

**Note earlier registration date: Wednesday, July 29.**

# LION TRACKS

## A Brand New Year!

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Hello and welcome to the 2015-2016 school year! I know there's a fair amount of summer still remaining but as we all know, fall is just around the corner and that means the start of school. As with every year, there will be a number of changes taking place that will have an impact on almost everyone. The completion of the new construction will have a distinct impact on the normal routines.

The new elementary offices should be completed and ready for use at the beginning of the school year. Several new procedures will take effect in that area for parents.

**For safety reasons, we continue to prefer parents to drop off their students on the west side of the elementary building (Greene Street). Student drop-off on the east side of the school is restricted to vehicles heading north, and will occur within a specific drop-off zone on Story Street. These measures are for the safety of the children being dropped off.**

A second point of emphasis will be that after 8:20 every morning, all entrances to the buildings will be locked and students, parents, or patrons may only enter the building through the security entrances at the elementary offices or high school offices. A glass vestibule area has been constructed in which a staff member inside the building will have to "buzz in" any visitors to the

building, and all visitors will have to come through the offices to prior to entering the building.

Just as last year, the school board has elected to utilize casino funds to supply kindergarten through sixth grade students with a school supply box. The school supply lists within this newsletter reflect the items that are not covered within the boxes.

The board continues to use casino funds to benefit students in ways not normally feasible in the general budget. Central Lyon is currently a one-to-one laptop district from grades 6-12 and the elementary grades have many laptop and tablet opportunities available. The fruit and vegetable program also continues to be supported by casino funds.

This year, registration can be completed online. Turn the page for instructions if you wish to do so. There will also be a one day school registration Wednesday, July 29, from 10am to 6pm for those who wish to register their children in person. Please watch your email for more information regarding online registration.

We are coming off perhaps one of the most successful years in Central Lyon in academic achievement. Our test scores at all levels continue to be higher than state and national averages and the accomplishments of our students

have been overwhelming. This past year, the number of state competition qualifications has also been historical. To date, nine of our 2014-2015 teams or activities have qualified or participated at the state competition level. This is extraordinary for a school our size. In keeping with our goals of always striving for excellence, I applaud our students, staff, and parents for their efforts and support in these accomplishments.

**N**ine of our 2014-2015 teams or activities have qualified or participated at the state competition level.

I look forward to a great school year in 2015-2016. As always, if you have any concerns or questions, please call or stop by.

**Go Lions!**

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## Back to School Issue

Filled with important **BACK TO SCHOOL** information!  
**Register at school July 29 or try our NEW online registration.**

**Central Lyon Community School  
2015-2016  
www.centrallyon.org**

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**Central Lyon Parents & Students:**

The faculty, staff, and administration are excited and anxious to begin a fresh new school year full of positive educational experiences for your child. If you are new to the Central Lyon District and need to enroll your child in school, please call or stop in and become acquainted with the staff and facility as we would enjoy getting to know you. As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call or stop by.

We encourage you to visit our website [www.centrallyon.org](http://www.centrallyon.org). It contains helpful information such as student handbooks, school policies, activity calendar and much, much more. We also have a new Facebook page; "Like" Central Lyon Community School District to get updates and notifications. Once again, welcome & have a great year!

**FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL**

School will be in session a full day on Wednesday, August 26. The schedules are as follows:

- ◆ Elementary 8:20 a.m. to 3:15 p.m.
  - ◆ Middle school 8:16 a.m. to 3:20 p.m.
  - ◆ High school 8:16 a.m. to 3:15 p.m.
  - ◆ Kindergarten classes are held all day every day.
  - ◆ Transitional kindergarten classes are held all day Monday, Tuesday, and Thursdays
- All high school students should report to the auditorium the first day of school. The first day of classes for the 4-year-old preschool is September 8 from 8:15–11:00am for the morning session and 12:30–3:15 p.m. for the afternoon session.

A calendar of school events will be distributed to each family.



**STUDENT DROP OFF & PICK-UP**

Due to school bus traffic and to promote student safety, the Central Lyon School District would like parents/guardians to drive into the elementary parking lot using the 12th Avenue entrance for student drop-off between 7:45-8:10 a.m. and for student pick-up between 3:00-3:20 p.m.

**The Story Street entrance should be used for bus traffic only during the drop-off and pick-up times.**

**ATTENDANCE**

We request that parents contact the school between 8:00-9:00 a.m. if your child is absent that particular day.

The administration encourages all patrons of the Central Lyon School District to contact the school by phone or visit anytime there is a problem or concern about school policies, procedures, etc. Parents of 9-12 students should call 712-472-4051; grades PS-8 call 712-472-4041.

**STUDENT REGISTRATION**

All new students and pre-school students must register in person at the *high school commons*:

**Wednesday, July 29, 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.**

Current students PK through high school can register in person or online. Online registration details will be emailed to parents via JMC message center.

