

The Lake George Central School District will personalize opportunities that empower all students to be lifelong learners, leaders and global citizens.



	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
T 2023	30	31	1	2	3	4	5
AUGUST 2023	6	7	7:00pm BOE meeting LGHS Library	9	10	11	12
,	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
www.lkgeorge.org	27	6:00pm 7th Grade Ice Cream Social	9:00am – 10:30am LGHS New Student Welcome Day	30 11:30am – 12:30pm LGES New Student Welcome Day	31	JULY 2023 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	SEPTEMBER 2023 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30



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SEPTEMBER 2023	3	4 Labor Day	FOR INCOMIN	6:30pm LGHS Alumni Association Monthly Meeting M • LGHS OPEN NG STUDENTS ELOPMENT DAY- OR STUDENTS	First Day of School All Students	8	9 ACT EXAM
SEP	10	6:00pm PTSO Meeting	7:00pm BOE Meeting- HS Library	13 Bus Drill #1 at Dismissal	14 LGES K-6 Let's Get Acquainted Night	Rosh Hashanah Begins	16
	17 Rosh Hashanah Ends	18	7:00pm HS College Application Information Night	20 DENT COUNCIL SPIRIT W	21 /EEK	LG Alumni Assoc. Annual Fall Reception October 28th ACT Exam registration deadline LGHS Pep Rally	7:00pm-9:00pm Homecoming Dance Autumn Begins
www.lkgeorge.org	24 Yom Kippur Begins	25 11:15am – 12:45pm College Caravan at LGHS Yom Kippur Ends	26 LGHS CL	27 UB FAIR (DURING LUNCH	PERIODS)	29 5:00pm LGES Fall Festival	30



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R 2023	1	2	3	6:30pm LGHS Alumni Association Monthly Meeting	LGES Picture Day November 4th SAT Exam registration deadline	Staff Development Day NO SCHOOL	7 SAT EXAM
CTOBER 2023	8	Columbus Day Indigenous Peoples' Day NO SCHOOL	7:00pm BOE Meeting- HS Library	11	6:00pm LG JrSr. High School Open House LGHS progress reports handed out at open house	LGHS 5-week progress reports mailed home	14
Ö	15	LGHS Parent Visitation Day	17	18	19	20 LGHS Picture Day	21
	22	23	24	25	PSAT and SAT Exam Day at LGHS	27	28 ACT EXAM
www.lkgeorge.org	29	6:00pm National Senior Honor Society Induction Ceremony	31 Halloween	1	2	SEPTEMBER 2023 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	NOVEMBER 2023 S M T W T F S



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NOVEMBER 2023	5 Daylight Saving Time Ends	7:00pm Senior High Chorus and Band Concert (Grades 9-12) 6:00pm PTSO Meeting	7 Election Day	7:00pm College Financial Aid Information Night	LGHS Last Day of 1st Quarter	Veterans' Day Observed	11 Veterans Day
	12	13	IATIONAL FRENCH WEE	15	16	No school 17	18
N	12	LGHS 2nd Quarter Begins 7:00pm Junior High Chorus and Band Concert (Grades 7&8)	7:00pm BOE Meeting- HS Library LGES Fall Progress Reports Go Home	LGHS Report Cards Distributed LGES and LGHS Picture Retake Day			10
		(Grades 7668)		LGES PAREN	NT CONFERENCES: 11:15	DISMISSAL	
	19	20	21	22	23 Thanksgiving	24	25
				NO SCI	HOOL - THANKSGIVING I	RECESS	
www.lkgeorge.org	26	27	28	29	30	1	2











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DECEMBER 2023	NOVEMBER 2023 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	JANUARY 2024 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	28	29	30	1	10:00am LGES Winter Craft Festival SAT EXAM
	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
EME				6:30pm LGHS Alumni Association Monthly Meeting Bus Drill #2 at Dismissal	Hanukkah Begins at Sundown		ACT EXAM
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
DI			7:00pm BOE Meeting- HS Library		7:00pm LGES Winter Concert		
	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
				LGHS 5-Week Progress Reports Mailed	Winter Begins		
					NO SCHOOL - H	OLIDAY RECESS	
www.lkgeorge.org	Christmas Eve 31 New Year's Eve	25 Christmas Day	26 Kwanzaa Begins	27	28	29	30
M	New Teal's Eve		NO	SCHOOL - HOLIDAY REC	ESS		
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Lake George Vision:

