# Lamoni Elementary Newsletter March 29–April 2, 2021

March 29	AEA Hearing Rechecks
April 2	Preschool Round-Up
April 5	No School for students! (Professional Development Day)
April 7, 13, 20, 22	ISASP Testing

### Breakfast and Lunch Menu for March 29-April 2

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Monday, Mar 29	Tuesday, Mar 30	Wed, Mar 31	Thurs, Apr 1	Friday, Apr 2
Apple Churros	Egg Patty	Pancake/	Breakfast	Tornado
	Biscuit	Sausage Bites	Sandwich	
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Cheese Stuffed	Crispito	Chicken Noodles	Cold Ham &	Tater Tot
Breadstick	Corn	Mashed Potatoes	Cheese Sandwich	Casserole
Carrots		Roll	Chips	Green Beans
Peach Cobbler				

### Specials Schedule for Mar 29-Apr 2

Monday-B; Tuesday–C; Wednesday-D; Thursday-A; Friday-B

COVID-19 REMINDER: If a student tests positive for Covid-19 or is in close contact to someone that has tested positive, please contact the school nurse, Donna Binning, @ 784-3422. This is extremely important to maintain the health and safety of our students and staff. THANK YOU!

### Easter Bunny Parade Saturday, April 3rd 10:00AM

PINU and the Lamoni Fire Department will be having an Easter Bunny Parade instead of an Easter Egg Hunt this year! See the attached flyer for more information.

## **ISASP** Testing

Lamoni Community Schools will be participating in Iowa Statewide Assessment of Student Progress (ISASP) tests on April 7th, 13th, 20th, and 22nd. These tests were developed by the University of Iowa and are aligned with the Iowa Core standards. Results of these tests provide a clear and accurate assessment of student learning outcomes. More information will be provided to parents and students as the dates approach.

### It's Preschool Round-up Time!

Preschool Round-up will be held on Friday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> from 9am to 2pm. Please see the attached flyer for more information!

### SWITCH Program for 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grades

Lamoni Elementary is partnering with Iowa State University to provide the SWITCH Program to 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students. The SWITCH Program encourages students, and their families and friends, to "switch what they Do, View and Chew" by focusing on physical activity, screen time, and nutrition. We will be starting Week 10, which is a "DO" week. Be sure and check with your student(s) and watch your email for more information.

### **School Food Pantry**

If your family is in need of food the school food pantry will be open by appointment. Call (641)784-3351 during school hours or email <u>aarchibeque@lamonischools.org</u> to set up an appointment.

### **Dress For the Weather!**

Please make sure your child wears a season appropriate coat, hat and mittens/gloves to school every day! Students will be expected to go outside for recess unless the "feels like" temperature is less than 15 degrees.

### **Unexpected Dismissal Plans**

It is important to have plans in place for your child for unexpected early dismissals. Please take the opportunity to discuss these plans with your child to be prepared when situations occur. The school will **NOT** be calling parents to notify them of unexpected early dismissals. Parents can listen to the radio, watch for announcements on TV, or check the school website. Parents with emails on JMC will receive an email notification or text message when school is dismissed early.

### **Face Coverings**

Facemasks will be required when social distancing cannot occur or around individuals with compromised health concerns. It is the recommendation of the Lamoni Community School District, in accordance with other governing bodies, that because facemasks can play a substantial role in mitigating the contraction and spread of COVID-19 (if properly worn, maintained and cleaned), in order to provide the maximum amount of safety and security, their use is recommended while at school.

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### My Student Assistance Program (SAP)

If you, or your family, are struggling to deal with life's challenges, a Student Assistance Program (SAP) is available for you to call. You can count on your SAP for guidance, support and to develop helpful strategies. See attached flyer for more information.



# EASTER BUNNY PARADE

APRIL 3, 2020 STARTING AT 10 AM--LAMONI

We won't be able to host our annual Easter Egg Hunt, but we still wanted to help the town celebrate and our wonderful fire department and the Easter Bunny are willing to help out!

> The fire truck will be driving the Easter Bunny down Main Street, so the kids can come wave to him!

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING EVERYONE!

It's Round-up Time!!! Lamoni Community Schools is holding

Preschool Round-up.

If your child will be 4 by September 15<sup>th</sup>, they may be enrolled in Preschool.

When: Friday, April 2nd Where: Lamoni Elementary School Please call the school at **784-3422** for more information or to make an appointment \*Children are welcome to attend, but not required.

> Please bring the following: -Child's Birth Certificate -Child's Social Security Card -Child's Immunization Records -Proof of Address (Piece of mail with your address) -Income Verification (12 Months of Paystubs or Federal Tax Return)

If your child will be 5 by September 15<sup>th</sup>, they may attend Kindergarten. If they do not currently attend LEEP Preschool, please call the school for further information about enrolling your child in Kindergarten.



# My Student Assistance Program (SAP)

### What is a Student Assistance Program (SAP)?

An SAP is here for you when you and your immediate family members are dealing with life's challenges.

You can count on your SAP for guidance and support when it comes to assessing your concerns and developing strategies for addressing any of the following:

- School-life balance
- Family or relationship issues
- Emotional issues
- Alcohol and drug-related issues
- Other issues that interfere with your daily living, happiness, and overall well-being

### CONFIDENTIAL

**NO COST** 

### 24/7 ACCESS

### What Does My SAP Provide?

### **TELEPHONE CONSULTS**

- Phone lines open **24/7/365**
- Phones answered by a masters-level clinician
- Make as many calls as needed (**no limit**)

### VIRTUAL COUNSELING

- Receive up to three (3) FREE
  virtual counseling
- sessionsAfter 3 sessions, referral
- options may be provided

### How Do I Use My SAP?

lt's easy. It's free. It's confidential.

### Call 800.327.4692

Together, we will identify steps you can take to resolve whatever challenge life is throwing your way. We're here to help!

www.efr.org/sap

