



2026



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Greenwood Lake
Union Free School District

Phone: (845) 782-8678 - www.gwlufsd.org

Welcome Back Greenwood Lake Families!

Hello Greenwood Lake Community,

Welcome to the start of the 2026/2027 school year. We are excited to welcome students and families to another school year filled with opportunity, growth, and success. The start of school is a very exciting time for our students and families. Our top priorities are providing a safe, supportive, and distraction-free learning environment where students can focus on learning. We strive to provide faculty, staff, students, and community with the best possible educational experience while exercising smart, efficient fiscal responsibility. We will continue to review and evaluate District policies to ensure they are effective, current, and aligned with our mission and the needs of our students and school community. We will ensure that District resources continue to be used wisely and that we are providing the greatest possible value to our students and taxpayers. We are committed to open communication and working together with the community to foster collaboration to create the best possible school environment for our students. Please feel free to reach out with any questions or concerns you may have throughout the school year.

On behalf of the GWLUFSD Board of Education, we would like to thank the entire community for your continued support throughout the year.

Jon Thurber,
Board of Education President

Board of Education

Jonathan Thurber, *President*
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To contact the Board of Education:

email: boe@gwluksd.org -or-
Mary DePietro, District Clerk,
845-782-8678 x51100
mdepietro@gwluksd.org



Welcome to the 2026-2027 school year! Whether you are returning to Greenwood Lake or joining our Laker family for the first time, we are excited to begin another year of learning, growth, and opportunity. The start of a new school year always brings a sense of optimism and a chance to build upon the successes and lessons of the year before.

This past year reminded us of the strength and resilience of the Greenwood Lake community. Through challenges, celebrations, and everyday moments alike, our students, families, staff, and community continued to demonstrate an unwavering commitment to one another and to the success of our schools. As we look ahead, we remain focused on providing a safe, supportive, and engaging learning environment where every student can thrive. Thank you for your continued partnership and trust. Together, we look forward to another year of learning, achievement, and Laker Pride.

Sarah E. Hadden
Superintendent of Schools

#LakerPride

Do We Have Your Numbers?

Have you returned your emergency contact forms? It is important the district has the most up-to-date contact information for all families. If you have not returned your forms, please do so today! And, don't forget to update the school district if you have new contact information during the school year.

For physical address changes, please contact
Theresa Finn at 845-782-8678 x51103.

For all other contact information changes,
please contact **Stephanie Carrera (Gr. PreK - 3) x 53301**
or **Eileen Christiano (Gr. 4 - 8) x52301**

Message from the Greenwood Lake PTSA

We, the Greenwood Lake Parent Teachers Association, would like to welcome you to our school community. We look forward to working hard to positively impact the students of our GWLUFSD community and their families by supporting curriculum based assemblies, programs and events that enhance the experience of all our GWL students, families and the community. Please consider becoming a member. Your membership helps implement these various PTSA sponsored programs, events and assemblies which benefit all our students. With your support, we can accomplish these goals and help us make a difference. Join us on Facebook at Greenwood Lake PTSA or feel free to email us with any questions at gwlpsta@gmail.com.

PTSA Meeting schedule for the 2026-2027 school year:

All meetings are on Wednesdays at 7 pm held remotely via Zoom. The link to be provided on the PTSA Facebook page before each meeting.

**September 16, November 18, January 6, March 24,
April 28, June 9**

The 2026-2027 GWL PTSA board:

Jen Breslin
Jenny Hall
Kyle LaColla
Kelly Venechanos
Jamie Whytock

The PTSA can be reached by email at gwlpsta@gmail.com and Facebook at Greenwood Lake PTSA. We will do our best to get back to you within 24 hours.

District Office and School Administration

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Committee on Special Education

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Michael Gillespie
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How to Solve Problems & Concerns: When in Doubt, Check it Out with a Call!