Student connections to extra-curricular opportunities











	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Y 2024	31	New Year's Day	Classes Resume	3	4	5	6
JANUARY 2024	7	6:00pm PTSO Meeting	7:00pm BOE Meeting- HS Library	10	11	12	13
\mathbf{J}	14	Martin Luther King Jr. Day	16	17	18	19	20
	21	7:00pm Senior High Chorus and Band Concert (Grades 9-12)	23	24 REGENTS	25 TESTING	LGHS Last day of second quarter	27
www.lkgeorge.org	28	LGHS third quarter begins	6:00pm 8th Grade Parent Night (HS planning)	31	1	DECEMBER 2023 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	FEBRUARY 2024 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29



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Y 2024	28	29	30	31	PRACTICE ACT EXAM	LGHS Report Cards Distributed	3
FEBRUARY 2024	4	7:00pm Grade 11 College Planning Night	6	6:00pm LGES Math Night 6:00pm LGHS Talent show	8	9	10
FE	11	12	7:00pm BOE Meeting- HS Library LGES Specialist Progress Reports Go Home	14 Valentine's Day	15	16	17
	18	19 Presidents Day	20 No	21 SCHOOL - WINTER RECE	22 ESS	23	24
www.lkgeorge.org	25	26	27	28	29	JANUARY 2024 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	MARCH 2024 S M T W T F S











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MARCH	3	6:00pm PTSO Meeting	5	LGHS 5-Week Progress Reports Mailed	7	April 13th ACT Exam registration deadline LGES Winter Progress Reports Go Home	9
				LGES PARP WEEK 1			SAT EXAM
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Daylight Saving Time Begins	Staff Development Day	7:00pm BOE Meeting- HS Library				
		NO SCHOOL		LGES PAR	P WEEK 2		
	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	St. Patrick's Day			Spring Begins	5:00pm LGES Science Fair	7:00pm JrSr. High School Musical	7:00pm JrSr. High School Musical
				LGES PARP WEEK 3			
D	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
www.lkgeorge.org	31 Easter Sunday	6:30pm Kindergarten Parent Information Night		7:00pm LGHS Spanish Honor Society Induction Ceremony		Good Friday	
WW			LGES PAR	RP WEEK 4		NO SCHOOL	

Lake George Central School District Goals:

- CREATE Values
 Cultivate mindsets and
 behaviors for success and
 well being
- Raise The Bar
 Empower students to
 achieve local, national, and
 global academic standards
 at essential proficiency
 levels
- Close the Gap
 Increase proficiency rate of target subgroups











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2024	31	1	2	3	4	5	6
			NO	SCHOOL - SPRING RECE	ESS		
	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
APRI			7:00pm Board of Education Meeting			LGHS Last Day of 3rd Quarter	ACT EXAM
				NYS ELA ASSESSM	IENTS GRADES 3-8	BAND ALL	-COUNTY
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		LGHS 4th Quarter Begins		LGHS Report Cards Distributed Bus Drill #3 at Dismissal		May 4th SAT Exam registration deadline	
	21	7:00pm Junior High Chorus and Band Concert (Grades 7&8)	23	24 NYS SCIENCE ASSES	25 SMENT GRADE 5 & 8	26	27 Junior Prom 2024
www.lkgeorge.org	28	7:00pm Senior High Chorus and Band Concert (Grades 9-12)	6:00pm 6th Grade Parent Night Presentation at LGHS	JP	2	MARCH 2024 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	MAY 2024 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31



