



Message from the Superintendent—Mr. James A. Kraky



"Learn from the past, set vivid, detailed goals for the future, and live in the one moment of time over which you have any control: now." ~ Denis Waitley

The above quote keeps in context the direction for our District as we continue to strive to be an outstanding educational institution. We continue to work together to set rigorous common goals in the best interest of our students and community. Our ongoing improvements and successes exhibit the importance of setting goals and action plans toward continued improvement.

As we accelerate our "flywheel" with the help of all constituencies, we continue to refocus our priorities. We have agreed on four main goals for the District:

1. Drug and Alcohol Awareness – We are focusing on K-12 curriculum revisions and additional programs regarding: character development, awareness/avoidance issues/programs, and District policy and supplemental programs realignment. This is also a community-wide initiative.
2. Financial – Look for additional revenue opportunities, review how to do things more efficiently, assess what items are not as necessary in frugal times, and manpower needs.
3. Academic Improvement – PSSA and academic program improvement through data-analysis, best practices in quality teaching instruction through "Learning Walks" initiative, and realignment of teacher evaluation process with State proposals.
4. Staff Support – Establish better collaboration through a Superintendent Advisory Council, continued highly pertinent professional development, and technology growth.

We will address these goal areas using the three key points that work together to foster positive change, according to Dan Bobenski of "Creating Passion Driven Teams". (Focus, Expectations, and Attentive Density).

Focus- That which you focus on improves.

Expectations- We see what we expect to see. You tend to look for and see what you expect to see.

Attention Diversity- The amount of attention given to a particular mental experience over a specific time. (ex. The better organized our professional development is, the greater positive impact it will have).

But, all the goals, actions plans, and clever initiatives only work to improve our student's education if we have "buy-in" from all constituencies. We have an excellent staff throughout this Lehigh Area School District. Working together we can continue to hone our programs and improve. Our staff has been very cooperative with all of our significant changes over the past few years. Together, we can keep LASD the outstanding education program of Carbon County. Have a great school year!

"Perseverance is not a long race; its many short races one after another." ~Walter Elliot

Curriculum & Instruction—Mr. Jonathan Cleaver, Coordinator of Curriculum

It is hard to believe that another summer has come and gone for the LASD Community. I am always impressed with the amount of teachers that come in over the summer for trainings and to work on their classrooms and/or curriculum.

We have been reviewing our technology programs and the district is excited to announce that we will have the STAR Program available for our students in grades K-4. In schools across the country, STAR assessments have long been the #1 choice of educators when it comes to measuring overall student achievement. Now with the all-new STAR Enterprise, we will have access to data for standards benchmarking, screening, progress monitoring, skills reporting, and instructional planning—everything we will need to improve instruction and student achievement.

The elementary level has had a lot success with the Compass Learning Program for grades K-4. We have increased the availability of this program to include grades 5 and 6. The Compass Learning Program includes lessons and activities that are based on current and confirmed research about the way today's students think and learn. The information the teachers collect from the activities will help drive data-based decision making that will meet the needs of the individual students.

PowerSchool improvements have been finalized and I would to thank the students, parents and staff for their patience and understanding as we went through the process of upgrading to the newest version (7.0). You will notice that the screen set-up has changed, however the menu items have stayed the same. We have had a lot of positive comments about how this version is more "user friendly" and easier to navigate. If you have any questions regarding PowerSchool please contact your student's guidance office.

We look forward to another successful year and working with the Lehighton community. If you have any questions, please contact the Curriculum Office at 610-377-4490.

Immunization News

The state has issued new guidelines for immunizations that your child must have in order to attend school:

Your child still needs: **Varivax (Chicken pox) - Grades K through 12**
 Menactra - if entering Grade 7
 Adacel - if entering Grade 7

State law has directed schools to obtain this proof before the start of the 2011-2012 school year. Our goal is to insure a smooth start to your child's school year. Therefore, your prompt attention to this matter is appreciated.

