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Lamoni Elementary Newsletter

August 22-August 26, 2022

PRIDE

PLEDGE

P I will have
PERSEVERANCE

R I will have
RESPECT

I I will have
INTEGRITY

D I will have
DISCIPLINE

E I will have
ENTHUSIASM

August 22

Back to School Night 6-8pm

August 24

Fall Semester Begins for K-12

August 31

LEEP Preschool Begins

September 5

Labor Day- **NO SCHOOL**

September 8

Family Fun Night @ the Lamoni

Public Library

September 15

Preschool Dental Screenings

September 28

Picture Day

September 30

Professional Development -

NO SCHOOL

Specials Schedule Aug 24-26

Grades K-1

Wed-A

Thur-B

Fri-C

Grades 2-5

See Below

Mon, Aug 22	Tues, Aug 23	Wed, Aug 24	Thurs, Aug 25	Fri, Aug 26
No School	No School	Variety	Omelet Sausage Patty	Cinnamon Roll
No School	No School	Hamburger/ Cheeseburger Tater Tots	Stuffed Cheese Sticks	Corn Dog BBQ Beans



Specials Schedules

Elementary specials include PE, Art, Music and Library for Kindergarten and First Graders. We use a four day (A-D)schedule. See below for the schedule:

K-1 Specials	Grade	A Day	B Day	C Day	D Day
Mickelson	KG	Art	Library	PE	Music
Ranney	KG	PE	Music	Art	Library
McKillip	1	Library	PE	Music	Art
Rushing	1	Music	Art	Library	PE

2-5 grade students will use a five day specials schedule which includes Art, Library, PE, Music and Computers. See below for the schedule:

2-5 Specials	Grade	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
McMacken	2	Art	Library	PE	Music	Computers
Kacmarynski	3	Computers	Art	Library	PE	Music
Boswell	4	Music	Computers	Art	Library	PE
Pitt	5	PE	Music	Computers	Art	Library

*These schedules are subject to change

**Students are required to wear athletic shoes for PE (no cleats allowed)

Back to School Night on Monday, August 22nd

Lamoni Community Schools will be having a Back to School Night on Monday, August 22nd from 6-8pm. Families are invited to come tour their student's classroom, drop off school supplies and meet the teacher!

Visitors to School/Pick-up and Drop Off

Parents and guardians will NOT be allowed into the district past the Elementary and High School offices. **This includes pick-up and drop-off of the students even on the first day of school.** Staff will be available to assist your child to their classroom until they are comfortable walking their on their own.

Elementary begins at 8am and ends at 3:05pm. Elementary school drop-off and pick-up will occur **ONLY** on the west side of the playground on Elm Street. For the safety of the students, we ask that students not be dropped off prior to 7:30am unless they are registered for Before School Exploration Academy.

Fall Exploration Academy Begins August 24th!

Lamoni Community Schools will be offering a before and after school program again this school year for grades Kindergarten-4th grade. Before school is from 7-7:30am and after school program is from 3:05-5pm. Fall registration is available on lamonischools.org. Look for the Exploration Academy tab under More...

Exploration Academy will follow the 2022-23 School District Calendar and will close during the district's scheduled holidays and in the afternoons of Parent/Teacher Conferences. If at any time you need to adjust the registration for your child, please email kroberts@lamonischools.org with changes.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

Parent Pick Up Locations have changed! Parent pick up will be on the West Side of the school at the Middle School Doors. If arriving for pick up before 5:00, please message Karen Roberts on the Remind App. Invitations to Remind will be sent to registered students prior to the first day.

School Meals

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the USDA provided free meals to all school children the past two years. This program ended after the 2021-22 school year.

In order to receive meal assistance for the 2022-23 school year, a new Iowa Eligibility Free and Reduced Application will need to be filled out to see if you qualify. A new application must be completed each year. Applications will be available at the on-site registration on August 8th or they are available on the school website.

If you have any questions please send them to sjones@lamonischools.org.

Good Attendance Is Important!