Central Lyon High School students are asked to check their schedules and get their locker assignments on registration day. NO schedule changes will be allowed after the beginning of school. The Central Lyon Booster Club will have Central Lyon clothing available for purchase during registration.

A registration form needs to be completed for each family. Complete the form on page 13 prior to coming to the school for registration. Additional forms that you may need for registration can be found on the Central Lyon website under the parent information tab.

**NEW!**

**Online Registration available soon.**

- ◆ From [www.centrallyon.org](http://www.centrallyon.org), click the JMC Gradebook quick link
- ◆ Log into the Parent section of JMC
- ◆ Click on the button labeled "Student Registration"
- ◆ Follow the directions at the top to register your students
- ◆ SAVE changes
- ◆ We utilize RevTrak for payment



## **VIDEO CAMERA USE ON SCHOOL PREMISES & BUSES**

The Central Lyon Community School District Board of Directors has authorized the use of video cameras on school district building/grounds and on buses. The video cameras will be used to ensure the safety of all students and monitor student behavior to maintain order on the school buses. The use of cameras will promote and maintain a safe environment.

Students and parents are hereby notified that the content of the videotapes may be used in a student disciplinary proceeding. The contents of the videotapes are confidential student records and will be retained with other student records. Videotapes will be retained only if necessary for use in a student disciplinary proceeding or other matter as determined necessary by the administration. Parents may request to view videotapes of their child if the videotapes are used in a disciplinary proceeding involving their child.

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOUND IN STUDENT HANDBOOKS**

The following information is printed in all student handbooks and may be obtained from the Superintendent of Schools: attendance, use of/possession of tobacco, alcoholic beverages and controlled substances; violent, destructive, and seriously disruptive behavior; harassment and bullying, suspension, expulsion, emergency removal, corporal punishment and physical restraint; out of school behavior; participation in co-curricular activities; academic progress; citizenship. The handbooks can be found on the Central Lyon website [www.centrallyon.org](http://www.centrallyon.org).

## **USE OF CANINES IN THE SCHOOL**

In an effort to maintain a drug free school, the Central Lyon Community Schools, in conjunction with the Lyon County Sheriff Department, may conduct searches of the school property using police canine units. Student lockers, automobiles in the school parking lot, or other conveyances are subject to search. This statement should be considered advance notification that the canine unit may be brought in and incorporated within the scope of a crisis plan safety drill. Again, the purpose of this procedure is to ensure the safety and well-being of the student population.

## **REPORTING OF CHILD ABUSE**

All Central Lyon School employees are required by law to report cases of suspected or actual child abuse.

## **OPEN ENROLLMENT**

Families interested in having student(s) attend a school district other than the district of residence, must complete an open enrollment form by March 1 of the preceding school year for non-kindergarten students. Kindergarten filings must be made by September 1. Transportation assistance is available for those families who meet income eligibility guidelines. Athletic eligibility for student who choose open enrollment may be affected. Application forms are available at the administration office.

## **ASBESTOS**

In compliance with the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA), we have performed inspections of our school buildings for asbestos-containing building materials. The inspection findings and asbestos management plans are on file with Steve Breske, Building and Transportation Supervisor, for your review.

## **ANTI-BULLYING/HARASSMENT**

Harassment and bullying of students and employees are against federal, state, and local policy, and are not tolerated by the board. The board is committed to provide all students with a safe and civil school environment in which all members of the school community are treated with dignity and respect. The board policy (code no. 104) regarding anti-bullying/harassment can be reviewed on the Central Lyon website [www.centrallyon.org](http://www.centrallyon.org) or you may request a copy at the school's office.

The Board of Education expressly forbids cyber-bullying. For the purposes of this policy, "cyber-bullying" shall mean using the communication capacities of computers, the internet and/or other digital communication devices to bully others by: Sending or posting cruel messages or images; threatening others; excluding or attempting to exclude others from activities or organizations; starting or passing on rumors about others or the school system; harassing or intimidating others; sending angry, rude or vulgar messages directed at a person or persons privately or to an online group; sending or posting harmful, untrue or cruel statements about a person to others; pretending to be someone else and sending or posting material that makes that person look bad or places that person in potential danger; sending or posting material about a person that contains sensitive, private or embarrassing information, including forwarding private messages or images; and/or, engaging in tricks to solicit embarrassing information that is then made public.

Students found to be engaging in activities as described above shall be subject to the terms and sanctions found in this policy, Board of Education Policy 50Z.10-Harassment, Intimidation & Bullying discipline code of the district.



## RELEASING INFORMATION REGARDING STUDENTS

Any student over the age of 18 or parent/guardian not wanting this information released to the public must make objection in writing by August 15 to the building principal. Objections need to be renewed annually.