Please contact your family doctor immediately to schedule an appointment to obtain the necessary information. Then send proof of immunizations to your child's school nurse. If your child does not have health insurance, please contact the Pennsylvania Department of Health for information on obtaining these immunizations. The number is 570-325-6106.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions, you can contact the school nurse at your child's school.

Special Services Department—Mr. Shaun McElmoyle, Supervisor

Child Find Notice for Special Education

Is your child having difficulty in school? Do you think your child may have special needs? Might your child qualify for special education services?

A comprehensive psycho-educational evaluation may help answer your questions. Does your child have a disability? Is he or she in need of specially designed instruction? If you believe that your child is in need of a special education program, an evaluation process to assess your child's educational profile is available to you at no cost through Lehigh Area School District. A special education program often involves adapting materials and modifying instruction to better meet your child's specific learning needs.

In order to request an evaluation, you will need to put your request in writing and address it to the building principal of your child's school. If you request these services, you may be asked to meet with the student support team in your child's school (or the school your child would attend in Lehigh) to discuss your concerns. You may be asked to consider early intervention services prior to conducting a full evaluation.

An evaluation cannot be scheduled until you have signed a written notice indicating that you give your consent to proposed assessments and procedures. When you return the notice to school, the formal evaluation will begin. Your child will be evaluated by a team of experts trained in assessing children. A school psychologist will coordinate the educational team assembled for your child. Depending on the necessary components of the proposed evaluation, the district may contract with the Carbon Lehigh Intermediate Unit 21 for specific services. You will be a member of your child's evaluation team as well. The team assembled for your child will ultimately decide if your child has a disability and, if so, whether specially designed instruction is in order.

After the formal evaluation has taken place and your child has been found to be eligible for special education services, an Individualized Education Plan (IEP) will be developed with your participation. The IEP will be based on your child's identified needs. The plan will also propose appropriate supports and services to meet those needs. If you wish to accept the proposed IEP, your child will receive those services within a public school setting.

If you are interested in finding out more about the special education process, please contact your child's building principal. You may also contact Lehigh's Supervisor of Special Services, Shaun P. McElmoyle or Assistant Supervisor of Special Services, Sandra Michalik at 610-377-4490.

Business Administration News—Mr. J. Michael Malay

2011-12 School Bus Transportation

New school bus schedules for the 2011/12 school year will be printed in The Times News the week before school begins or you can use the LASD website at www.lehighton.org. Click *Bus Schedules* on the home page. If your address has changed over the summer, please contact George's Transportation by calling 610-377-5511. Remember that students should arrive at least 10 minutes prior to the bus stop pick up time. Students should NEVER use cell phones or headphones while loading or unloading from the bus. Please take the time to review these important safety issues with your children.

Mahoning & Shull David Elementary-Mr. Aaron Sebelin, Principal

It is a very exciting time as we approach the beginning of the 2011-2012 school year. On behalf of the staff of Shull-David and Mahoning Elementary Schools, I would like to welcome you "BACK TO SCHOOL!" We are excited to start a new adventure with your children, and it is only with your support and cooperation that your child/children will have a successful and prosperous school year.

School will begin on Monday, August 29 at 8:15 AM and dismiss at 3:10 PM. Your child's regular attendance and punctuality throughout the year is critical to academic success. It is important that the students understand the necessity of attending regularly to help them be successful in school and life.

At the start of this school year you may notice some changes to our staff. We wish Mrs. Haydt a relaxing retirement after over 30 years in our district. Shull-David will now house two Kindergarten classes. Mrs. Wentz will move from Kindergarten to second grade due to the student population. The first floor of Shull-David has been reconfigured to better meet the needs of our primary students. Kindergarten and first grade are now located in the same wing while second grade has moved to the other end of the building. Mrs. Swanson will be shared between Mahoning and East Penn Elementary Schools. She will continue working with Title 1 Math students. We know these changes will benefit our programs and look forward to new beginnings!