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MA	5	6:00pm PTSO Meeting AP EXAM (US GOV'T/POLITICS)	7:00pm BOE Budget Hearing/Meet the Candidates PTSO District Employee Appreciation Day	AP EXAM (ENGLISH LITERATURE) NYS MATH ASSESS	9 MENT GRADES 3-6	LGHS Grades 6-7 Activity Event AP EXAM (US HISTORY)	11
	12	AP EXAM (CALCULUS)	7:00pm BOE Meeting- HS Library AP EXAM (ENGLISH LANGUAGE)	LGHS 5-Week Progress Reports Mailed AP EXAM (WORLD HISTORY)	AP EXAM (BIOLOGY)	June 1st SAT exam date registration deadline	23rd Annual Randy's Run/11th Annual Murphy's Mile
	19	2:40pm Science Symposium	Annual School Budget Vote 6:00pm High School Cornerstone Projects Presentation 6:30pm LGES Art Show & Open House AGE CHECKPOINT "A" SF	Senior Give-Back Day 2024 PEAKING EXAMS	"B" SPEAK	24 AGE CHECKPOINT ING EXAMS	11:30am Annual Lake George Village Memorial Day Parade & Ceremony
www.lkgeorge.org	26	Memorial Day NO SCHOOL	7:00pm LGHS National Junior Honor Society Induction Ceremony	29	30	31	1





Lake George Central School District Core Values:

- Collaboration
- Respect
- Excellence
- Accountability
- Trust
- Empathy





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JUN	2	3	4	6:00pm-8:00pm Senior Ball	6	7	8
			REGENTS TESTING				ACT EXAM
	9	6:00pm LGHS Senior Athletic Awards Ceremony	Last Day of Classes for Seniors 7:00pm BOE Meeting-HS Library	9:30am – 12:30pm Senior Breakfast, Mandatory Graduation Rehearsal, Picnic	Last Day of Classes Grades 7-11 (no seniors)	8:15am LGES Flag Day Ceremony LOCAL TESTING GRADES 7-12/ REGENTS TESTING	15
	16	17	18	19 Juneteenth	5:00pm LGHS Sr. Art Show 5:00pm Jr High Gr. 7-8 Dept Awards 6:30pm Sr. High Gr. 9-12 Dept. Awards	21 Summer Begins	22
		LOCAL TESTING REGENTS		NO SCHOOL	REGENTS	G GRADES 7-12/ S TESTING	
www.lkgeorge.org	30	11:00am Mandatory Sr, Graduation Rehearsal 6:00pm Sr. High Grade 12 Scholarship Awards REGENTS	K-12 Last Day of School 11:45am - District Employee Luncheon 7:00pm - LGES 6th grade Moving-up ceremony LGES Report Cards Go Home	26 LGHS Last Day of 4th Quarter	6:00pm Graduation LGHS Class of 2024	28	29











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JULY 2024	30	1	2	LGHS Report Cards Mailed Home	4 Independence Day	5	6
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	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
www.lkgeorge.org	28	29	30	31	1	JUNE 2024 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	AUGUST 2024 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31



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AUGUS	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	18	19	20 S EXAMS	21	22	23	24
www.lkgeorge.org	25	26 6:00pm 7th Grade Ice Cream Social	9:00am-10:30am new student welcome at JrSr. High school 9:00AM - 2:0	28 11:30am-12:30pm LGES New Student Welcome Day OPM JRSR. HIGH SCHO	29 OL OPEN FOR INCOMING	30 STUDENTS	31

Dear Lake George Community Members,

The Lake George Central School District mission is to personalize opportunities that empower all students to be lifelong learners, leaders and global citizens. Our vision is to foster academic and personal excellence, responsibility and cultural awareness. We are dedicated to creating:

- An engaging and innovative learning environment for each student
- A comprehensive K-12 instructional program using best practices
- Student connections to extracurricular opportunities and
- An appreciation for diversity and local traditions

We are looking forward to working with all of you throughout the year to reach our goals for our children.

Sincerely,

John Luthringer, Superintendent

Lake George Central School District 381 Canada Street Lake George, NY 12845

Directory

Lake George Elementary School

Principal: Mr. James Conway

69 Sun Valley Drive Phone: 518-668-5714 Fax: 518-668-5876 (twitter icon) @jconwaylg

Instructional Hours: 7:45 AM-2:10 PM

Lake George Jr.-Sr. High School

Principal: Mr. Francis Cocozza

381 Canada Street Phone: 518-668-5452 Fax: 518-668-3796

Instructional Hours: 8:00 AM- 2:33 PM

Lake George Central Business Office

381 Canada Street Phone: 518-668-5455 Fax: 518-668-2285 Hours: 8:00 AM- 4:00 PM

Board of Education

Board Members

Katie Bruening, President Maryanne MacKenzie, Vice President

Jeannine Bieber Tricia Connor Biles Rosemarie Earl Mario Fasulo Donna Prime

Board Officers

Sarah Barton - District Clerk René Palmer - District Treasurer

** Board meetings are generally held at 7 p.m.on the second Tuesday of each month in the Jr.-Sr. High School Library.

For an updated schedule of Board of Education meetings, budget workshops, and committee meetings, please visit the Lake George Central School District's website: www.lkgeorge.org

** You may contact the Board of Education via the following e-mail: boe@lkgeorge.org

Please feel free to contact us at anytime.