**Name, Address, Telephone Listing, Date And Place Of Birth, Major Field Of Study, Participation In Officially Recognized Activities And Sports, Weight And Height Of Members Of Athletic Teams, Dates Of Attendance, Degrees And Awards Received, The Most Recent Previous School Or Institution Attended By The Student, Photograph And Likeness And Other Similar Information.** For further info, refer to district policy code no. 506.2.

## TRANSPORTATION

Central Lyon will continue busing students with both in-town shuttle and regular routes. If you have any questions concerning busing, please contact Jeremy Sprock, Transportation Director, at 472-4041 or 472-2664.

## STUDENTS RIGHT TO FREEDOM OF SPEECH

Students attending Central Lyon have the right to exercise freedom of speech, including the right of expression in official school publications. However, they do not have the right to publish materials or use language which is obscene, libelous, or slanderous.



## NOTICE OF NONDISCRIMINATION

Students, parents, employees & others doing business with or performing services for the Central Lyon CSD are hereby notified that this School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, age, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital status, socio-economic status, disability, religion, creed in admission or access to, or treatment in its programs and activities.

Any person having inquiries concerning the School District's compliance with the regulations implementing Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 Equal Employment Opportunity, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 Sex Discrimination, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Section 504)m of Iowa Code 280.3 is directed to contact the Superintendent of Schools at 115 S. Story Street, Rock Rapids IA 51246 (Phone: 712-472-2664). The Superintendent has been designated by the School District to coordinate the School Districts efforts to comply with the regulations implementing Title VI, Title VII, Title IX, the ADA, 504 & Iowa Code 280.3. The Central Lyon CSD is an EEO/AA employer.

To file a complaint of discrimination: write Iowa Civil Rights Commission, Grimes State Office Building, 400 E. 14th St., Des Moines, IA 50319-1004; phone number 515-281-4121, 800-457-4416; web site:<http://www.state.ia.us/government/crc/index.html>.

## STUDENT RECRUITMENT OPT-OUT FORM

The *No Child Left Behind Act* of 2001 (Section 9528) requires that the high schools must provide military recruiters access to student names, addresses, and telephone listings. Parents or students may request that this information **not** be provided without written parental/guardian consent and districts must comply with all such requests. Recruitment opt-out forms will be provided at registration Contact the high school guidance office if you do not receive a recruitment opt-out form.

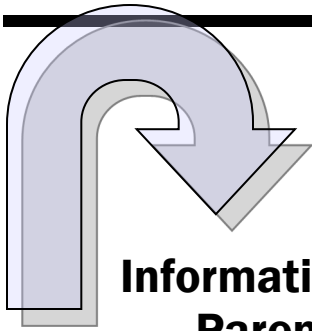


## IMMUNIZATIONS

The state of Iowa requires all new students going to school in Iowa to have a Certificate of Immunization, a Provisional Certificate of Immunization, or a Certificate of Immunization Exemption at the beginning of the school year. The district will be contracting with Health Services of Lyon County to assist with health screenings, human growth and development curriculum, and other health related mandates. This service will be available on a part-time basis to the Central Lyon Community School District.







## **Information for Parents Homeless Policy**

### **If your family lives in any of the following situations:**

- In a shelter, motel, vehicle, or campground
- On the street
- In an abandoned building, trailer or other inadequate accommodations
- Doubled up with friends or relatives because cannot find or afford housing

**Then your preschool-aged and school-aged children have certain rights or protections under the McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Assistance Act of 2001.**

#### **Your children have the right to:**

- Go to school, no matter where you live or how long you have lived there. They must be given access to the same public education, including preschool education provided to other children
- Continue in the school they attended before you became homeless or the school they last attended, if that is your choice and is feasible. If a school sends your child to a school other than the one you requested, the school must provide you with a written explanation and offer you the right to appeal the decision.
- Receive transportation to the school they attended before your family became homeless or the school they last attended, if you or a guardian requests such transportation.
- Attend a school and participate in school programs with children who are not homeless. Children cannot be separated from the regular school program because they are homeless.
- Enroll in school without giving a permanent address. Schools cannot require proof of residency that might prevent or delay school enrollment.
- Enroll and attend classes while the school arranges for the transfer of school and immunization records or any other documents required for enrollment.
- Enroll and attend classes in the school of your choice even while the school and you seek to resolve a dispute over enrolling your children
- Receive the same special programs and services, if needed, as provided to all other children served in these program.
- Receive transportation to school and to school programs.

#### **When you move, you should do the following:**

- Contact the school district's local liaison for homeless education (see phone number below) for help enrolling your child in a new school or arranging for your child to continue in his or her former school. (Or, someone at a shelter, social services office, or the school can direct you to the person you need to contact.)
- Contact the school and provide any information you think will assist the teachers in helping your child adjust to new circumstances.
- Assist the local liaison for homeless education, the shelter provider, or social worker for assistance with clothing and supplies, if needed.