It is important to follow this step-by-step guide in order to effectively and efficiently solve problems, answer questions, and/or make suggestions. The Board of Education Policy Manual calls for an orderly and systematic process to address issues following the chain of command. Please follow the chain of command for each type of issue as listed below:

Medical Issues (K-8)

Step 1 – Contact the School Nurse

Step 2 – Contact the Principal

Step 3 – Contact the Asst. Supt. of C & I/PPS

Step 4 – Contact the Superintendent of Schools

School Issues (K-8)

Step 1 – Contact the Teacher

Step 2 – Contact the Guidance Counselor

Step 3 – Contact the Principal

Step 4 – Contact the Asst. Supt. of C & I/PPS

Step 5 – Contact the Superintendent of Schools

Transportation Issues (General Level)

Step 1 – Contact the Transportation Supervisor

Step 2 – Contact the Superintendent of Schools

Transportation Issues (Student Issues)

Step 1 – Contact the Bus Driver

Step 2 – Contact the Transportation Supervisor
and/or Principal

Step 3 – Contact the Superintendent of Schools

Issues for Students with Disabilities/Special Needs

Step 1 – Contact the Teacher

Step 2 – Contact the Psychologist

Step 3 – Contact CPSE/CSE Chairperson

Step 4 – Contact the Asst. Supt. of C & I/PPS

Step 5 – Contact the Superintendent of Schools

Building Use Request/Issues

Step 1 – Contact the Director of Facilities

Step 2 – Contact the Superintendent of Schools

Curriculum and/or Instructional Issues

Step 1 – Contact the Teacher

Step 2 – Contact the Principal

Step 3 – Contact the Asst. Supt. of C & I/PPS

Step 4 – Contact the Superintendent of Schools

Budget Concerns

Step 1 – Contact the School Business Administrator

Step 2 – Contact the Superintendent of Schools

Athletics/Interscholastic Sport Concerns

Step 1 – Contact the Coach

Step 2 – Contact the Athletic Director

Step 3 – Contact the Superintendent of Schools

An appeal may be made to the Board of Education if a successful resolution of the issue has not occurred after following the appropriate chain of command (as listed). To do, please email boe@gwlufsd.org or contact the District Clerk 845-782-8678 x51100.

The appeal process will then be commenced and next steps communicated. Please note that while public comment is scheduled during regular monthly Board of Education business meetings, the Board cannot answer questions or respond. Also, public comment is limited to items on the agenda. Comments may not be made about any specific individuals, including staff and students.





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FOOD SERVICES

This year, all students at Greenwood Lake Elementary and Middle Schools can enjoy a delicious breakfast and lunch every day at no cost. Thanks to the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) under the National School Lunch Act, we're able to offer free meals to every student.

In addition to participating in CEP, we are also part of the NYS Universal Lunch Program, ensuring that all students have access to healthy meals. While the first breakfast and lunch each day are free, please note that additional entrees, a la carte items, snacks, and specialty drinks (such as chips, ice cream, juice, and extra portions) will have a small cost. Students can pay for these extras with cash or use their School Bucks account. Families are encouraged to apply for SNAP benefits to further support their household. You can apply through the NYS website at <https://www.ny.gov/services/apply-snap>. You do not need to fill out an application for your child to receive free breakfast and lunch. However, we do encourage families to complete and submit the Household Income Eligibility Form, available on the District's website. By completing this form, you help the District secure additional Federal and State funding, which brings even more benefits to our students and families.

FOOD SERVICES

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**School Food Service
Director**
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Food Services Staff:
Jennifer Lybolt, Cook
Antonina Amato
Jill Jackson
Traci Messick
Kelly Townsend-Pettiford



September 2026

AUGUST 2026

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OCTOBER 2026

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 <i>Superintendent's Conference Day</i> No School for Students	2 <i>Superintendent's Conference Day</i> No School for Students	3 <i>First Day of School!</i>	4 5:30-7:00 Back to School Bash, MS	5
6	7 <i>Labor Day</i> District Closed	8	9	10	11 Patriot Day Ceremony 8:30 Gr. 4-8 MS 9:30 Gr. PK-3 ES RED, WHITE & BLUE DAY	12
13	14 6:00 Board of Education Business Meeting, MS	15	16 6:00 Back to School Night, MS 7:00 PTSA Meeting via Zoom	17 6:00 Back to School Night, ES	18	19
20	21 <i>Yom Kippur</i> District Closed	22	23	24	25 GRANDPARENTS DAY, ES	26
27	28	29	30			

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STUDENT SERVICES

Pupil Personnel Services

The Committee on Preschool and School Age Special Education, English as a New Language services (ENL), health-related services, psychological services, speech and language services, occupational therapy, and physical therapy, are governed and coordinated through the PPS Office.

