



Dear 8th Grade Students and Parents,

As the 2016-2017 school year draws to an end, please be aware of the following calendar items:

TENTATIVE TESTING SCHEDULE

- Friday, May 26 – Science EOG
- Wednesday, May 31 – ELA 8
- Thursday, June 1 – Math 8
- Friday, June 2 – NC Final Exam Social Studies 8
- Monday, June 5 – CTE Post Assessments
- Tuesday, June 6 – CTE Post Assessments
- Wednesday, June 7 – Math I EOC; Math II NC Final Exam

8th GRADE SEMI-FORMAL DANCE, May 19, 2017 from 7:00-9:30PM

- Tickets will be sold on May 15-18th before the school day begins (Location TBA). **No tickets will be sold at the door.**
- The cost of the ticket is \$10.
- Only 8th grade students from Leesville Road Middle School will be allowed to attend.
- Students will not be able to attend the dance if they have not adhered to the established policies. (See information related to dance and dress code.)

8th GRADE AWARDS CEREMONY, June 7, 2017 at 7PM in the school gym.

8th GRADE ACTIVITIES, June 8, 2017

- Locker clean out – on team
- 1st Elective
- 2nd Elective
- Lunch, Team Awards, Yearbook signing (11:00AM-1:00PM)
- Field Day 1-3PM outdoors on the athletic fields (In the event of rain: School gym)

8TH GRADE END-OF-YEAR EVENTS

The 8th grade semi-formal dance is Friday, May 19, 2017 from 7:00-9:30PM. Please be aware of the following expectations for this event:

Dress Code

- Boys: Dress pants, dress shirt, and tie/suit is optional
- Girls: Nice dress, skirt, or dressy slacks; the dress may have spaghetti straps, but they must be attached to the actual dress.
- Shoulder straps used to hang dresses on the hanger are not appropriate straps and are not allowed.
- Halter dresses and one-strap dresses are permissible. NO strapless dresses should be worn without a wrap, cardigan, or shrug and these items must be worn at all times.
- Students who arrive in attire that violates the dress code will not be permitted to enter the dance.

Conduct and Behavior

- Inappropriate dancing will result in one warning. A repeat violation will result in dismissal from the dance.
- Students must be picked up by 9:30PM. Please arrive 15 minutes early to pick your student up. **Any student waiting for a ride past 10:00PM will not be able to attend the 8th grade field day.**

You WILL NOT be able to attend the dance if....

-you have been in ALC any time since April 17, 2017
- ...you have been suspended from school since April 17, 2017
- ...you have served a day on two or more occasions since April 17, 2017
- ...you have been in ISS for two or more separate incidents since April 17, 2017
- ...you have outstanding fines or fees for library books, textbooks, and or athletic equipment.

The 8th Grade Awards Ceremony is scheduled for June 7, 2017 and will start at 7PM. Student dress code for the awards ceremony is as follows:

- Boys: Collared shirt and slacks; **NO jeans or shorts.**
- Girls: Dress, skirt, or slacks; **NO jeans or shorts.**
- All attire must comply with the LRMS dress code. Students who arrive in attire that violates the dress code will not be permitted to participate.

PLEASE RETURN THIS PORTION ONLY

Please complete the form below to indicate that you understand the expectations stated above and return the signed form to your homeroom teacher by **Tuesday, April 25, 2017.**

Student's First and Last Name (please print) _____

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

Team Name _____ Homeroom Teacher's Name _____

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