#### **Local Area Contacts:**

High School, Jessica Harman

712-472-4051 [jharman@centrallyon.org](mailto:jharman@centrallyon.org)

Elementary/Middle School, Shalee Van Bemmell

712-472-4041 [svanbemmell@centrallyon.org](mailto:svanbemmell@centrallyon.org)

#### **State Coordinator: Sandra Johnson**

Department of Education, Des Moines, IA 50319

515-281-2965 [Sandra.johnson@iowa.gov](mailto:Sandra.johnson@iowa.gov)

**If you need further assistance,  
call the  
National Center for  
Homeless Education  
at the toll-free Help Line number:  
1-800-308-2145**

# Activity Information

Schedules can be found at [www.centrallyon.org](http://www.centrallyon.org) by clicking the Calendar of Events quick link.



## STUDENT ATHLETIC PHYSICALS

All Central Lyon students must have athletic physicals prior to participating in a sport or cheerleading. If you have any questions regarding the school physicals, please call the Sanford Clinic at 712-472-3716.

## STUDENT INSURANCE

All students participating in athletics **must** have personal (family) health and accident insurance or the parents may purchase coverage through Frontier Insurance Agency at 712-472-2589 or through your personal agent. The district does not provide accident insurance for students in school or for activities.

## RIDING BUSES TO ACTIVITIES

Participating students must ride school approved transportation to/from all activities unless written notification is given to the coach/director that the parent is transporting the student. Students are required to be with a parent when they choose alternative transportation.

## ATHLETIC & ACTIVITY TICKETS

Adult athletic tickets will again be available for 2015-2016. An adult activity ticket will allow the purchaser admission to all **athletic events** sponsored by Central Lyon, with the exception of state tournament competitions.

Activity tickets are required for students in grades 9-12 who participate in co-curricular activities. They are optional for other students. A student activity ticket will allow the student admission to **all activities** sponsored by Central Lyon, with the exception of state competitions.

The cost of an adult athletic ticket is \$85, a senior citizen (65 years and older) ticket is \$50, and a student ticket is \$50. They are good for the entire school year. Single athletic admission tickets will cost \$5 for both students and adults.



## Parental Rights

### RIGHT TO INSPECT AND REVIEW STUDENT RECORDS

Parents and/or guardians for students under eighteen (18) years of age have the right to inspect and review their child's records. For more information, please contact the building principal.

### RIGHT TO LEARN ABOUT TEACHER QUALIFICATIONS

Parents/guardians in the Central Lyon CSD have the right to learn about the following regarding their child's teacher's qualifications: state licensure status, special endorsements for grade level/subject area taught, and baccalaureate/graduate certification/degree.

Parents/guardians may request this information from the office of the superintendent at (712) 472-2664 or by sending a request letter to: Office of the Superintendent, PO Box 471, Rock Rapids, IA 51246.



### The Central Lyon

#### Athletic and Music Booster Clubs

are looking for individuals to volunteer to work at the concessions stands at all home athletic events.

The Athletic and Music Booster Clubs receive all the proceeds from the sale of concessions.

If you are able to help at one or more events, please contact:

**High School office (712-472-4051)**

**EL/MS office (712-472-4041)**

*Thank you in advance for volunteering!*

**Volunteers  
Needed**



## Textbook Fees

Grades PS-8	\$ 35
Grades 9-12	\$ 45
<b>Drivers Education</b>	<b>\$ 230</b>

Student supplies may be resold as needed, such as eye protection devices and other school supplies.

## Student Meal Accounts

Students deposit money into their school meal account daily, weekly, monthly or by semester. All students are assigned an account number. The student will key in their personal account number on a keypad and a school employee will monitor the computer to assure that the correct account is charged. **Student meal accounts must be kept at a positive balance at all times.** If a student's lunch account reaches a negative balance of \$10 or more, he/she will receive an alternate cold lunch.

## Central Lyon Community School District's Free/Reduced Lunch Program

Application forms for free and reduced price meals will be available at registration and **on pages 11-12 of this newsletter.** Students whose families meet the income guidelines for free and reduced price lunch are eligible to have their student fees waived or partially waived. This waiver does not carry from year to year and must be completed **annually.**

The Central Lyon Community School District encourages all households whose income falls within the income eligibility guidelines to apply for free or reduced priced meals. The form may be mailed to Central Lyon CSD Attn: Marla Freese, PO Box 471, Rock Rapids, IA 51246 or you may bring the completed form with you when you register your children. Contact Marla Freese at 712-472-2664 with questions.