Special Education - General Objectives

- That every student who is the legal responsibility of Greenwood Lake Union Free School District will receive a free and appropriate education.
- Students are eligible to receive educational services until the completion of the school year of their 21st birthday or until the attainment of a local/regents diploma, whichever occurs earlier.
- That every disabled student will be educated in his/her least restrictive environment, and have access to the full range of programs and services available to their non-disabled peers.
- That every disabled student has the right to participate in extra-curricular activities to the extent appropriate to their individual physical abilities.
- That the determination of the Committee on Special Education/Committee on Preschool Special Education be consistent with the continuum of the services outlined in the Commissioner's Regulations and be based on such items as: chronological age; learning rate; academic functioning; social/emotional development; physical development; and management needs.

- That every disabled student's Individual Education Plan (IEP) be reviewed annually.
- That the school will involve students, their parents and staff from both general and special education in the education

Preschool Special Education

The Greenwood Lake Union Free School District fully participates in New York State Education Department's preschool special education program. Evaluations and specially designed instructional services or programs are provided to eligible children who have a disability that affects their learning.

Referral to Preschool Special Education

If a preschool age child (2 1/2 – 5 years old) has some delays in development in language skills, fine or gross motor skills, cognitive skills or is facing physical or behavioral challenges, the parent or a professional who knows the child may make a referral to the school district's Committee on Preschool Special Education.

Beginning the Evaluation Process

The first step is to contact the Pupil Personnel Department at (845) 782-8678 ext 52350 to schedule an appointment to register and to make a formal referral to the Committee on Preschool Special Education (CPSE) for your child. Please feel free to contact the CPSE office at (845) 782-8678 ext 52350 if you have any questions.

October 2026

SEPTEMBER 2026

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NOVEMBER 2026

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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4	5	6	7	8	9 <i>Early Dismissal Drill</i> 2:15 MS/3:15 ES End of 1st Five-Week Progress Period	10
			ASHOKAN TRIP - GRADE 6			
11	12 <i>Columbus Day</i> District Closed	13	14	15	16	17
				PTSA Picture Day, MS	PTSA Picture Day, ES	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	6:00 Board of Education Business Meeting, MS				GREENWOOD LAKE PINK OUT DAY	
25	26	27	28	29	30 2:30 Halloween Parade ES 2:30 Gr. 4/5 Fall Dance 6:00 Gr. 6-8 Fall Dance	31
	RED RIBBON WEEK					

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8th Graders - High School Choice!

Chester Academy High School

64 Hambletonian Avenue, Chester, NY 10918 • (845) 469-2231



Warwick Valley High School

89 Sanfordville Road, Warwick, NY 10990 • (845) 987-3050



The transition to high school is a very exciting time for our 8th grade families. In GWL, our students have the opportunity to attend **Chester Academy or Warwick High School**. Over the course of the fall semester, 8th grade students will participate in assemblies, informational nights and day visitations to each District to help facilitate the selection process. Students will be invited to events to experience the social culture in each respective high school. **In December**, students will select their high school of choice with their parents and schedules for 9th grade will be developed with counselors in the spring.

November 2026

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3 <i>Superintendent's Conference Day</i> No School for Students	4	5	6 End of 1st Marking Period	7
8	9	10 9:15 Veterans Day Breakfast, ES	11 <i>Veterans Day</i> District Closed	12 <i>Early Release Parent/Teacher Conferences Half-Day for Students</i> 11:30 Dismissal MS 12:30 Dismissal ES 5:00-7:30 Evening Conferences	13	14
15	16 6:00 Board of Education Business Meeting, MS	17	18 <i>Early Release Parent/Teacher Conferences Half-Day for Students</i> 11:30 Dismissal MS 12:30 Dismissal ES 5:00-7:30 Evening Conferences 7:00 PTSA Meeting via Zoom	19 Thanksgiving Lunch, MS	20 Thanksgiving Lunch, ES	21
HARVEST WEEK						
22	23	24	25	26 <i>Thanksgiving Day</i>	27	28
29	30			THANKSGIVING RECESS – DISTRICT CLOSED		

