



**Linn-Mar High School
Updates and Announcements
For Students and Parents
July 22, 2022**



Calendar Prior To 9th Grade-Only 1st Day of School

July and August Prior to 9th Grade-Only 1st Day of School

Week of July 25 – 30	Summer Office Hours (7:30 – 3:30 p.m.) Non-Contact Week for High School Activities in Iowa
Week of August 1 - 5	Summer Office Hours (7:30 – 3:30 p.m.)
Week of August 8 – 12	Summer Office Hours (7:30 – 3:30 p.m.) School Counselor Appointments start on August 10
Monday, August 15 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Summer Office Hours (7:30 – 3:30 p.m.) 12th Grade Pictures (Cafeteria) and 12th Grade Computer Pick-up (Food Court)
Tuesday, August 16 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	Summer Office Hours (7:30 – 3:30 p.m.) 11th Grade Pictures (Cafeteria) and 11th Grade Computer Pick-up (Food Court) 9th Grade Parent Orientation (LM Auditorium)
Wednesday, August 17 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Summer Office Hours (7:30 – 3:30 p.m.) 10th Grade Pictures (Cafeteria) and 10th Grade Computer Pick-up (Food Court)
Thursday, August 18 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Summer Office Hours (7:30 – 3:30 p.m.) 9th Grade Pictures (Cafeteria)
Friday, August 19	Summer Office Hours (7:30 – 3:30 p.m.)
Monday, August 22	Summer Office Hours (7:30 – 3:30 p.m.)

Future

8/23	9 th Grade-Only 1 st Day of School (9:00-4:00 p.m.)
8/24	1 st Day of 1 st Quarter-1 st Semester (9:00 a.m.)
8/26	School Picture Makeup Date (8:15 – 10:35 a.m.)
9/1	Academic Letter Assemblies: (12 th Grade-9:30 a.m., 11 th Grade-11:00 a.m., 10 th Grade-2:30 p.m.)
9/5	Labor Day – No Classes
9/22	National Honor Society Induction Ceremony (6:00 p.m.)
9/23	Homecoming Pep Rally Schedule
9/27	12 th Grade Student Advisory (8:30 a.m., Presentation-Lecture Hall)
9/28	11 th Grade Student Advisory (8:30 a.m., Presentation-Lecture Hall)
9/29	10 th Grade Student Advisory (8:30 a.m., Presentation-Lecture Hall)
	LMHS Parent Conferences (4:30-7:30 p.m.)
9/30	9 th Grade Student Advisory (8:30 a.m., Presentation-Lecture Hall)

Student Assistance Office

Student Assistance Counselors Available to All Students including Online-Only Students: Student Assistance Counselors are available to provide support for all LMHS students. This includes online-only students via virtual meetings, phone calls or on-site. Student Assistance Counselors are available in the Student Assistance Office located in the hallway adjacent to the Main Office. Please reach out to any of the counselors via email, phone call, or Teams to schedule a meeting:

Janessa Carr: janessa.carr@linnmar.k12.ia.us (319) 892-4884
Jessica Deahl: jdeahl@linnmar.k12.ia.us (319) 730-3559
Kevin McCauley: kmccauley@linnmar.k12.ia.us (319) 447-3047

Any student may contact Student Assistance Counselors, School Counselors, or Academic Assistance Counselors at any time during the school day.

Safe2SpeakUp is an application on all LMHS student school-issued computers that allows a student to report something unsafe or to ask for help for a personal crisis for self or someone else at any time. Safe2SpeakUp alerts are sent directly to LMHS Administrators, Student Assistance Counselors and School Counselors.

1st Quarter

Starting August 1 (M-F) (7:30-3:30 p.m.) Building Open for Students and Parents to Find Locations

Beginning on Monday, August 1, LMHS will be open from 7:30-3:30 p.m. (Monday-Friday) for LMHS students and parents to find classrooms and other locations throughout the building. Building maps will be available at Door #3 and Door #13. Please be aware that teachers may and staff will be working in the building during this time. The LRC (enter the East door and take stairs to 3rd floor) will be open during the same times for students and parents to find LRC classrooms on the 3rd floor. LMHS and 3rd floor of the LRC will be open through August 22.

School Counselor appointments begin on August 10

School counselors will begin taking appointments beginning on August 10. Please contact the **School Counselor Office (447-3070 or 447-3043)** or your school counselor to schedule an appointment.

David Kennedy (A-Ci) (447-3104, dkennedy@linnmar.k12.ia.us)

Greg Hall (Cl-G) (447-3074, ghall@linnmar.k12.ia.us)

Jennifer Thurston (H-Kr) (447-3098, jthurston@linnmar.k12.ia.us)

Kierstyn Witt (Ku-N) (447-3072, Kierstyn.witt@linnmar.k12.ia.us)

Kim Bowen (O-Sp) (447-3175, Kimberly.bowen@linnmar.k12.ia.us)

Elizabeth Kreher (St-Z) (447-3071, ekreher@linnmar.k12.ia.us)

1st Quarter Academic Planning Dates and Deadlines

8/23 9th Grade-Only 1st Day of School

8/24 1st Day of 1st Quarter/1st Semester

8/26 Deadline to Add Classes for 1st Quarter

8/27 SAT

8/30 Deadline to Add Classes for 1st Semester

9/1 Academic Assemblies (12th Grade-9:30 a.m., 11th Grade- 11:00 a.m., 10th Grade-2:30 p.m.)