HOT LUNCH		BREAKFAST	
TK – 5	\$2.05	TK – 12	\$1.45
6 – 8	\$2.20	Extra Juice	\$ .35
9– 12	\$2.30	Extra Milk	\$ .35
2nd Meal	\$3.35		

# FEEES



# Central Lyon Community School

*Serving Rock Rapids, Doon and Surrounding Area*

1105 S. Story Street, P.O. Box 471

Rock Rapids, IA 51246

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Children need healthy meals to learn. **Central Lyon** offers healthy meals every school day. **Breakfast costs \$1.45; lunch costs for grades TK-5 \$2.05; grades 6-8 \$2.20; and for grades 6-12 \$2.30. Your child(ren) may qualify for free meals or for reduced price meals. Reduced price is \$.30 for breakfast, \$.40 for lunch.**

- Do I need to fill out an application for each child each year?** Complete the Iowa Eligibility Application for your household with all children listed. Your application is only good for one school year and for the first few days of this school year. When the carry-over period ends, unless you are notified that your child(ren) are directly certified or you submit an application that is approved, the child(ren) must pay full price for school meals. We cannot approve an application that is not complete, so be sure to fill out all required information. **Return the completed application: Central Lyon CSD, 1010 S Greene St, Rock Rapids, IA 51246.**
- Who can get free meals?** Children in households getting Food Assistance or Family Investment Program (FIP) can get free meals regardless of household income. Children enrolled in Head Start/Even Start can get free meals regardless of income. Also, your children can get free meals if your household income is within the free limits on the Federal Income Guidelines.
- Can foster children get free meals?** Yes, foster children that are under the legal responsibility of a foster care agency or court, are eligible for free meals. Any foster child in the household is eligible for free meals regardless of income.
- Who can get free milk?** If your school participates in the Special Milk Program for half day kindergarteners, your kindergarten child may be eligible for free milk. Children who buy extra milk with a meal or if they have an afternoon milk break are not eligible to receive free milk.
- Can homeless, runaway and migrant children get free meals?** Yes. Please call **the Guidance Office at HS 712-472-4051 or EL/MS 712-472-4041** to see if your child(ren) qualifies, if you have not been informed that they will get free meals.
- Someone in our household receives Food Assistance or FIP, are all school age household members eligible for free meals?** Yes. Eligibility for free meals is extended to all school age children in a household.
- Who can get reduced price meals?** Your child(ren) can get low cost meals if your household income is within the reduced price limits on the Federal Income Chart on the back of this page.
- I currently receive Food Assistance or FIP benefits; do I need to fill out an application?** Perhaps. School enrollment records have been compared to records from the Department of Human Services to identify children who are members of households receiving Food Assistance or FIP benefits. If ANY of your child(ren) are identified during this process all your children will be directly certified as eligible to receive free meal benefits and you will be notified of their eligibility by the school. Parents need to do nothing more for their children to receive free meal benefits. Some eligible children may not be identified in this process. Households with children who were not identified should receive a Free Lunch Notice from DHS. Children on these letters will receive free meal benefits only if parents provide the letter to the school. Instructions to parents are included on the letter. You may add any students living in your household who are not listed. Households with any member who is currently certified to receive Assistance Program benefits may submit an application for these children with the abbreviated information as indicated on the application.
- What if my income is not always the same?** List the amount that you normally get. For example, if you normally get \$1000 each month, but you missed some work last month and only got \$900, put down that you get \$1000 per month. If you normally get overtime, include it, but do not include overtime if you get it only sometimes.
- Will the information I give be checked?** Yes, we may ask you to send written proof. You are not required to provide proof with your application.
- If I don't qualify now, may I apply later?** Yes. You may apply at any time during the school year if your household size goes up, income goes down, or if you start getting Food Assistance, FIP, or other benefits. If you lose your job, your children may be able to get free or reduced price meals.
- What if I disagree with the school's decision about my application?** You should talk to school officials. You also may ask for a hearing by calling or writing to: **School Board President, 1010 S. Greene St., Rock Rapids, IA 51246 712-472-2664.**
- May I apply if someone in my household is not a U.S. citizen?** Yes. You or your child(ren) do not have to be U.S. citizens to qualify for free or reduced price meals.
- Who should I include as members of my household?** You must include all people living in your household, related or not (such as grandparents, other relatives, or friends), who share income and expenses. You must include yourself and all children who live with you. Households with foster and non-foster children may choose to include the foster child as a household member, as well as any personal income earned by the foster child. If the foster family is not eligible for free or reduced price meal benefits, that does not prevent a foster child from receiving free meal benefits.
- I get WIC. Can my child(ren) get free meals?** Children in households participating in WIC may be eligible for free or reduced price meals. Please fill out an application.
- We are in the military; do we include our housing allowance as income?** If your housing is part of the Military Housing Privatization Initiative, do not include your housing allowance as income. All other allowances must be included in your gross



income. There are currently no active Military Housing Projects in Iowa. For a listing of the Military Housing Projects by state visit the following web site: <http://www.acq.osd.mil/housing/mhpi.htm>.