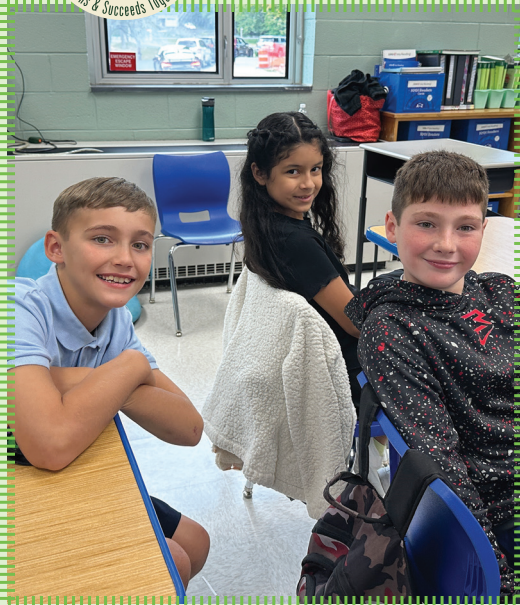
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December 2026

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13	14 6:00 Board of Education Business Meeting, MS	15	16	17 ES Concerts 12:30 Gr. K-1 1:30 Gr. 2-3	18 End of 2nd Five-Week Progress Period 12:30 PreK Winter Celebration	19
20	21 MS Winter Concerts 5:30 Gr. 4-5 7:00 Gr. 6-8	22	23	24 Christmas Eve District Closed	25 Christmas Day District Closed	26
27	28	29	30	31 New Year's Eve District Closed		
	WINTER RECESS - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS					

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January 2027

DECEMBER 2026

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FEBRUARY 2027

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 New Year's Day District Closed WINTER RECESS - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS	2
3	4	5	6 7:00 PTSA Meeting via Zoom	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day District Closed	19 6:00 Board of Education Business Meeting, MS	20	21 6:00 K-8 STEAM Fair, MS	22	23
24	25 6:00 K-8 STEAM Fair, MS (Snow Date)	26	27	28	29 12:30 District Pep Rally, MS End of 2nd Marking Period	30

GREENWOOD LAKE SPIRIT WEEK

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Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)/Provision 2 non-base year Household Income Eligibility Form

Greenwood Lake Union Free School District is participating in the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) or Provision 2 in a non-base year. All children in the school will receive meals/milk at no charge regardless of household income or completion of this form. This form is to determine eligibility for additional State and federal program benefits that your child(ren) may qualify for. Read the instructions on the back, complete **only one** form for your household, sign your name and return it to the school named above. Call Food Services at 845-782-8678 ext. 52340 if you need help.

1. List all children in your household who attend school:

Student Name	School	Grade/Teacher	Foster Child	No Income
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2. SNAP/TANF/FDPIR Benefits:

If anyone in your household receives either SNAP, TANF or FDPIR benefits, list their name and CASE # here. Skip to Part 5, and sign the application.

Name: _____ CASE # _____

3. Household Gross Income: List all people living in your household, how much and how often they are paid (weekly, every other week, twice per month, monthly). Do not leave income blank. If no income, check box. If you have listed a foster child above, you must report their personal income.

Name of household member	Earnings from work before deductions <i>Amount / How Often</i>	Child Support, Alimony <i>Amount / How Often</i>	Pensions, Retirement Payments <i>Amount / How Often</i>	Other Income, Social Security <i>Amount / How Often</i>	No Income
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4. Signature: An adult household member must sign this application.

I certify (promise) that all the information on this application is true and that all income is reported. I understand that the information is being given so the school may receive federal funds. The school officials may verify the information and if I purposely give false information, I may be prosecuted under applicable State and federal laws, and my children may lose meal benefits.