Good school attendance gives your child enormous benefits and advantages: **they can develop close friendships, exceed academically, and not miss out on any educational or social experiences.** Overall, it develops good habits for life and shows they respect and value their education.

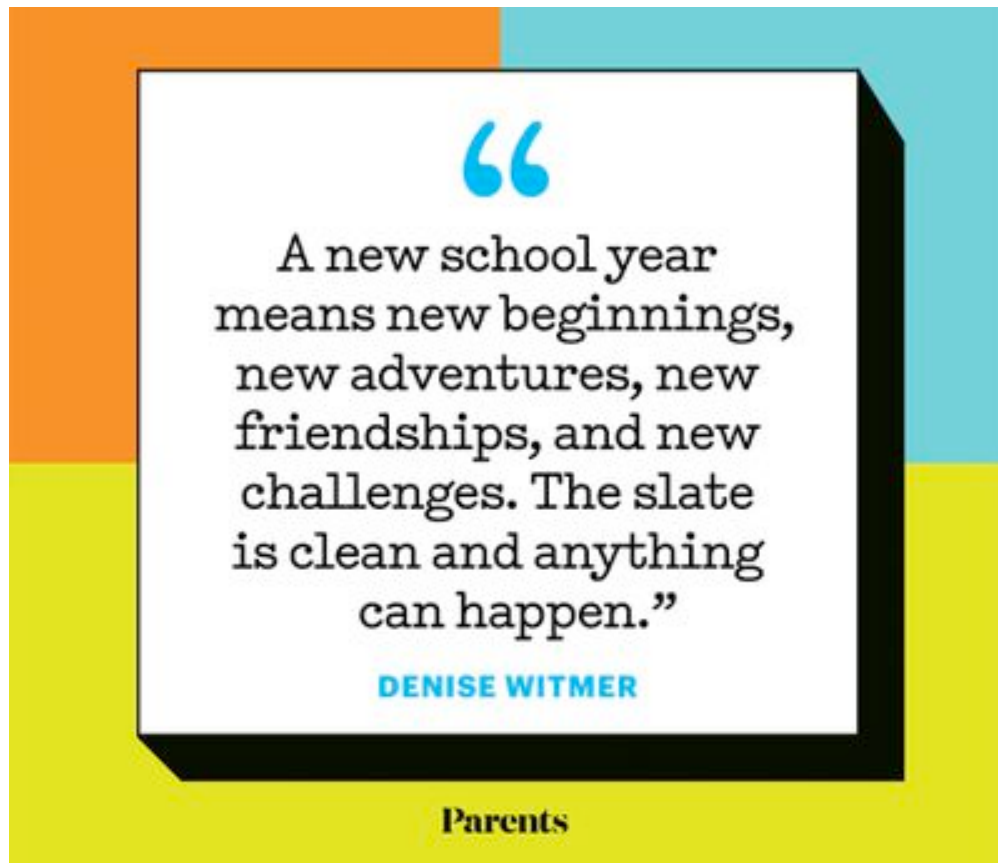
Attendance is mandatory for ALL grades, preschool thru t12th. Students are expected to be in their classrooms by 8:05am. Students arriving after 8:05 will be counted tardy. Please notify the school by calling the Elementary Office at 641-784-3422 or email jrowland@lamonischools.org if your student will be absent.

Change in Plans

For the safety of our students, we ask that parents solidify their student(s) after school plans for the week prior to the start of the week and try to keep them consistent. Changing plans frequently can lead to feelings of stress and confusion for students and adversely affect their learning experience. If you have an emergency and need to change your after school plans, please call prior to 2pm. Frequent changes in plans may be addressed by the principal. Our goal is to keep your children safe, so let us know if we can help you make a more consistent plan.

Family Fun Night Petting Zoo @ the Lamoni Public Library

The Lamoni Public Library will be hosting a Family Fun Night on September 8th from 4:30-6:30pm. Plan on attending and enjoying the fun! See attached flyer for more information.



FAMILY FUN NIGHT



@ the Lamoni Public Library
September 8th, 2022
4:30-6:30pm