17. **What other benefits might I be eligible for?** Your child may be eligible for other benefits including **hawk-i** (children's health insurance) or for a waiver of school fees. Read the information on the back of the Iowa Eligibility Application for **hawk-i** information. A school fee waiver form is available from your school.
18. **Can children with disabilities get food substitutions?** If a child has a disability, as determined by a medical professional, and the disability prevents the child from eating the regular school meal, the school will make substitutions prescribed by the medical professional. If a substitution is needed, there will be no extra charge for the meal. Please note, however, that the school is not required to make a substitution for a food allergy, unless it meets the definition of disability. Please call the school for further information.
19. **Do I have to provide my Social Security Number?** The household's primary wage earner or another adult household member must enter the last four digits of their Social Security Number in the space provided. You are eligible to apply for benefits even if you do not have a Social Security Number. If no adult household members have a Social Security Number, leave this space blank and mark the box to the right labeled "Check if no SS#".
20. **Income Guidelines effective July 1, 2015 – June 30, 2016.**  
If you have other questions or need help, call 712-472-2664.

Household Size	Federal Income Chart				
	Yearly	Monthly	Twice per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly
1	21,775	1,815	908	838	419
2	29,471	2,456	1,228	1,134	567
3	37,167	3,098	1,549	1,430	715
4	44,863	3,739	1,870	1,726	863
5	52,559	4,380	2,190	2,022	1,011
6	60,255	5,022	2,511	2,318	1,159
7	67,951	5,663	2,832	2,614	1,307
8	75,647	6,304	3,152	2,910	1,455
For each additional person:	7,696	642	321	296	148

Households: Your children may qualify for reduced or free price meals if your household income falls within the limits on this chart.

**Privacy Act Statement: This explains how we will use the information you give us.**

The Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act requires the information on this application. You do not have to give the information, but if you do not, we cannot approve your child for free or reduced price meals. You must include the last four digits of the social security number of the adult household member who signs the application. The last four digits of the social security number is not required when you apply on behalf of a foster child or you list a Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) case number or other FDPIR identifier for your child or when you indicate that the adult household member signing the application does not have a social security number. We will use your information to determine if your child is eligible for free or reduced price meals and for administration and enforcement of the lunch and breakfast programs. We MAY share your eligibility information with education, health, and nutrition programs to help them evaluate, fund, or determine benefits for their programs, auditors for program reviews, and law enforcement officials to help them look into violations of program rules.

**Non-discrimination Statement: This explains what to do if you believe you have been treated unfairly.** The U.S. Department of Agriculture prohibits discrimination against its customers, employees, and applicants for employment on the bases of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, gender identity, religion, reprisal, and where applicable, political beliefs, marital status, familial or parental status, sexual orientation, or all or part of an individual's income is derived from any public assistance program, or protected genetic information in employment or in any program or activity conducted or funded by the Department. (Not all prohibited bases will apply to all programs and/or employment activities.)

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## Instructions for Completing Iowa Eligibility Application

### Complete both sides of an application for each household.

**All applicants should complete part one.** This application may be used to apply for benefits in school meals or milk programs, child care centers and home based care for children. Check all boxes that apply to your family. You may make copies of a completed application for each program in which your child participates.

**FIP OR FOOD ASSISTANCE HOUSEHOLD MEMBER, including child(ren) in Head Start or Even Start, follow these instructions.**

**Part 2.** List one FIP or Food Assistance **Case Number** per household in the area provided. **Use the Case Number listed in the DHS Notice of Decision.** Eligibility based on Head Start or Even Start is available only if your child is enrolled in Head Start and documentation from the Head Start agency is provided. **NOTE: Medicaid, Title XIX and EBT card numbers are not acceptable.**

**Part 4.** List the name, date of birth, grade (if applicable), name of school/Head Start/child care center attended for each child in your household. Provide ethnic and racial information if you choose, but the school/Head Start/child care will make the determination of your child's ethnic and racial status if you do not complete this section.

**Part 5.** Skip this section.

**Part 6.** Read the certification and complete this section.

**HOMELESS, MIGRANT OR RUNAWAY, follow these instructions.**

**Part 3.** For children attending school, check if any child is Homeless, Migrant, or a Runaway and call your child's school.

**Part 4.** List the name, date of birth, grade (if applicable), name of school/Head Start/child care center attended for each child in your household. Provide ethnic and racial information if you choose, but the school/Head Start/child care will make the determination of your child's ethnic and racial status if you do not complete this section.

**Part 5.** Skip this section.

**Part 6.** Read the certification and complete this section.

**FOSTER CHILD IN HOUSEHOLD, follow these instructions.** A foster child is a child who is living with a household but who remains the legal responsibility of the welfare agency or court. Foster children can be included as household members or included on a separate application.

**Part 4.** List the child's name, date of birth, grade (if applicable), name of school/Head Start/child care center attended. Check the box for foster child. Provide ethnic and racial information if you choose, but the school/Head Start/child care will make the determination of your foster child's ethnic and racial status if you do not fill this section.

**Part 5.** Complete this section only if the foster child receives money for personal use or has other regular personal income. If the foster child has no income, check the box indicating no income. DO NOT include the stipend received by the foster family to provide care to the foster child.