Signature:

Date:

Email Address:

Home Phone

Work Phone

Home Address

DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE – FOR SCHOOL USE ONLY

Annual Income Conversion (Only convert when multiple income frequencies are reported on application)
Weekly X 52; Every Two Weeks (bi-weekly) X 26; Twice Per Month X 24; Monthly X 12

SNAP/TANF/Foster

Income

Total Household Income/How Often:

Household Size:

Free Eligibility

Reduced Eligibility

Denied Eligibility

Signature of Reviewing Official

CEP/Provision 2 Non-Base Year Household Income Form INSTRUCTIONS

PART 1 ALL HOUSEHOLDS MUST COMPLETE STUDENT INFORMATION. DO NOT FILL OUT MORE THAN ONE FORM FOR YOUR HOUSEHOLD.

- (1) Print the names of the children, including foster children, for whom you are applying on one form.
- (2) List their grade and school.
- (3) Check the box to indicate a foster child living in your household, and check the box for each child with no income.

PART 2 HOUSEHOLDS GETTING SNAP, TANF OR FDPIR SHOULD COMPLETE PART 2 AND SIGN PART 4.

- (1) List a current SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program), TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) or FDPIR (Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations) case number of anyone living in your household. Do not use the 16-digit number on your benefit card. The case number is provided on your benefit letter.
- (2) An adult household member must sign the form in PART 4. **SKIP PART 3** - Do not list names of household members or income if you list a SNAP, TANF or FDPIR number.

PARTS 3 & 4 ALL OTHER HOUSEHOLDS MUST COMPLETE ALL OF PARTS 3 AND 4.

- (1) Write the names of everyone in your household, whether or not they get income. Include yourself, the children you are completing the form for, all other children, your spouse, grandparents, and other related and unrelated people living in your household. Use another piece of paper if you need more space.
 - (2) Write the amount of current income each household member receives, before taxes or anything else is taken out, and indicate where it came from, such as earnings, welfare, pensions and other income. If the current income was more or less than usual, write that person's usual income. **Specify how often this income amount is received: weekly, every other week (bi-weekly), 2 x per month, monthly. If no income, check the box.** The value of any child care provided or arranged, or any amount received as payment for such child care or reimbursement for costs incurred for such care under the Child Care and Development Block Grant, TANF and At Risk Child Care Programs should **not** be considered as income for this program.
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PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

In accordance with federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex (including gender identity and sexual orientation), disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity.

Program information may be made available in languages other than English. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication to obtain program information (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language), should contact the responsible state or local agency that administers the program or USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TTY) or contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339.

To file a program discrimination complaint, a Complainant should complete a Form AD-3027, USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form which can be obtained online at: <https://www.usda.gov/sites/default/files/documents/USDA-OASCR%20P-Complaint-Form-0508-0002-508-11-28-17Fax2Mail.pdf>, from any USDA office, by calling (866) 632-9992, or by writing a letter addressed to USDA. The letter must contain the complainant's name, address, telephone number, and a written description of the alleged discriminatory action in sufficient detail to inform the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights (ASCR) about the nature and date of an alleged civil rights violation. The completed AD-3027 form or letter must be submitted to USDA by:

- (1) mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; or
- (2) fax: (833) 256-166

**Provisión de Elegibilidad de la Comunidad (CEP)/Provisión 2 año no base
Formulario de Elegibilidad de Ingresos Familiares**

El Distrito Escolar Libre de Greenwood Lake Union está participando en la Disposición de Elegibilidad Comunitaria (CEP) o la Disposición 2 en un año no base. Todos los niños en la escuela recibirán comidas/leche sin cargo, independientemente de los ingresos del hogar o de completar este formulario. Este formulario es para determinar la elegibilidad para los beneficios adicionales del programa estatal y federal para los que su(s) hijo(s) puede(n) calificar. Lea las instrucciones en la parte posterior, complete **solo un** formulario para su hogar, firme con su nombre y devuélvalo a la escuela mencionada anteriormente. Llame al 845-782-8678 ext. 52340 si necesita ayuda.

1. Haga una lista de todos los niños de su hogar que asisten a la escuela:

Nombre del estudiante	Escuela	Grado/Profesor	Niño de acogida	Sin ingresos
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2. Beneficios de SNAP/TANF/FDPIR:

Si alguien en su hogar recibe beneficios de SNAP, TANF o FDPIR, anote su nombre y CASO # aquí. Vaya a la Parte 5 y firme la solicitud.