Our schools will continue many of the programs conducted in the past:

- ◆ Grade level family luncheons
- ◆ Student of the Month Lunch with the Principal
- ◆ Student of the Month Assemblies
- ◆ Intervention/Enrichment times
- ◆ Use of technology in classrooms
- ◆ Family events sponsored by the PTO
- ◆ School Wide Celebrations

We will also be working on the following initiatives:

- ◆ Math centers and other small group projects and activities during I/E
- ◆ Working in self contained classrooms
- ◆ Grade level and school-wide assemblies combating bullying and promoting anti-drug and alcohol decision making
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On September 6 (Mahoning) and September 13 (Shull-David), we will be conducting "Open House" from 6-8 P.M. This is a night that you can come in and meet your child's teacher and the staff that will be working with your child. Please save the date and make it a priority to attend this important event at your child's school.

On the first day of school your child will receive your Student-Parent School Handbook and a packet of information and forms. I urge you to read the handbook with your child, and please return the last page to school with your signatures on it. Please complete **ALL** forms and return them to the school office as soon as possible.

As always if you ever have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to contact me at 610-377-7880 (SD) or 570-386-4678 (MA). Have a wonderful year!



East Penn & Franklin Elementary—Mrs. Gretchen Laviolette, Principal

Once again we find ourselves at the start of another school year. Coming off of a fabulous 2010-2011 school year, the staff of Franklin Elementary School and East Penn Elementary School could not be more excited for a new year. Significant improvement was made on our PSSAs and that has us determined for more this year.

Throughout the year, you may hear a lot about the following initiatives:

- ◆ Grade level and school-wide assemblies combating bullying and promoting anti-drug and alcohol decision making
- ◆ Math centers and other small group projects and activities during I/E
- ◆ A revised behavior system to support and promote parental involvement

We will also be continuing other activities that have been a part of our schools:

- ◆ Friends Luncheons
- ◆ Student of the Month Luncheons
- ◆ Lunch Bunch in grades 3 and 4
- ◆ Use of technology in classrooms
- ◆ Fun-filled family events sponsored by the PTOs

While East Penn bids adieu to Mrs. Ebbert and wishes her well as she transfers to the Middle School, we welcome Mrs. Swanson who will be shared with Mahoning Elementary. Mrs. Swanson will be available two and one-half days per week to assist students as they learn math and we are so excited to have her joining us. We also want to congratulate ahead of time Mrs. Bruch who, along with her husband, is expecting her first child during the latter part of September and congratulations to Miss Frey who will marry in October and become Mrs. Lichtenwalner. Lastly, Franklin Elementary School proudly announces the recent marriage of Ms. Mary Zimmerman who will now go by Mrs. Barilla.

While we have had a few changes occur over the summer months and a few to take place in the near future, we are still the very dedicated, strong staff that we have been and we are continuing to grow from within. I could not be more excited to welcome your children to our buildings on August 29 and I hope that you share the excitement with me.

Elementary Happenings

Cyber-Bulling

In the month of September grades three and four of the Lehigh Area School District's Elementary students will have a presentation on Cyber-Bullying. Karen Lindsay, Coordinator Victim's Resource Program will present a 40 minute free presentation to each individual class of grades three and four.

Seat Belt Safety

Additionally, in the months of September and October, The Lehigh Area Elementary Schools will be participating in a free Seat Belt Safety Program. The kickoff for the Seat Belt Program will begin with a brief presentation at the "Meet the Teacher Nights," in September by Carol Alonge, Coordinator of the Community Traffic Safety Program of the North Central Highway Safety Network.

During the month of October, Carol Alonge will be presenting the program, along with assistance from our local police departments, in all four of our Elementary Schools. "The Back Is Where It's At," is a forty minute interactive program.

Middle School News—Dr. McGalla, Principal

Tribe Pride Program

Leighton Area Middle School is embarking on a new program to focus on all the positive behaviors that are occurring each day in our school. When students meet certain requirements they receive stickers. Students will receive stickers for excellent attendance, being prepared for class, participation in Red Ribbon week, being a B.O.S.S. recipient, and many more. These stickers are stored in their student-planners. When a student reaches a certain number of stickers students will be recognized through a variety of activities. Some examples are listed below:

- ◆ Eating lunch in the environmental center
- ◆ Utilizing the gymnasium after lunch
- ◆ Receiving a bracelet that reads “Tribe Pride”
- ◆ Earning a Rita’s luncheon at the end of the semester or year
- ◆ Obtaining shirts that reads “Tribe Pride”

“WATCH YOUR
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THEY BECOME
WORDS...”