**Part 6.** Read the certification and complete this section.

**ALL OTHER HOUSEHOLDS, including WIC households, follow these instructions for reporting income.**

**Part 4.** List the name, date of birth, grade (if applicable), name of school/Head Start/child care center/home attended for each child in your household. Provide ethnic and racial information if you choose, but the school/Head Start/child care will make the determination of each child's ethnic and racial status if you do not complete this section.

**Part 5.** Follow these instructions to report total household income from last month.

**Name:** List the last and first names of **each** person living in your household, related or not (such as grandparents, other relatives, or friends); include yourself and all children living with you. The household decides whether to include the foster child on their household application with non-foster children. Attach another sheet of paper if needed.

**Age:** List the age of each household member.

**If No Income:** Put a mark in the box if a household member **does not** have an income, or leave the income cells blank.

**Gross Income last month and how it was received:** Report the amount of income received in the appropriate Gross Income column (weekly, every 2 weeks, twice monthly, or monthly). List the **gross income** each person earned from work.

This is not the same as take-home pay. **Gross income is the amount earned before taxes and other deductions.** The amount should be listed on your pay stub, or your boss can tell you. If you have a household member for whom last month's income was higher or lower than usual, list that person's expected average income. If the household includes the foster child, they must report any personal income received by the foster child on the foster parent's household application.

**Other Monthly Payments or Income:** Money is reported in this section if it is regularly received. List the amount each person received last month from welfare, child support, alimony, adoption subsidies, pensions, retirement, Social Security, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), and Veteran's benefits (VA benefits). In the **All Other Income** column, include Worker's Compensation, unemployment, strike benefits, regular contributions from people who do not live in your household, cash withdrawn from savings, investments or trusts, interest and **ANY OTHER INCOME.** Use the Self-Employment Income Worksheet on the back of the application to calculate net income for self-owned businesses, farm, or rental income and report in the All Other Income column. **Do not report:** Scholarships, educational benefits, lump sum payments, combat pay, Deployment Extension Incentive Pay (DEIP) or children's incidental income from occasional activities such as babysitting, shoveling snow, or cutting grass. If you are in the Military Housing Privatization Initiative or get combat pay do not include these allowances.

**Social Security Number:** If the application is being made on the basis of income, the adult signing the form must provide the last 4 digits of his or her Social Security number or mark the "I do not have a Social Security number" box. If you do not provide your Social Security information or mark the box, your application cannot be processed.