John Luthringer, Superintendent	(518) 668-5456, ext 1207
Bonnie Hart, School Business Administrator	(518) 668-5455
Kevin Parrott, Director of Facilities	(518) 668-5452, ext. 1219
Andrew Raymond, Transportation Supervisor	(518) 668-2131
Christopher Mondella, CSE Chairperson K-12/Dean of Students (7-12)	(518) 668-5452, ext. 1228
Megan Coker, Director of Curriculum, Technology, & Innovation	(518) 668-5452, ext. 1220
Kyle Manny, Athletic Director and PE Teacher	(518) 668-5452, ext. 1221



Student Attendance

The Board of Education of the Lake George School District recognizes that student attendance in school is an important component of student success. Student interaction with teachers and other students in class helps to enhance the academic learning experience and provides a basis by which students can demonstrate mastery of subject matter.

Rationale and Objectives of the Lake George School District's Comprehensive Attendance Policy

Every student has a right to educational opportunities that will enable the student to develop to their fullest potential. Numerous studies link attendance with student achievement, therefore increased student attendance will result in improved student achievement. An effective attendance policy is crucial to a good education. Attendance policies are based on the principle that regular school attendance maximizes the student's interaction with their teachers and peers, and is a major component of academic success. Improved school attendance procedures that provide for the early identification of attendance problems and effective methods to address them are most likely to succeed. Lake George School District's Comprehensive Attendance Policy can be found on our website: www.lkgeorge.org

Student Code of Conduct

Discipline Philosophy:

It is the philosophy of the Lake George Central School District that discipline is more than responding to a student's misbehavior with rewards or punishments. It is a proactive process of developing responsible decision making of students creating a positive and safe learning environment and building positive relationships with students. Qualities of cooperation, self discipline, social responsibility, and mutual respect become the goals of discipline in a democratic society or classroom.

Our goals in establishing a positive orderly school are to:

Establish a climate of equality and mutual respect.

- Encourage students.
- Offer students a role in decision-making.
- Develop students' self-discipline by offering them consistent, logical, fully understandable guidelines for behavior.

For the full comprehensive K-12 Student Codes of Conduct please refer to your child's student handbook and/or visit our website: www.lkgeorge.org

Visitor Sign-In

Any visitor to a school building within the Lake George Central School District must sign in with the greeter of that building. Signs are posted on the main entrances of each building directing you to do so. You are to receive a visitor's badge and wear the badge while on the premises. Visitors must comply with the directions of office personnel. Upon completion of your business, you must sign out and return your badge.

Registering New Students or Changes in Home Address/Contact Information

All parents/guardians who wish to enroll their students in the Lake George Central School District or parents/guardians whose home address or contact information has changed, should contact the District Registrar, Natalie Fullen, at the Elementary School,

(518) 668-5452 ext. 1211

From the Nurses' Offices

School Medication Policy:

If a student is to take any prescription or over-the-counter medication during school hours, parents/guardians must bring in the medication in the original bottle with both a signed parental consent form and a written order from a physician or other licensed health care provider giving the School Nurses' permission to administer the medication. The medication order

must include: the student's name, diagnosis, and the name of the medication, dosage, route, and time to be administered. All medication will be kept locked in the Health Office while on school property. Students are not allowed to keep medication of any kind in their personal property, including book bags, desks, lockers, clothing, etc. The only exception is for inhalers, which may be carried and self-administered by the student with parental consent, a specifically-written Doctor's order, and with the approval of the School Nurse.

