarter 2 classes Begin Group B In Person (Group A Remote) Blocks 5 - 8	<b>October 23</b> Asynchronous Learning Day. All students with last names A-Z remote learning in all classes from home
	<b>October 26</b> Group A	<b>October 27</b> Group B	<b>October 28</b> Group A	<b>October 29</b> Group B	Asynchronous Learning Day