Nombre: _____ CASO # _____

3. Ingreso bruto del hogar: Enumere a todas las personas que viven en su hogar, cuánto y con qué frecuencia se les paga (semanalmente, cada dos semanas, dos veces al mes, mensualmente). No deje los ingresos en blanco. Si no hay ingresos, marque la casilla. Si ha incluido a un niño de crianza temporal arriba, debe declarar sus ingresos personales.

Nombre del miembro del hogar	Rendimientos del trabajo Antes de las deducciones <i>Cantidad / Con qué frecuencia</i>	Manutención de los hijos, pensión alimenticia <i>Cantidad / Con qué frecuencia</i>	Pensiones, Jubilación Pagos <i>Cantidad / Con qué frecuencia</i>	Otros Ingresos, Seguridad Social <i>Cantidad / Con qué frecuencia</i>	Sin ingresos
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4. Firma: Un miembro adulto del hogar debe firmar esta solicitud.

Certifico (prometo) que toda la información en esta solicitud es verdadera y que todos los ingresos son reportados. Entiendo que la información se está dando para que la escuela pueda recibir fondos federales. Los funcionarios de la escuela pueden verificar la información y si doy información falsa a propósito, puedo ser procesado bajo las leyes estatales y federales aplicables, y mis hijos pueden perder los beneficios de comidas.

Firma:

Fecha:

Dirección de correo electrónico:

Teléfono de casa

NO ESCRIBA DEBAJO DE ESTA LÍNEA. SOLO PARA USO ESCOLAR

Conversión de Ingresos Anuales (Solo convierte cuando se informan múltiples frecuencias de ingresos en la solicitud)

**Semanal X 52; cada dos semanas (quincenal) x 26; dos veces al mes x 24; Mensual X 12
SNAP/TANF/Foster**

CEP/Disposición 2 Formulario de Ingresos del Hogar para Año No Base INSTRUCCIONES

PARTE 1 TODOS LOS HOGARES DEBEN COMPLETAR LA INFORMACIÓN DEL ESTUDIANTE. NO LLENE MÁS DE UN FORMULARIO PARA SU HOGAR.

- (1) Escriba en letra de molde los nombres de los niños, incluidos los niños de crianza, para los que está solicitando en un formulario.
- (2) Anota su grado y escuela.
- (3) Marque la casilla para indicar que hay un niño de crianza temporal viviendo en su hogar, y marque la casilla para cada niño sin ingresos.

PARTE 2 LOS HOGARES QUE RECIBEN SNAP, TANF O FDIPIR DEBEN COMPLETAR LA PARTE 2 Y FIRMAR LA PARTE 4.

- (1) Indique el número de caso actual de SNAP (Programa de Asistencia Nutricional Suplementaria), TANF (Asistencia Temporal para Familias Necesitadas) o FDIPIR (Programa de Distribución de Alimentos en Reservas Indígenas) de cualquier persona que viva en su hogar. No use el número de 16 dígitos de su tarjeta de beneficios. El número de caso se proporciona en su carta de beneficios.
- (2) Un miembro adulto del hogar debe firmar el formulario en la PARTE 4. **OMITA LA PARTE 3** - No enumere los nombres de los miembros del hogar o los ingresos si enumera un número de SNAP, TANF o FDIPIR.

PARTES 3 Y 4 TODOS LOS DEMÁS HOGARES DEBEN COMPLETAR TODAS LAS PARTES 3 Y 4.

- (1) Escriba los nombres de todas las personas en su hogar, ya sea que tengan ingresos o no. Inclúyase a sí mismo, a los hijos para los que está completando el formulario, a todos los demás hijos, a su cónyuge, a sus abuelos y a otras personas relacionadas y no relacionadas que vivan en su hogar. Usa otra hoja de papel si necesitas más espacio.
- (2) Escriba la cantidad de ingresos actuales que recibe cada miembro del hogar, antes de deducir impuestos o cualquier otra cosa, e indique de dónde provienen, como ganancias, asistencia social, pensiones y otros ingresos. Si los ingresos actuales fueron más o menos de lo habitual, anota los ingresos habituales de esa persona. **Especifique la frecuencia con la que se recibe este monto de ingresos: semanalmente, cada dos semanas (quincenal), 2 veces al mes, mensualmente. Si no tiene ingresos, marque la casilla.** El valor de cualquier cuidado infantil proporcionado o arreglado, o cualquier cantidad recibida como pago por dicho cuidado infantil o reembolso por los costos incurridos para dicho cuidado bajo el Programa de Subvención en Bloque para el Cuidado y Desarrollo Infantil, TANF y Cuidado Infantil en Riesgo **no debe** considerarse como ingreso para este programa.