Leighton Area Middle School believes it is important if not more important to focus on catching our students doing something right and recognizing those behaviors and decisions. Unfortunately, our society tends to focus on more of the negative actions. We are going to focus on the positive choices students make and celebrate all those little decisions that shape and mold the character of our students.

The anonymous quotation below captures the essence of how important the “little” things are.

**“Watch your thoughts, for they become words.
Watch your words, for they become actions.
Watch your actions, for they become habits.
Watch your habits, for they become character.
Watch your character, for it becomes your destiny.”**

This program is a continuation of the Positive Behavior Intervention and Support (P.B.I.S.) program that was started district wide last year.

Additionally, we have included a new enclosure in the student-planner’s from the book, Sean Covey’s 7 Habits of Highly Effective Teens. These are seven habits that students can develop to help them be successful throughout their daily lives and beyond. A different message will be delivered every month to students via school-wide announcements and administrators, guidance counselors, teachers and support staff will follow up with students regarding their goals. Also, guidance counselors will be meeting throughout the school year and will deliver lessons pertaining to Drugs and Alcohol. This will aid our students in relating goal setting and decision making to making wise choices regarding how to handle peer pressure. As a parent you are encouraged to and can review these inserts in the students planners with your students at any time. As always, a strong connection between the home and school promotes successful students academically and socially.

High School News -Mr. Tkach, Principal

Welcome Back

Another exciting school year is ready to begin at the high school. We are excited and looking forward to serving the students, parents, and guardians of our community. We will continue to provide a positive and caring atmosphere that is conducive and essential in making this a successful school year. Our commitment to you and the community is to continue making students and learning our top priority. All students can learn and we will do everything within our means to help all of our students achieve high levels of academic success.

We are a team and we need your help and support in order for this to be a successful and memorable experience for your child or children. Communication is an important factor in this equation. One of our goals is to see that the parents/guardian of students, like the students themselves, feel at home at Lehigh Area High School. To help accomplish this goal, we want to maintain and improve upon an open dialogue between the home and school. Our door is always open for positive suggestions that can improve our school, academics, or athletic programs. One final note, please take a few minutes each day out of your busy schedules and spend some time with your child or children; the payback will be very rewarding and satisfying. Good luck and best wishes for a great and enjoyable school year.

PSSA Test Scores

We are thrilled to announce that the High School has made great strides of progress in our PSSA test results for the 2010-2011 school year. The entire High School staff and students are to be congratulated on the tremendous job they did in improving student scores. Through hard work and dedication from both the staff and students we were able to make great improvements in both Reading and Math. They took their value of education and professionalism to the next level. We made AYP with meeting 12 targets out of 12. We met the performance target of 72% for Reading and the performance target of 67% in Math with the Confidence Interval.

Preliminary data returned from the state shows that 74.7% of our 11th grade students were proficient or advanced in Reading and 61.3% were proficient or advanced in Math. This was a 56.93% increase in Reading and a 33.84% increase in Math from the previous year. Also, we made significant progress with our two sub-groups of IEP and Economically Disadvantaged students. We are pleased with the significant gains made, but we will not be satisfied until we are off the list permanently. We would like to thank our school board, Mr. Kraky, Superintendent, Mrs. Gloria Bowman and Mr. Jonathan Cleaver, Directors of Curriculum and Instruction, and all of our central administrators for their help, guidance, and support. Again, we would like to thank the staff, students, and parents for their support, dedication, and encouragement. We have the best staff, students, and parents and their work is reflected in these test scores. Congratulations on a great job!

Drug & Alcohol Task Force

Last year our district experienced very difficult and trying times with some of our recent graduates dying from a drug overdose. These tragedies have led to some good and positive initiatives on behalf of the school district, parents, community, and local agencies. One key initiative has been the formation of A Drug & Alcohol Task Force. We have had 3 sessions to date and the meetings have been well attended and great dialogue has been happening between the three subgroups that have been created within this task force.