Information Regarding the Dispensing of Medication:

In order to comply with New York State Law, the following procedures must be followed for all students requiring medication during school hours:

A signed, written order from the physician to administer the medication must be provided to the Health Office

Signed, written parental/guardian consent to administer the medication must be on file in the Health Office website

The medication must be brought to the Health Office by the parent/ guardian in the original labeled container including prescribed and over-the counter (OTC) medications.

Medications not in their original containers will not be accepted. These orders are for both prescribed and over-the-counter medications including Tylenol, Advil, cough/cold medicines, etc.



Students are NOT permitted to carry any medications (prescribed and/or OTCs) with them during school at any time. Exceptions in special circumstances are students requiring inhalers and/or emergency medications such an EpiPen.

A signed, written order from the 1) physician, 2) parent/guardian, and 3) provider for permission for self administration is required in these special cases. Permission to allow these students to carry their medication is at the discretion of the Health Office. If you have any questions, please contact your child's nurse.

Bus Safety Rules and Procedures

The most important element of school bus transportation is the safety of students. In order to achieve a safe and efficient system, drivers must have the cooperation of all student riders.

- Conduct on the school bus shall be of the same high standard as expected in the classroom. All school rules apply while students are on the bus. Students shall be courteous to fellow riders and their bus driver. Such acts as fighting, pushing, obscene talk or gestures will not be tolerated and will be cause for disciplinary action.
- 2. In order to maintain a strict time schedule, drivers cannot wait for students. Students must be ready and on time for boarding the bus each morning. PLEASE BE READY!
- Students shall wait until the bus comes to a full stop before entering the roadway to board the bus or before leaving their seat to get off the bus.
- 4. Students should use extreme caution when getting on or off the bus. When crossing the highway, wait for the driver to signal to do so and cross 10 feet from the front of the bus.
- Students shall always take a seat upon boarding a bus and remain seated at all times while the bus is in motion.
- 6. Students are to keep arms and heads inside of the bus at all times. Bus windows shall be kept shut unless permission to open them is given by the driver.

- 7. Drugs, Alcohol, Smoking, or the use of tobacco, or any illegal substances by students on the bus is strictly prohibited at all times. Eating of food, drinking of beverages, and taking medication is not permitted on the bus.
- 8. Electronic devices, glass items, knives and other dangerous objects are prohibited on the bus. Also, bulky items, pets, and animals should not be brought on the bus unless with permission granted ahead of time.
- Buses must be kept clean at all times. Each student has the duty and responsibility to see that they do not litter.
- 10. Students shall remain on the bus until it arrives at school or at home. Drivers will not let students off upon request unless a pass is obtained from the Attendance Office for a change in riding status and given to the driver. A written parental request is required for any change from one bus to another or for a change in pick-up or drop-off point. Allowing for sufficient time to effect these changes ensures student safety.
- 11. The school bus driver is completely in charge when transporting students. All instructions given shall be followed and students should cooperate with the driver in any way they can.

These rules are made for the safety and benefit of all students. Unfortunately, there may be students who will not or do not abide by the rules. In the event of violations, the following disciplinary steps have been established:

- Verbal warning by the Bus Driver.
- Written referral to the Principal for possible disciplinary action or suspension, with parental notification.
- Parent conference with school administrator in order to determine eligibility for continued transportation.
- School authorities may remove a student from bus privileges at any time if the offense is serious enough to warrant such action, regardless of the number of violations.

 Exclusive of the verbal warnings, parents will be notified of bus incidences and violations.

To assure bus safety, the New York State Education Department requires three school bus drills during each school year.

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

Pursuant to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, Lake George Central School District hereby notifies parents and guardians that they have the right to:

- Inspect and review a student's educational record
- Seek correction of parts of a student's education record which they believe to be inaccurate, misleading or in violation of the student's rights. These rights include the right to a hearing to present evidence that the record should be changed if the district decides not to alter it according to the parent's or an eligible student's request
- Report or file a complaint with the Department of Education if the school district violates FERPA
- Exercise a limited control over the student's education records, in a hearing if necessary
- Be informed about FERPA rights

You are further advised: The school district shall limit the disclosure of information contained in the student's education records except:

- a. by prior written consent of the student's parents or an eligible student,
- b. directory information or
- under certain circumstances, as permitted by FERPA, state and federal law.

All rights and protections given to parents under FERPA and this policy transfer to the student when the student reaches 18 or enrolls in a post-secondary school.

