



Mrs. Reichert/ Miss Murphy Life Skills January 2019 Newsletter

Hello Lake Shore Families,

Happy New Year! We hope you all have had a wonderful holiday season! We are looking forward to the New Year with many new adventures and experiences for the coming months.

One of our traditions in December is to go bowling at Braymillar's Lanes in Hamburg. We once again enjoyed a fun-filled afternoon. The Life Skills classes always have such a fun time together on our monthly field trips in our community!

This month our classes will be going to The Buffalo Museum of Science on Friday, January 18th. The students will need to bring a bag lunch or have it supplied by the cafeteria. We will send more detailed information next week.

The Unique Learning System Curriculum theme this month focuses on one of the Transition Passport activities: Daily Living/Safety as covered in this month's topic of Safety Matters. As we assist our young adults in the transition from school to work, it is necessary that they receive training in being safe in their own homes. The unit provides an opportunity to focus on safety rules and procedures at home with special emphasis on safety in the kitchen.

Please remember if you need to sign your child out for an appointment, we ask you to come in to the main office and sign him or her out. We will be called at the appropriate time for the early dismissal. We appreciate your cooperation with this matter.

If your student is a senior this year, and is walking the stage for graduation, there will be a form sent home about ordering a cap and gown. Please notice the dates that the orders will be taken in school.

We will also be sending home a parent survey for you to fill out with information about your child that will be used to create a new IEP for the next school year. We ask you to be as thorough as possible when completing this survey. This will help a great deal in addressing specific needs for the appropriate development and implementation of future goals and objectives for your child. Please return the survey as soon as possible. Thank you!

Important Dates

Tues. & Wed. Jan. 15th & 16th - Senior Cap and Gown Orders

Mon. Jan. 21st - NO SCHOOL MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY

Fri. Jan. 25th - NO SCHOOL - Regents Rating Day (Last Day of the 2nd Quarter)

*We have no birthdays in January

If you have any questions or concerns, please call the classroom at 926-3799 or email me at mreichert@lakeshorecsd.org and I will get back to you as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

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