9/10 ACT

9/16 Deadline to Drop Classes for 1st Quarter

9/29 LMHS Parent Conferences (4:30-7:30 p.m.)

9/30 Deadline to Declare Credit/Fail for 1st Quarter Classes

10/1 SAT

10/12 PSAT

10/14 Deadline to Drop Classes for 1st Semester

10/22 ACT

10/27 Last day of 1st Quarter Classes

Deadline to Declare Credit/Fail for 1st Semester Classes

12th Grade – LMHS Class of 2023

12th Grade Pictures (for School ID) and Computer Distribution on Monday, August 15

12th Grade students will get pictures taken in the cafeteria on Monday, August 15, from 9:00-4:00 p.m. **12th Grade students get pictures taken for school IDs.** Computers are also picked up in the Food Court from 9:00-4:00 p.m.

**Students will not be turned away if they show for pictures or computer pickup on one of the other three dates, however, we ask that students work to get these completed on August 15 to help manage the number of students getting pictures on any one day.*

12th Grade Parking

The links below include information for 12th Grade parking as well as when/how to get the parking tag, including lot selection.

[12th-11th Grade Parking Tag Form](#)

[2022-23 LMHS Parking Information](#)

Important 12th Grade Planning Dates

5/8 Senior Recognition Night (7:00 p.m., LM Auditorium)

5/13 Senior Prom (8:00-10:30 p.m. LM Main Gym) (Grand March at 7:30 p.m., LM Auditorium)

5/17 Seniors' Last Day of School (1:00 p.m., Graduation Rehearsal, LM Main Gym)

5/28 Commencement (1:00 p.m., Alliant Energy Power House)

11th Grade

11th Grade Pictures and Computer Distribution on Tuesday, August 16

11th Grade students will get pictures taken in the cafeteria on **Tuesday, August 16, from 9:00-4:00 p.m.** The link for ordering school pictures is below. **Computers are also picked up in the Food Court from 9:00-4:00 p.m.**

**Students will not be turned away if they show for pictures or computer pickup on one of the other three dates, however, we ask that students work to get these completed on August 16 to help manage the number of students getting pictures on any one day.*

Link to School Picture Order Form: <http://halverson-photography.hhimagehost.com/2022LinnMarHighSchool>

School Picture Make-up Day is August 26. School Picture Retake Day is October 12.

11th Grade Parking

The links below include information for 11th Grade parking as well as when/how to get the parking tag, including lot selection.

[12th-11th Grade Parking Tag Form](#)

[2022-23 LMHS Parking Information](#)

10th Grade

10th Grade Pictures and Computer Distribution on Wednesday, August 17

10th Grade students will get pictures taken in the cafeteria on **Wednesday, August 17, from 9:00-4:00 p.m.** The link for ordering school pictures is below. **Computers are also picked up in the Food Court from 9:00-4:00 p.m.**

**Students will not be turned away if they show for pictures or computer pickup on one of the other three dates, however, we ask that students work to get these completed on August 17 to help manage the number of students getting pictures on any one day.*

Link to School Picture Order Form: <http://halverson-photography.hhimagehost.com/2022LinnMarHighSchool>

School Picture Make-up Day is August 26. School Picture Retake Day is October 12.

10th Grade Parking Lottery

10th Grade students who have a valid driver license or school permit are eligible for the 10th Grade Parking Lottery for spaces located near the Aquatic Center. The links below include campus parking information as well as the 10th Grade Parking Lottery Form for 2022-23.

[10th Grade Parking Lottery Form \(2022-23\)](#)

[2022-23 LMHS Parking Information](#)

9th Grade

9th Grade Pictures on Thursday, August 18

9th Grade students will get pictures taken in the cafeteria on **Thursday, August 18, from 9:00-4:00 p.m.** The link for ordering school pictures is below. **Computers are distributed to 9th Grade students on 9th Grade-Only 1st Day of school (August, 23).**

**Students will not be turned away if they show for pictures on one of the other three dates, however, we ask that students work to get these completed on August 18 to help manage the number of students getting pictures on any one day.*

Link to School Picture Order Form: <http://halverson-photography.hhimagehost.com/2022LinnMarHighSchool>

School Picture Make-up Day is August 26. School Picture Retake Day is October 12.

9th Grade Parent Orientation on Tuesday, August 16, at 6:30 p.m. in the LM Auditorium

A 9th Grade Parent Orientation will be held on Tuesday, August 16, at 6:30 p.m. in the LM Auditorium. The session will go for approximately one hour. Parents will hear from administrators, teachers, and counselors regarding a successful start to 9th Grade at LMHS. A Q&A session will be held at the end of the session. Parents may also tour the building after the session.

REMINDER: LMHS has a 9th Grade-Only 1st Day of School on Tuesday, August 23, from 9:00-4:00 p.m. This is a required day for all 9th Grade students. More information on 9th Grade-Only 1st Day of School will be emailed in August.

9th Grade Parking

9th Grade students are not eligible for an on-campus parking tag.

[2022-23 LMHS Parking Information](#)

Other Information

LMTV is looking for students to work on projects in August

LMTV has several projects it will be working on prior to the start of school. Any student interested in working on these LMTV projects should contact Mr. Fry (kfry@linnmar.k12.ia.us). Students also interested in working on LMTV broadcasts and projects during 1st Semester should also contact Mr. Fry.

The first weekly *LMHS Updates and Announcements for Students and Parents* for the 2022-23 school year will be sent on **Friday, August 5.**