High School News

Drug & Alcohol Task Force (continued)

The three subcommittees that have been formed from the large group to address specific questions and concerns as well as find solutions are: 1) School District, 2) Community and Agencies, and 3) Parents. Our next meeting will be held Wednesday, September 14th @ 6:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium. All are welcome and please plan to attend and get involved within one of these subcommittees.

New Staff

We would like to welcome our new staff member, Mr. Kyle Spotts, Director of Student Services & Facility Planning. We know he will provide excellent guidance and leadership with all of our athletic and extra-curricular programs. He graduated from Tamaqua Area High School, Kutztown University, and obtained his Masters in Sports Management from East Stroudsburg University. He recently was working at Kutztown University, in the Athletic Program, prior to him coming to Lehighton.

Congratulations & Best Wishes

We extend our best wishes to Mr. Shawn Hindy as he left Lehighton Area School District to move onto Michigan State University and their field hockey program. We know continued success will follow him in all future endeavors. Good Luck Shawn!!

Technology News—Mr. Statham, I.T. Director

ALERTNOW

First, We would like to welcome our newest members, the class of 2024 and their parents, to the Lehighton Area School District. You are about to start a great journey. Those already on the journey know what an exciting challenge it is. We look forward to working with you all.

Keeping you informed is a top priority at Lehighton Area School District. One of our tools used is the ALERTNOW Notification Service which will allow us to send a telephone and/or e-mail message to you providing important information about school events or emergencies.

As most of you know, we have been using the system to notify you of school closings and delays, school events, and reminders. ALERTNOW can call every household in the district within 20 minutes. The district has seen over a 95% success rate in notifying district households.

What you need to know about receiving calls sent through ALERTNOW:

- Caller ID will display the school's main number when general announcement is delivered.
- Caller ID will display 411 if the message is a dire emergency.
- ALERTNOW will leave a message on any answering machine or voicemail.
- If the ALERTNOW message stops playing, press the 1 key on your keypad and the message will replay from the beginning.
- We update your telephone number via the school that your child attends. All you need do is keep your home telephone, emergency telephone, and e-mail updated with your child's school office and we will do the rest in getting that data into ALERTNOW.
- You can opt out of getting call/e-mails by requesting not to be called in writing to your child's school.

The successful delivery of information is dependent upon accurate contact information for each student, so please make certain that we have your most current phone numbers. If this information changes at any time, please notify the school immediately.

Athletics—Kyle Spotts, Director of Student Services

I want to start off by welcoming everyone back to school and to the beginning of a great year! I am extremely excited to begin my first year as Director of Student Services and Facilities Planning. My educational background includes a Bachelor's Degree in Sport Management from Kutztown University and a Master's Degree from East Stroudsburg University also in Sport Management. Participating in athletics was one of the highlights of my high school career and I want to provide each student-athlete with that same experience.

Many exciting games are ahead for our fall sports! Please join us and share in the INDIAN school spirit and support our teams. Our student-athletes and coaches work very hard to achieve success. Let's cheer them on! Remember always cheer for the Indians and never against the opposing team or officials! Go Indians!

August 25th **“Meet the Tribe” -6:30pm @ Football Stadium** - Introduction of all student-athletes and coaches participating in a Fall sports program, including a performance by the Indian Band and cheerleaders. Admission is free but we encourage you to bring canned goods that will be donated to a local church.

September 2nd First day of regular season competition for Fall sports and first football game @ Marian Catholic at 7:00pm.

Lehighton Athletics Website: <http://www.lehighton.org/athletics.cfm>

The Lehighton Athletics Website is your hub for all Lehighton Athletics Information. Team schedules are accessible off the main page of the athletics website.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions, concerns, or inquiries. My door is always open. I hope to see each one of you at a contest supporting our wonderful student-athletes and coaches. Good luck and have a great year!

