
Loudonville-Perrysville
Exempted Village
School District

**Educational Learning
Guide**

2021-2022



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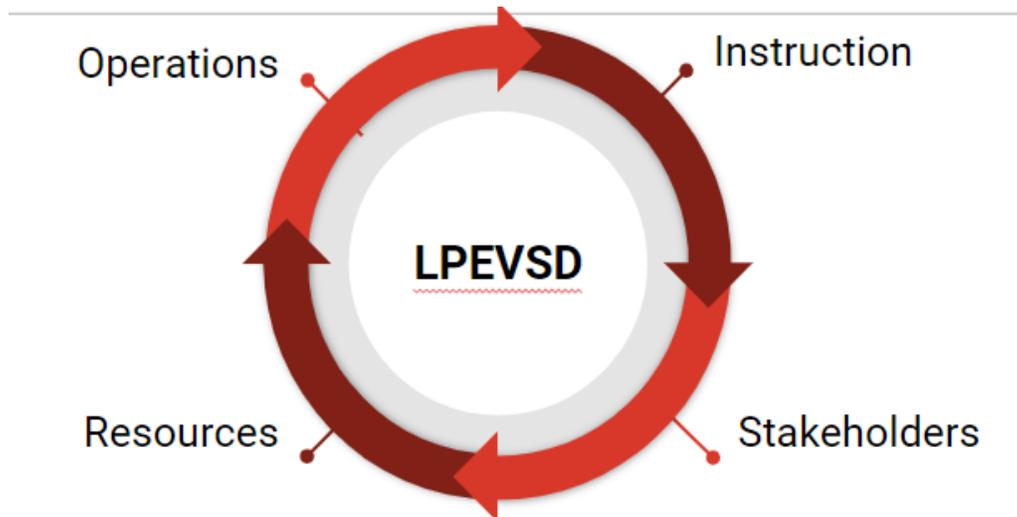
District Information Overview

- Please refer to the district calendar for specific information regarding school days, breaks, parent teacher conferences, late starts/ early releases, and other important information.
- The district has updated the following information as pending legislative changes indicate school districts will be permitted to provide blended learning or remote learning opportunities in much the same manner as was done during the 2020-2021 school year. At the start of the 2021-2022 school year, school districts were not permitted to do so. As of Dec 1, 2021 communication from the Ohio Department of Education indicates this going to become an allowable form of instruction for students in Ohio.

Loudonville Perrysville District Calendar 2021-2022

<p>Aug. 18th New Teacher Orientation Aug. 19th & 20th PD Aug. 23rd ALL Staff: Convocation/PD Open House Aug. 24th Students' 1st Day</p>	AUGUST '21	SEPTEMBER '21	<p>184 Teacher Days 176 Student days 5 PD Days 2 Teacher Comp Days 1 Teacher Work Day</p> <p>Sept. 6th No School - Labor Day</p>		
<p>Oct. 6th ALL Staff PD Oct. 7th-8th No School - Fair Days Oct. 15th Remote Day/Teacher PD NON Work day for classified Oct. 22nd 1st Report Period (40)</p>	OCTOBER '21	NOVEMBER '21	<p>Nov. 2nd P/T Conf - 3:30 - 7:30 Nov. 4th P/T Conf - 2:30 - 6:30 Nov. 5th No School - P/T Comp Day Nov. 24th - Nov 29th No School Thanksgiving Break Nov. 30th School Resumes</p>		
<p>Dec. 21st 2nd Report Period 7-12 ends (37) Dec. 22nd - Dec 31st No School Student Winter Break</p>	DECEMBER '21	JANUARY '22	<p>Jan. 3rd School Resumes Jan. 7th 2nd Report Period K-6 (42) Jan. 17th No School - M.L. King Day</p>		
<p>Feb. 21st No School - Presidents' Day</p>	FEBRUARY '22	MARCH '22	<p>Mar. 18th 3rd Report Period (48) for K-6; (53) for 7-12 Mar. 22nd P/T Conf - 3:30 - 7:30 Mar. 24th P/T Conf - 2:30 - 6:30 Mar. 25th No School - P/T Comp Day</p>		
<p>Apr. 11th - 14th No School Student Spring Break Apr. 15th No School - Good Friday Apr. 18th School Resumes</p>	APRIL '22	MAY '22	<p>May 26th Seniors' Last Day May 27th Graduation 7:00 pm May 30th No School - Memorial Day</p>		
<p>June 1st Last Student Day - (46) June 2nd ALL Staff PD June 3rd Teacher work day</p>	JUNE '22	<table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; border: none;"> LEGEND... <ul style="list-style-type: none"> First Report Period Second Report Period Third Report Period Fourth Report Period No School (holidays/breaks) </td> <td style="width: 50%; border: none;"> ...LEGEND <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PD (no school students) No School (conf. comp) P/T Conferences Teacher Work Day Remote Day </td> </tr> </table>		LEGEND... <ul style="list-style-type: none"> First Report Period Second Report Period Third Report Period Fourth Report Period No School (holidays/breaks) 	...LEGEND <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PD (no school students) No School (conf. comp) P/T Conferences Teacher Work Day Remote Day
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Components of Education at LPEVSD in 2021-2022