DECLARACIÓN DE LA LEY DE PRIVACIDAD

De acuerdo con la ley federal de derechos civiles y las regulaciones y políticas de derechos civiles del Departamento de Agricultura de EE. UU. (USDA, por sus siglas en inglés), esta institución tiene prohibido discriminar por motivos de raza, color, nacionalidad, sexo (incluida la identidad de género y la orientación sexual), discapacidad, edad, o en represalia o venganza por actividades previas de derechos civiles.

La información del programa puede estar disponible en otros idiomas además del inglés. Las personas con discapacidades que requieran medios alternativos de comunicación para obtener información sobre el programa (por ejemplo, Braille, letra grande, cinta de audio, lenguaje de señas estadounidense), deben comunicarse con la agencia estatal o local responsable que administra el programa o con el Centro TARGET del USDA al (202) 720-2600 (voz y TTY) o comunicarse con el USDA a través del Servicio Federal de Retransmisión al (800) 877-8339.

Para presentar una queja por discriminación en el programa, el Demandante debe completar un Formulario AD-3027, Formulario de Queja por Discriminación en el Programa del USDA que se puede obtener en línea en: <https://www.usda.gov/sites/default/files/documents/USDA-OASCR%20P-Complaint-Form-0508-0002-508-11-28-17Fax2Mail.pdf>, en cualquier oficina del USDA, llamando al (866) 632-9992 o escribiendo una carta dirigida al USDA. La carta debe contener el nombre, la dirección, el número de teléfono y una descripción escrita de la supuesta acción discriminatoria con suficiente detalle para informar al Secretario Adjunto de Derechos Civiles (ASCR) sobre la naturaleza y la fecha de una supuesta violación de los derechos civiles. El formulario o carta AD-3027 completado debe ser presentado al USDA por:

- (1) correo: Departamento de Agricultura de EE. UU.
Oficina del Secretario Adjunto de Derechos Civiles 1400 Independence Avenue, SW Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; o

- (2) Fax: (833) 256-166

February 2027

JANUARY 2027

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MARCH 2027

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 WIDA Testing Window Opens	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 UPK Lottery Application Window Opens 6:00 Board of Education Business Meeting, MS	9	10	11 ES SWEETHEART NIGHT, PreK-3, 5:30-7:00, ES	12	13
14	15 <i>Presidents' Day</i> District Closed	16 No School for Students	17 No School for Students	18 No School for Students	19 No School for Students	20
21	22	23	24 UPK Lottery Application Window Closes	25 <i>Early Release</i> Parent/Teacher Conferences Half-Day for Students 11:30 Dismissal, MS 12:30 Dismissal, ES	26 12:00 UPK Lottery	27
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MID-WINTER RECESS - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

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March 2027

FEBRUARY 2027

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APRIL 2027

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4 GLTA Basketball Game Fundraiser, MS	5	6
7	8	9	10 Superintendent's Conference Day No School for Students	11	12 End of 3rd Five-Week Progress Period	13
14	15 6:00 Board of Education Business Meeting, MS	16	17 LUCKY TO BE A LAKER DAY	18 UPK & KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION 9:00-11:00 AM & 2:00-3:00 PM, MS DISTRICT OFFICE EVENING HOURS, THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 5:00-7:00	19 7:00 Spring Musical, MS	20 10:30 Spring Musical, MS
21	22	23	24 7:00 PTSA Meeting via Zoom	25	26 Good Friday District Closed	27
28 Easter Sunday	29 No School for Students	30 No School for Students	31 No School for Students			
SPRING RECESS - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS						