Facilities Update—Mr. Joseph Hauser, Supervisor of Plant Operations

The start of the 2011-12 school year has come about quickly. The summer work crews and regular staff have worked very hard to restore our facilities with that fresh-look appearance. The Administration is proud to be associated with all the staff and we say **THANK YOU** for a job very well done, for our students, staff, and community.

Along with routine summer maintenance, the Lehighton Area School District has many capital projects that have been completed or are near completion: new fencing near the main entrance to the football stadium; drainage problems corrected at seating area at running track; paving repairs on the Shull David playground; repainting of lines on the running track; athletic achievement signs installed for baseball and field hockey; removal of batting cage at the high school; painting of softball dugouts; placed stone in parking area at the running track; air conditioning in the middle school library; converted faculty dining room in the high school to alternative education room; converted storage area in the middle school to additional educational space; and, additional computers installed in the middle school Family/Consumer Science area. Additional project that will extend into the 2011-12 school year is the installation of additional security cameras at the high school.

Safety and Environmental Information:

The district will be complying with the new EPA/DEP water testing regulations starting in 2012. The regulations are for facilities supplied by on-site well water. The facilities are Mahoning Elementary, East Penn Elementary, and the Field House.

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Facilities Update—continued

The **Asbestos Management Plan** and inspection reports are on file at the District Administration Building in office of the Supervisor of Plant Operations; as well as East Penn Elementary, Franklin Elementary, Mahoning Elementary, Shull-David Elementary and the Middle School Main Offices.

Potable Water test results and reports are in compliance with DEP regulations and are on file at the District Administration Building in the office of the Supervisor of Plant Operations.

Right to Know (Chemical Awareness) are annually updated. Information is located in the main office of each school facility and in the office of the Supervisor of Plant Operations.

Lead Based Paint Inspection Reports are on file at the District Administration Building in the office of the Supervisor of Plant Operations. The District is in accordance with 40CFR 745.225 EPA Lead Rule.

District-Wide Safety Committee-Safety is of the greatest importance to the District. For more information contact the Supervisor of Plant Operations.

Fire Protection Systems (Main Building Systems, kitchen exhaust hoods and fire extinguishers) are inspected annually.

Food Service Updates—Chartwells

Breakfast is Served!

The District is continuing its breakfast program for all grades in all buildings. The first day breakfast will be served is August 30, 2011. We offer a choice of cold cereal or a hot entree at each building. If you are rushed in the morning, your child can start the day with a nutritionally sound and tasty breakfast for a daily cost of \$1.25 at the Middle and High Schools and \$1.00 at our Elementary Schools.

If your household qualifies for the Free and Reduced Lunch Program, you also qualify for the Breakfast Program. The reduced cost for breakfast is \$.30 daily and, of course, free is free.

You may review the meals your child will receive at school by visiting the district website (www.lehighton.org). Click on *Schools*, choose your child's school, and click on *Menu*.

Let's not Forget Lunch!

Prices for the standard lunch for the 2011-2012 school year, \$2.10 at our Middle and High Schools and \$1.80 at our Elementary Schools. We work hard to reduce waste and find the most cost effective products. We continue to invest in technology and offer more food choices to enhance our Food Service Program. Our Food Service Manager, Maureen Gutstein at 610-377-6180 ext 2200 will be happy to discuss any questions you may have. Menus and a la carte items are selected to comply with State and Federal regulations and or district Nutrition Policy regarding nutrition and portion sizes. Each school lunch menu offers a variety of entrees, both hot and cold, plus a variety of sides from which your child may choose. Nutritional a la carte items are also offered to accompany lunch for an additional cost.

Point of Sale Program

Your child will have an account that you can manage. You have the option of placing money on account for the month or setting a daily allocation to ensure that your child will spend only a preset amount for lunch and breakfast. Your student must have enough money in his/her account to cover expenses.

Food Service—continued

New in PowerSchool Parent Access

You now have the ability to see your child's balance, just login to <https://lasd.powerschool.com> using the same username and password, then look to the left, click on BALANCE. Look under transactions you will find your child's balance.

Please note: Deposit could take up to 24 hours before they appear on your child's account.