Educational Options

- **Traditional School**
 - In-person 5 days per week
 - All students automatically enrolled in this option
- **Remote Learning**
 - Completely online
 - Students will work online from home, meeting requirements, 5 days/ week
 - **Parents and students must notify building principals in writing *as soon as possible* stating their desire to participate in remote learning.**
- **Online Learning Curriculum**
 - In some cases, Redbird Academy may be utilized at the discretion of the district administrator
 - Parents and students must complete the enrollment form and meet with the Redbird Academy supervisor

Operations

Health and Safety

- Face coverings are highly recommended, however they are not required in school buildings.
- Face coverings *are required on all school district transportation.*
- Physical distancing will be attempted as feasible, and is based upon the recommendations from the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) and the Centers for Disease Control (CDC).
- Water fountains will be disabled and water bottle filling stations will be utilized. Students should bring a water bottle with a removable drinking spout with them daily.

Technology

- All students (1st-12th grades) will have access to a laptop while at school. In the event the district must transition to all remote learning for everyone, all students (grades 1-12) will be issued a laptop to be used at home.
- The district is working to streamline the online process by utilizing Google Suite applications for the online/remote classroom platform.

Maintenance and Sanitizing

- Classrooms, restrooms, cafeterias, and other spaces in the buildings will be cleaned and sanitized on a frequent and regular basis.
- Hand sanitizer will be available in all classrooms and cafeterias and time will be given throughout the day for hand washing.

Transportation

- Physical distancing on the buses will take place as possible. Riders that live in the same household will sit together. Some students may be assigned with someone not in their household.
- All students riding the school bus are required to wear a face covering.
- Students will be required to sit in assigned seats.
- Students are expected to follow all transportation rules and regulations as stated in the transportation handbook. The handbook can be found on the district website.

Food Service

- Cafeterias will be disinfected and sanitized on a frequent basis.
- Food items will be served by cafeteria staff; no self-service food items will be available.

Additional Operational Topics

Visitor Policy

- Visitors and volunteers will be permitted in buildings as needed. Service personnel (counselors, therapists, probation officers, etc.) are considered school personnel and will be permitted on grounds with proper identification and/or credentials, and must comply with personnel guidelines.

Events/Assemblies/Field Trips

- All field trips and assemblies are permitted at this time.

Student Supplies

- Students are permitted to share supplies. Families who decide it is best for their child to only use their specific supplies should contact the teacher and provide individual supplies as needed.
- If any family hardships arise due to the increased costs for supplies, please contact your child's building for more information regarding assistance.

Recess

- Students may opt to wear face coverings, but they are not required to be worn during outdoor recess.
- All attempts will be made to maintain physical distancing.
- Students will be allowed to play on established equipment.

Athletics and Extracurricular Activities and Events

- Athletics are under the guidance of OHSAA. The Athletic Director will communicate and implement policies enacted for sports practices and games.
- Extra- and Co-curricular programs will be considered on a case-by-case basis; likewise, the same daily protocols related to group size, distancing, health/safety, supplies/equipment, food, facilities, and transportation will be followed.

Instruction

Educational Options

- **Traditional School**
 - In-person 5 days per week
 - All students automatically enrolled in this option

*Staff members are required to take their own temperature at their designated building location before reporting to their classroom.

- **Remote Learning**
 - Completely online
 - Students will work online from home, meeting requirements, 5 days/ week
 - **Parents and students must notify building principals in writing *as soon as possible* stating their desire to participate in remote learning.**
- **Online Learning Curriculum**
 - In some cases, Redbird Academy may be utilized at the discretion of the district administrator
 - Parents and students must complete the enrollment form and meet with the Redbird Academy coordinator.

Traditional School Expectations

- Families are expected to monitor student health and well being. Students who are sick are expected to stay home. Students must be symptom free for 24 hours, without medication, to return to school.
- Per health department guidelines, if a student's temperature exceeds 100 degrees or the student is exhibiting COVID-19 symptoms, the student must be sent home. Parents must be available (or have an alternate contact and/or transportation) to transport the student home when needed. Contact information must be provided and up-to-date.

Remote Learning Expectations

- Remote learning students will be issued a laptop.
- Teachers will follow remote learning guidelines as it relates to the number of minutes for learning and class structure.
- Students who opt for remote learning will be expected to complete the grade level curriculum and all assignments that are a part of the learning process.

