Lenape Regional High School District

Letter-Day Schedule
2008-2009
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• Starting in September 2008 the Lenape Regional High School District will be implementing a Letter-Day schedule.

• Instead of the current method of assigning days of the week to science labs and health & physical education classes, there will be a letter assigned for each day.
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• The days will rotate in the following order:
  • Day 1 = Day A
  • Day 2 = Day B
  • Day 3 = Day C
  • Day 4 = Day D
  • Day 5 = Day E
  • Day 6 = Day A
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• This pattern will continue for all subsequent days that school is in session.
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• Rationale:
  • The current weekday schedule forces too many days of school to be missed on Mondays and Fridays.
  • This negatively affects the Monday or Friday lab science classes.
  • In a given year, these classes could miss up to 7 more than its counterparts, which are scheduled on Wednesdays.
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• The letter-day schedule allows for our lab science classes to meet an equal amount of days throughout the year no matter what day they are scheduled on.

• For example:
  • Day A meets 36 times a year
  • Day C meets 36 times a year
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• Benefits:
  • Lab Science classes are going to meet an equal amount of times throughout the year regardless of the what day of the week they are scheduled on.
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• *Who does this impact?*
  • Students and Teachers of:
    • Lab Sciences
    • Health & Physical Education Classes
    • Study Halls that do not meet 5 days a week
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- How will I know what day it is?
- District & School websites will display the letter day
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• How will I know what day it is?
  • Morning announcements in each building will announce the letter day
  • LDTV will display the letter day on its bulletin board
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• *What happens if school is cancelled?*
  • The first day back to school will be the next letter day in the sequence.
  • For example:
    If Monday is Day A and school is closed on Tuesday due to snow, then Wednesday, the next day back in school, will be Day B
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• Single-Session Days/Exam Days
  • Single-Session Days
    • Letter-Day Schedule will be in effect
  • Exam Days
    • They will not be counted
    • An exam schedule will be followed