

Lapeer Community High School

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SCHOOL CALENDAR

March 11

- Final Exams (Full day with two exams)

March 12 & 13

- Final Exams/Early Dismissal

March 14

- Records Day - NO SCHOOL

April 5-13

- Spring Recess - NO SCHOOL

April 18

- Good Friday - NO SCHOOL

April 21

- Easter Monday - NO SCHOOL

April 30

- 2 Hour-Delayed Start

May 2

- Prom-Davison Country Club
6-10pm

May 24

- LAST DAY FOR SENIORS
- Senior Luncheon - 11 am

May 26

- Memorial Holiday
- NO SCHOOL

June 5

- Graduation Rehearsal
- Lapeer East Auditorium
MANDATORY - TIME TBD
- Swing Out, 5:30 pm
Downtown Lapeer

June 6

- LCHS Graduation Ceremony
Lapeer East Auditorium
6:30pm

June 11

- Final Exams
(Full day with two exams)

June 12 & 13

- Final Exams/Early Dismissal

June 13*

- Last Day for students

June 16*

- Last day for teachers

*unless make up days are required

Mission Statement

Lapeer Community High School will provide students with a safe, alternative learning environment in which they can develop and demonstrate the social, academic and career skills necessary to be lifelong learners and responsible citizens in a global society.

Dress Code Reminder

As the weather warms up, please remember that the dress codes is in effect to provide an educational environment designed to motivate, teach and encourage students to attain the highest levels of proficiency in all areas. Students are expected to dress appropriately and in a way that reflects personal and school pride.

Strapless garments, swim suit tops, tank top, spaghetti straps and halter tops are unacceptable. Additionally, shorts must be a minimum of four inches from the inseam. If you wear clothing inappropriate for the educational environment, you will be required to call home for a change of clothing.



Congratulations T1 Graduates!

Trimester One

- Eric Beyer
- Matthew Downey
- Morgan Houser
- Michael Stevenson

We wish these graduates success in their future endeavors and look forward to crossing paths with them again during commencement activities in June!

LCHS Prom

Prom will be held on FRIDAY, May 2, 2013, at the Davison Country Club from 6pm to 10pm. A theme will be voted on before spring break. Tickets go on sale Monday, April 14th and are priced at \$45.00 per couple/\$25 per single. After April 29th, ticket prices increase to \$55.00 per couple and \$30.00 per single.

Prom is only open to **sophomores, juniors and seniors**. Outside guests, 20 years old and younger are welcomed, but need to obtain a guest pass from the office. Formal attire is required.





A WARM WELCOME TO OUR NEW STUDENTS!

- Alex Baugh
- Michael Bentley
- Tyler Boyd
- Derek Fansler
- Alexandria Frontero
- Monique Frey
- Gross Travis
- Andrew Lockwood
- Leah MacNaughton
- Skylar Russell



LCHS COUGAR WEAR

Last call for Cougar Wear!
Order forms are available
in the office. Checks need
to be made to Lapeer
Community High School.
**DEADLINE IS THURSDAY,
MARCH 13!!!!**

Graduation Information

Thursday, May 23 Senior Exams; 4th, 5th & 6th hour exams-full day (Ed-Tech seniors' last day)

Friday, May 24 Senior Exams: 1st, 2nd & 3rd hour exams
Senior's Last Day (No Ed-Tech for seniors)

MANDATORY Senior Meeting @ 10:00am (Cafeteria)
Caps & Gowns given out & updates on events.

- ✓ Group Pictures and Cap & Gown pictures @ 10:30am
- ✓ Senior Luncheon @ 11:00am

Thursday, June 5 Graduation Rehearsal TIME TBD @ Lapeer East Auditorium (*Do not wear your caps/gowns*)
✓ Graduation rehearsal is **MANDATORY** for all students who are participating in commencement. We will begin promptly at 2:00pm! Please make arrangements ahead of time with your employer, family, etc. to attend this rehearsal.

Swingout - Downtown 6:00pm

- ✓ Meet at the old train depot (east side of town by the park) students arrive at 5:30pm
- ✓ WEAR YOUR CAP & GOWNS!!!!!!!!!!!!
- ✓ Dress casual, clean & modest.

Friday, June 6 Graduation 6:30pm
(Arrive at Lapeer East Auditorium @ 5:45 for line-up—see Mrs. McKee.)
✓ Wear clean dress clothes and shoes. Please do not wear tennis shoes or jeans
✓ **WEAR YOUR CAP AND GOWN**



LCS to become only district in Michigan to offer innovative new diploma program from College Board™

Starting this fall, students in Lapeer Community Schools (LCS) will have the opportunity to take part in an innovative new diploma program from CollegeBoard aimed at preparing them for success after high school. LCS is one of only 100 school districts in the country, and the only one in Michigan, to offer the Advanced Placement (AP) Capstone program to high school students.

The Capstone curriculum was developed in order to help students hone critical-thinking, problem-solving and collaborative skills in preparation for college rigor. It was a response to a call from many of the nation's top universities to provide high school students with a framework for advanced courses by utilizing college-level research methods.



"(Through this program) you get students turned on to higher education in a way they are not currently," said Susan Roth, Vice Provost for Interdisciplinary Studies at Duke University. "They enter university with a different kind of attitude."

The curriculum consists of two courses, AP Seminar and AP Research. Throughout the program, students are instructed to solve real-world problems using cross-curricular means, and then to defend their methodologies and solutions in front of their peers. Prior to the arrival of Capstone, LCS already offered more AP courses than all the other school districts in Lapeer County combined. LCS is also the home of the AP Summer Institute, where teachers from across the country are trained to teach advanced courses.

"This program offering only reaffirms what our students and parents already know about LCS; we are the District of Choices," Wandrie said. "If you're looking for more choice, more challenge, this is the place to be."

For more information, visit LapeerSchools.org.