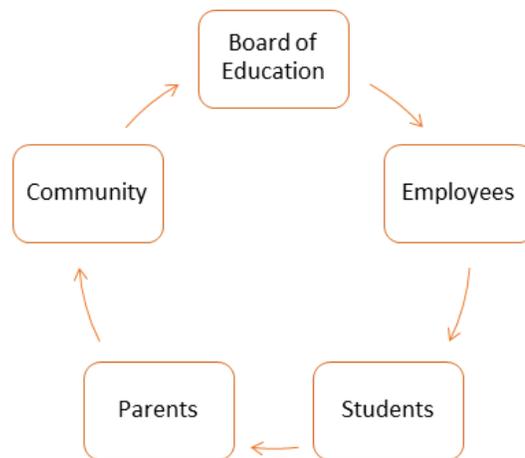
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- Students will be subject to grading as it exists in a live classroom/traditional setting.
 - Student promotion will be dependent on work completion, online time, and work accuracy.
 - Parent/student contracts must be signed and complied with to remain remote, or the student will be considered truant. If a student is not meeting the expectations of remote learning, they will be returned to traditional school and the remote learning option will be unavailable.
 - A parent orientation must be attended in order to participate in this program.
 - A student who is eligible for special education services or mental health supports will receive them remotely during typical school hours. Service plan meetings will be held remotely.
 - Parent/student agree to remote learning for a semester at a time (unless otherwise approved by the Superintendent).
 - For remote learning, the teacher will be contacted via classroom phone, messaging applications, and email.
 - If the student or parents have concerns or questions, they will first communicate with the teacher.

Remote Learning Expectations Continued

- Parent and student must have internet access to register for remote learning.
- In some cases, an online learning curriculum will be utilized for students, per district administration.
- Teachers will provide effective and timely feedback on assignments and projects.
- Teachers/staff will monitor student progress
- Traditional grading will be used for assignments, assessments, and projects.
- Google suites/apps will be utilized for remote learning.

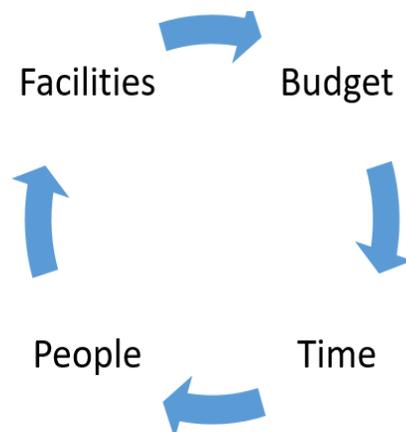
Stakeholders and Communication

LPEVSD will use multiple communication tools to inform all stakeholders listed below. The leadership will remain transparent to provide greater clarity when information is gathered and shared. These methods will include our Bloomz/Dojo communication app, district Facebook page, email messages, website updates, and teacher tools.



Resources

LPEVSD will continue to be fiscally responsible and manage the resources below to best meet the needs of the district. We recognize all items are critical resources for our learning community and all decisions will be considered greatly before being finalized.



Students

COVID Attendance Policy

- Whether a student is participating in traditional or remote learning, they are expected and required to adhere to district and state attendance policies and requirements.
- Students attending remotely will be counted in attendance by their completed assignments. Once a student has completed an assignment and returned it to the teacher, the student will receive attendance credit for the specific course or class for the number of days the assignment took to complete. Each teacher will be maintaining a record of attendance through returned assignments. If a student decides to only complete certain assignments for one or more courses, but not the other courses, the student shall be considered truant and treated as an unexcused absence.
- All attendance policies are in effect during this period.

Health Screening and Procedures

Daily Health Assessments and Temperature Checks

- Students presenting with symptoms or fever must be fever-free for 24 hours (without fever reducers or medication) before they are permitted to return to school.
- Ashland County Health Department will provide guidance for the district.

Family Expectations

- Students must be kept home if they have a fever over 100.4 degrees and/or are exhibiting any COVID-19 symptoms- cough or shortness of breath without any explanation, or fever.
- Parents are expected to keep medical contact information up-to-date and current in the event a student needs to go home.
- Parents must be available (or have alternate contact and/or transportation) to transport the student home when needed.

Positive COVID-19 Procedures

Diagnosed or Exposure to COVID-19

- Families and staff must notify the school if they have been exposed to COVID-19 and are quarantined, or if a family member has been diagnosed with or presumed to have COVID-19, and/or is being isolated.
- Personnel and students with known exposure to someone with diagnosed or presumed COVID-19 must follow the guidelines from the Ashland County Health Department.
- Ashland County Health Department will provide guidance for the district.

Health Department Notification

- Communication is to happen with the district point of contact and the communicable disease nurses at the health department. The health department will follow its own set of guidelines and protocol for notifying families, the school, and conduct any contact tracing.
- During a public health emergency, the “Health or Safety Exception” to FERPA regulations applies. Notification that individuals are absent due to COVID-19 may be made, but personally identifiable information will **NOT** be disclosed to other parents, unless it is advised as appropriate by health or law enforcement officials in order to take appropriate precautions or other actions to ensure the health or safety of others. Personally identifiable information may be disclosed to the Health Department and Emergency personnel.

****Should an individual building/buildings need to be closed due to an outbreak, staff shortage, or changes in requirements from the Governor, the district reserves the right to modify, change, and/or alter the plan at any time. Changes will be communicated through communication mediums listed previously.***