If you have any questions on a deposit, please contact your child's school cafeteria:

Shull David—610-377-7880 ext. 5200

Mahoning—570-386-4678 ext. 7200

Franklin—610-377-6163 ext. 4200

East Penn—610-377-6094 ext. 6200

Middle School—610-377-6535 ext. 3200

High School—610-377-6180 ext. 2200

Free & Reduced Meal Program

Lehigh Area School District offers both breakfast and lunch to students who are eligible for the Free and Reduced Lunch Program.

Please refer to the Qualification Guidelines Chart. If your household income falls below the limits shown for your household size, your child is eligible to receive a free or reduced breakfast or lunch. The District's new Point of Sale system offers qualifying students a confidential way of receiving free and reduced meals. By applying for this program, you will help the school district to receive additional funding for certain programs that are important to the children of the district.

You may apply for free or reduced school meals online by going to the COMPASS (computer based sign-up system) website at www.compass.state.pa.us or you may request a *Household Meal Benefit Application* by calling our Food Service Office at 610-377-4490, Extension 1504. If you apply for free or reduced price school meals through COMPASS, you **do not** need to submit a paper application. If your situation changes during the school year, you may reapply for free or reduced status.

QUALIFICATION GUIDELINES

Household size	Federal Income Chart Year 2011-2012		
	Yearly	Monthly	Weekly
1	\$20,147	\$1,679	\$388
2	\$27,214	\$2,268	\$524
3	\$34,281	\$2,857	\$660
4	\$41,348	\$3,446	\$796
5	\$48,415	\$4,035	\$932
6	\$55,482	\$4,624	\$1,067
7	\$62,549	\$5,213	\$1,203
8	\$69,616	\$5,802	\$1,339
Each additional person	\$7,067	\$589	\$136

If you have questions about the Free and Reduced Lunch Program, do not hesitate to call the Food Service Department at 610-377-4490, ext. 1504.

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Franklin Elementary

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610-577-0067 (fax)

Mahoning Elementary

570-386-4678
610-577-1009 (fax)

Shull David Elementary

610-377-7880
610-377-0908 (fax)

Lehigh Middle School

610-377-6535
610-377-6503 (fax)

Lehigh High School

610-377-6180 (main office)
610-377-0303 (fax)
610-377-7600 (guidance)
610-377-1852 (fax)

School Hours:

Elem. 8:30 a.m.-3:10 p.m.
M.S. 7:45 a.m.-2:13 p.m.
H.S. 7:45 a.m.-2:18 p.m.
Adm. 7:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

George's Bus Transportation

610-377-5511

Important Dates

8/24, 25/11	-	Teacher In-Service Days—No School for Students
8/29/11	-	First Day of School for Students
9/5/11	-	Labor Day Holiday—No School
9/21/11	-	County-Wide Teacher In-Service Day—No School for Students
10/11/11	-	County-Wide Teacher In-Service Day—No School for Students
11/1/11	-	End of 1st Marking Period
11/18,21,22/11	-	Parent/Teacher Conference—Early Dismissal for Students
11/23/11	-	Early Dismissal for Thanksgiving Holiday
11/24,-28/11	-	Thanksgiving Holiday—No School
12/9/11	-	Early Dismissal for Students
12/23/11	-	Early Dismissal for Winter Holiday
12/26/11-1/2/12	-	Winter Holiday—No School
1/3/12	-	School Schedule Resumes
1/12,13/11	-	Act 80 Days (Tentative)—Early Dismissal for Students
1/13/12	-	End of 2nd Marking Period
1/16/12	-	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday—No School
1/24/12	-	No Vo-Tech
2/17,20/12	-	Presidents' Holiday—No School (2/17-Tentative Make-Up Day)

Administrators

James A. Kraky, Superintendent
J. Michael Malay, Business Administrator
Tina Holmes, Asst. Business Administrator
Jonathan J. Cleaver, Coordinator of Curriculum, Instruction and Grants
Shaun McElmoyle, Supervisor of Special Services
Sandra Michalik, Asst. Supervisor of Special Services
Joseph Hauser, Supervisor of Plant Operations
Timothy Tkach, High School Principal
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