



Lewistown Elementary School

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Dates to Remember

- February 6 – Home and School meeting at 6:30 PM
- February 13 – Classroom Valentine's Day Parties
- February 14 – Act 80 Day - No school for students.
- February 17 – President's Day - No school for students. Designated Make-up day #2.
- February 18/19 – Play preview for LES students
- February 21-23 – Mary Poppins at MCHS – check website for more information
- Book Bingo – February 25-27th
6:00 -7:30 PM – Brooklyn Fire House
- March 13 – Act 80 Day - No school for students.
- March 16 – No school for students. Designated Make-up day #3
- April 3 – 3rd Grade trip to Shaver's Creek
- April 8 – 3rd Grade trip to Shaver's Creek



BOOK BINGO!

It is time for LES's Annual Book Bingo! It is scheduled for February 25, 26, and 27th at the

Brooklyn Fire House from 6:00-7:30 PM. It is a fun-filled event for the ENTIRE family. There will be free food and door prizes. The whole family will be playing real bingo to win new books. Please return your RSVP by Friday, February 7th. We look forward to seeing you there! Bring your daubers/highlighters to mark your bingo card.



Valentine's Day Parties

Classroom parties will be held on Thursday, February 13, 2020. Teachers will be sending more information home with your child.

Home and School News

Next meeting is **February 6th** at 6:30 pm in the library. Join them to see how you can be involved and help our students at LES. They will be sending home a **Gardner's Candy Fundraiser** this month. The sale will run from Feb. 13 – Feb. 27. The fundraiser helps pay for field trips, yearbooks, field day, and more! Check out the information sheet for more details.

2020 PSSA Testing Dates

The Math and Reading PSSA tests will be given to the 3rd graders this year.

- The English Language Arts testing window is April 20 - 24.
- The Math testing window is April 27 - May 1.

It is important for students to be in school during this time. Please try **not** to schedule appointments or vacations during these dates.

- April 9 – Elementary Parent Conferences
- April 10 - Good Friday - No school for students
- April 13 – No School for students – Designated make-up day #4
- April 23 – Take Your Child to Work Day
- May 25 - Memorial Day - No school for students
- June 1 - Last Day of school for students K-7 dismiss at 12:15 pm

Important Information

Remember to update your Skylert information. It is critical that all emergency contact information is up to date. Please contact the office if phone numbers change.

All visitors must sign-in at the Main Office.

Special Reminder: All kindergarten students must have an adult at the bus stop to pick them up after school.

LES has a **FACEBOOK** page. Be sure to LIKE us on Facebook!

Students are able to take up to 5 Educational Trip days per school year. Be sure to fill out the form and have it signed PRIOR to taking the educational trip. A report is due to the office within 3 days of returning from the trip

School Delays

If there is a school delay, breakfast will **not** be served. There is no time to do the turn-around between breakfast and lunch on days where there is a delay. The lunch times remain the same on a 2 hour delay. On a 3 hour delay, lunch times are adjusted.



PBIS Tier II Support

Our PBIS program has supports in place to assist our students who struggle in following the expectations.....Respectful,

Responsible, Ready, and Safe. We have a team of professionals who meet regularly to look at data concerning student behaviors. If a student is struggling, we make sure that student receives extra support. That support may be in the form of a Social Skills Group with Ms. Wagner, our school psychologist, Mrs. Rowe from Second Step, Ms. Frazier the MCSD social worker, or Mrs. Kauffman, our guidance counselor. Another support is called Check-in/Check-out. Mrs. Strausburg, Mr. Showers, Mrs. Miller, and Mrs. Garner run that program and work with individual students daily. Both programs have been highly successful with the students. Some students go through times when they struggle with coming to school. This would be more than, "I'm tired and don't want to go to school today." These students truly have some concern about leaving a parent or guardian. We can assist with that as well. While we do use data to drive our decisions about which students to include and what program to use, we also respect parent requests for assistance. If you believe your child would benefit from Tier II support, you can download the form on the LES website (located under Forms and Flyers) and send it to school with your child. You can also request the form from the office. However, if you prefer, you may reach out to Mrs. Esh, assistant principal, to discuss your concerns.



Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten registration is scheduled for **March 24, 25, and 26, 2020**. If you have a child who will be 5 years old on or before September 1, 2020, please mark these dates on your calendar. More information will be sent home closer to the time of registration.

LES Student Pick-up Procedures During the School Day

If you are picking up your child for an appointment or an early dismissal BEFORE the end of the regular school day, there are a few things that will be in place in order to ensure your child's safety.

- Office staff will be asking you to show your ID
- If someone other than the parent/guardian is picking up a child, they must be listed as an emergency contact in Skyward

If you have any questions or concerns about these procedures, please call us at 717-242-5823. We will be happy to help you. Also, if you need to add someone as an

for it to be considered a lawful absence.

Clearances: If you would like to volunteer in the school, you will need to have all clearances completed. Contact the school office if you have any questions.


emergency contact, please contact our secretaries. Keeping your child SAFE is one of our top priorities!



PAWSITIVE Acknowledgements at Home!

Please continue to give PAWS at home for *Respectful, Responsible, Ready and Safe* behavior!

Respectful Responsible Ready Safe


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