Student Privacy

Under the Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment (PPRA), parents have the right to inspect and opt their child out of any student survey that reveals information about personal attitudes, behaviors or beliefs. Parents also have the right to receive notice of and opt their child out of any activities that involve the collection, disclosure or use of a student's personal information for marketing purposes and out of any non-emergency, invasive physical exam or screening, except for hearing, vision and scoliosis screenings or as permitted or required by state law.

For any questions or for further information, please contact your child's school Main Office.

Dignity for All Students Act

The Dignity for All Students Act (DASA) requires school districts to develop a policy that prohibits harassment, bullying, and discrimination and adds awareness to actual or perceived race, weight, national origin, ethnic group, religion, religious practice, disability, sex, sexual orientation, and gender. The goal of the DASA is to create a safe and supportive school climate where students can learn and focus in a welcoming considerate environment.

For more information about DASA and the Lake George Central School District's Policy, please visit our website at www.lkgeorge.org or call your child's school. Dignity Act Coordinators should be contacted if you feel your child is being harassed, bullied, or discriminated against.

- At the Elementary School, please contact Principal James Conway at 518-668-5714 or email conwayj@ lkgeorge.org
- At the Jr.-Sr. High School, please contact the Dean of Students Chris Mondella at 518-668-5452 or email mondellac@lkgeorge.org.

Emergency Contact Information

We would like to remind parents about the importance of providing the school with phone numbers, including mobile, home, and place of employment, and an alternate number of a responsible person in the event of an emergency. When you change your phone number(s), email address, mailing address, or place of employment, please notify the school immediately, since up-to-date records are extremely important for school-to-home communication.

Lake George CSD utilizes several tools to communicate with families, including ParentSquare notification system; telephone notification system, the district website, district Facebook and Twitter, teacher texting apps, staff tweets, and more.

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Pesticide Notification – Your Right to Know

New York State Education Law Section 409-H, effective July 1, 2001, requires all public elementary and secondary schools to provide written notification to all persons in parental relation, faculty, and staff regarding the potential use of pesticides periodically throughout the school year. The Lake George Central School District is required to maintain a list of persons in parental relation, faculty, and staff who wish to receive 48-hour prior written notification of certain pesticide applications. If you wish to be placed on this list, please contact the Director of Facilities, Kevin Parrott at 518-668-5452, ext. 1219.

The following applications are not subject to prior notification requirements:

- A school remains unoccupied for a continuous 72 hours following an application
- Antimicrobial products
- Nonvolatile rodenticides in tamper resistant bait stations in areas inaccessible to children
- Silica gels and other non-volatile ready-to-use pastes, foams, and gels in areas inaccessible to children
- Boric acid and disodium octaborate tetrahydrate
- The application of EPA designated biopesticides
- The application of EPA designated exempt materials under 40CFR152.25

- The use of aerosol products with a directed spray in container of 18 fluid ounces or less when used to protect individuals from an imminent threat from stinging and biting insects including venomous spiders, bees, wasps and hornets
- In the event of an emergency application necessary to protect against imminent threat to human health, a good faith effort will be made to supply written notification to those on the 48-hour prior notification list.

For any questions or further information, please contact Kevin Parrott, Director of Facilities at 518-668-5452, ext. 1219. There is also information posted on the "Building and Grounds" department page at www.lkgeorge.org.

ANNUAL NOTIFICATION

Availability of the District Asbestos Management Plan

The Lake George Central School District has submitted information regarding asbestos containing building materials in the school district to the New York State Education Department. This information is documented in the school district's Asbestos Management Plan, which is in compliance with the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) of 1987 (40 CFR Part 763). This memorandum is intended to fulfill the annual notification requirements. Under the AHERA Regulation the school district is required to perform reinspections on all facilities which contain asbestos-containing construction materials once every three years. Documentation related to the re-inspection is available in the Asbestos Management Plan. The AHERA regulations further require that periodic surveillances of the same asbestos containing materials be performed twice a year. These inspections have been, and continue to be, performed and records of the surveillances are also with the Asbestos Management Plan. The Asbestos Management Plan for Lake George Central School is available to the public for review during the following time period. Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

For more information, please contact the School Business Manager at 518-668-5455.



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