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April 2027

MARCH 2027

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MAY 2027

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				1 No School for Students	2 No School for Students	3
4	5 Gr. 3-8 State Testing Window Opens	6	7	8	9 WIDA Testing Window Closes	10
11	12	13	14	15 6:00 NJHS Induction Ceremony	16	17
18	19	20 6:00 Board of Education Business Meeting, MS	21	22 Passover No School for Students	23 End of 3rd Marking Period	24
25	26	27	28 UPK & Kindergarten Orientation, ES 7:00 PTSA Meeting via Zoom	29	30 Arbor Day Ceremony, Gr. K, ES	

SPRING RECESS - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

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Heather King

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Mark Chicarella

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Thomas Murphy
Robert Sick



May 2027

APRIL 2027

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JUNE 2027

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				ES Musical Performances	Gr. 3-8 State Testing Window Closes	
			8TH GRADE WASHINGTON DC TRIP			
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
		ANNUAL BUDGET VOTE & ELECTION 11:00 – 9:00 @ ES				
		5:30 ES Open House PreK -3				
		6:00 Board of Education Business Meeting, MS			End of 4th Five-Week Progress Period	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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	Memorial Day District Closed		MS Spring Concerts 5:30 Gr. 4 & 5 7:00 Gr. 6-8			

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June 2027

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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			9:00 Athletic Awards, MS		ES Field Day 6:00 Semi Formal Dance, Gr. 7&8, MS	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	ES Field Day (Rain Date)		7:00 PTSA Meeting via Zoom	ES Spring Concert 12:30, Gr. K&1 1:30, Gr. 2&3	ES Picnic at the Beach	
			MS FINALS WEEK, GRADES 7 & 8			
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	MS Field Day 6:00 Board of Education Business Meeting, MS	MS Field Day (Rain Date)	Algebra I Regents MS Academic Awards	Biology Regents 6:00 8TH GRADE GRADUATION	Juneteenth District Closed	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	8th Grade Picnic 12:30 3RD GRADE MOVING UP CEREMONY	Pre-K End of Year Celebration		Early Release Half-Day for Students 11:30 Dismissal, MS 12:30 Dismissal, ES	Last Day of School Turn Around Day 10:30 Dismissal, MS 11:30 Dismissal, ES End of 4th Marking Period	
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July 2027

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AUGUST 2027

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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4 <i>Independence Day</i>	5 <i>Independence Day</i> District Closed	6	7	8	9	10
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August 2027

JULY 2027

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SEPTEMBER 2027

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As I begin my first year as Principal of Greenwood Lake Elementary School, I am excited and honored to serve this incredible community. Having worked alongside many of our students, staff, and families, I know what makes Greenwood Lake Elementary so special: our strong relationships and our shared commitment to helping every child succeed.

The 2026–2027 school year brings new opportunities to learn, grow, and celebrate together. I believe meaningful relationships, joyful learning, and high expectations create the foundation for student success. By working together, we can ensure every child feels valued, supported, and inspired to reach their full potential.

I look forward to celebrating our students and staff, building on our strengths, and creating a year filled with growth, kindness, and memorable moments. Thank you for the trust you place in us each day. Here's to a wonderful school year at Greenwood Lake Elementary!

#LakerPride

**Stephanie Melo-Ramos,
Elementary School Principal**





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Welcome to a new school year at Greenwood Lake Middle School! We are excited to welcome both returning and new families as we begin another great year together. As we start this year, we look forward to bringing our

students, staff, and families together to support one another, build lasting connections, and celebrate the many successes we will achieve as a school community.

Serving students in grades 4 through 8, Greenwood Lake Middle School is committed to providing a safe and engaging environment where every student is encouraged to learn, build meaningful relationships, and reach their fullest potential. The start of a new school year also brings exciting opportunities for students to embrace new experiences, challenge themselves, and work toward achieving their personal goals.

Whether through classroom learning or extracurricular activities, there are many ways for students to connect, participate, and discover activities they enjoy. Students in grades 7 and 8 will also have the opportunity to compete in interscholastic athletics and represent our school with Laker pride.

We look forward to celebrating our students' growth, successes, and achievements throughout the year!

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