**Part 6.** Read the certification and complete this section.



Received Date: _____		<b>Iowa Eligibility Application</b>				FFY 15-16	
Complete one application per household. School Year 2015-2016							
<b>Part 1. Check all applicable boxes:</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> school meals		<input type="checkbox"/> children in child care center		<input type="checkbox"/> children in child care home (HP)	
		<input type="checkbox"/> special milk (restrictions apply)		<input type="checkbox"/> Tier I home provider (HP)		Provider name: _____	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Head Start/Even Start					
<b>Part 2. FIP or Food Assistance Eligible:</b> Enter the FIP or Food Assistance Case Number for ANY household member as listed in the Notice of Decision. NOTE: Medicaid, Title XIX and EBT card numbers are not acceptable. Skip part 5.							
Name of household member with Case Number _____				List Case Number _____			
<b>Part 3. Check if any child is Homeless, Migrant, or a Runaway and call your child's school.</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Run away <input type="checkbox"/> Migrant <input type="checkbox"/> Homeless							
<b>Part 4. Children enrolled. REQUIRED OF ALL APPLICANTS.</b>							
List name(s) of all enrolled child(ren) in your household. _____							
Ethnicity: H=Hispanic or Latino, N=Non Hispanic or Latino		Race: A=Asian B=Black or African American I=American Indian or Alaska Native P=Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander W=White					
Last Name	First Name	Middle Name or Initial	Check box for FOSTER child	Date of Birth	Grade	OPTIONAL ETHNICITY RACE	
1.			<input type="checkbox"/>				Name of School/Head Start/ Child Care Center/Home
2.			<input type="checkbox"/>				
3.			<input type="checkbox"/>				
4.			<input type="checkbox"/>				
<b>Part 5. Total Household Gross Income. DO NOT COMPLETE PART 5 IF YOU LISTED A FIP OR FOOD ASSISTANCE NUMBER IN PART 3.</b> Report the gross income received by EACH household member one time in the correct column: weekly, every 2 weeks, twice a month or monthly. Gross income is the amount earned before taxes and other deductions, not take-home pay. Report all other monthly income received. Self-employed persons, see the worksheet on reverse side of this application. If a household member does not receive income from any source, check "No income" or leave cells blank. If you check "no income" or leave any cells blank, you are certifying (promising) that there is no income to report.							
List the names of everyone living in your household, including the children listed in Part 4. Attach a separate page if more space is needed. For FOSTER children, include only money available for child's personal use or child's own income.				Gross Income: Report income by how often the household member is paid.		Other Monthly Payments or Income Received.	
Last Name	First Name	Age	Check if NO Income	Gross amount earned weekly	Gross amount earned every 2 weeks	Gross amount earned twice a month	Gross amount earned monthly
1.			<input type="checkbox"/>				
2.			<input type="checkbox"/>				
3.			<input type="checkbox"/>				
4.			<input type="checkbox"/>				
5.			<input type="checkbox"/>				
Last four digits of my Social Security Number: XXX - XX - _____ <input type="checkbox"/> I do not have a Social Security Number. If Part 5 is completed, the adult signing the form must provide the last 4 digits of his or her Social Security Number or mark the "I do not have a Social Security Number" box. For further information refer to the Privacy Act Statement in the parent letter.							
<b>Part 6. Certification and Signature. REQUIRED OF ALL APPLICANTS.</b>							
I certify (promise) that all information on this application is true and that all income is reported if required. I understand that I will receive benefits from Federal funds based on the information I give. I understand that officials may verify (check) the information. I understand that if I purposely give false information, my children may lose meal/milk benefits, and I may be prosecuted. Email of Adult Completing Form _____							
Signature of Adult Completing Form _____		Printed Name of Adult Completing Form _____				Date Signed _____	
Address of Adult Completing Form _____ Town _____ ZIP Code _____ Work Phone _____ Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____							
<b>Part 7. DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE. FOR ADMINISTRATIVE USE ONLY.</b>							
Income conversion factors for annual income: weekly X 52; two weeks X 26; twice a month X 24; monthly X 12 Household Income: \$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Every 2 Weeks <input type="checkbox"/> Twice Monthly <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly <input type="checkbox"/> Annually Household Size _____							
Application Approved:		<input type="checkbox"/> Income <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Child (free)		<input type="checkbox"/> FIP/Food Assistance			
		<input type="checkbox"/> Head Start DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED		<input type="checkbox"/> Tier 1			
		<input type="checkbox"/> Homeless/Migrant/Runaway (Schools only) -Local Official Documentation Required					
Eligibility Determination:		<input type="checkbox"/> Free Meals		<input type="checkbox"/> Reduced Price Meals		<input type="checkbox"/> Free Milk	
Application Denied:		<input type="checkbox"/> Incomplete		<input type="checkbox"/> Over income limits			
Determining Official Signature _____				Effective Date _____			
				Confirming Official Signature (Schools only) _____ Date _____ Follow-Up Official Signature (Schools only) _____ Date _____			

**hawk-i /Medicaid Information Form: Read this information and sign if you do not want your name released to hawk-i or Medicaid.**

If your children do not have health insurance, many families getting free and reduced price meals can also get free or low-cost health insurance for their children.

The law requires schools to share your free and reduced price meal eligibility information with Medicaid and hawk-i, the State's medical insurance program for children. Specifically, we will give them your child's name and your name and address. Medicaid and hawk-i can only use the information to identify children who may be eligible for free or low-cost health insurance and then to contact you. They are not allowed to use the information from your free and reduced meal application for any other purpose.

Childcare organizations may share this information at their option.

You are not required to allow us to share information from your children's free and reduced price meal application with Medicaid or the hawk-i program. It will not affect your children's eligibility for free and reduced price meals. If you do NOT want your information shared with Medicaid or hawk-i, you must tell us by completing the information below at the time you complete this eligibility application. If you want further information, you may call hawk-i at 1-800-257-8563.

**I DO NOT want school/home sponsor/child care or Head Start center officials to share information from my free and reduced price meal application with Medicaid or hawk-i. Also, if you are already receiving Medicaid or hawk-i, please sign below. This will avoid another contact.**

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ School/Child Care/Head Start Center: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ School/Child Care/Head Start Center: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ School/Child Care/Head Start Center: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name (Printed) \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Self-Employment Income Worksheet: This worksheet will assist you in calculating the amount to report if you engage in farming, are self-employed, or have income from other sources.**

Persons who are engaged in farming or who operate other types of private businesses may experience variations in cash flow or monthly income throughout the year. These persons may use their income tax records from the preceding calendar year as a basis for applying for the free and reduced price meals. The income to be reported is income derived from the business venture less operating costs incurred in the generation of that income. Deductions for personal expenses such as medical expenses and other non-business deductions are not allowed in reducing gross business income.

If you have additional income from other kinds of employment, this income must be treated as separate and apart from the income generated from your business venture. USDA DOES NOT recognize income the same way as IRS. USDA does not permit a loss from a business venture to off-set earnings from wages or salary. Though your business may have suffered a net operational loss, for purposes of this application, it is not possible to have a negative income. **The least self-employed income possible is zero (no income).** For example, if you operated a business at a net loss but held another job where you received wages, your income for purposes of applying for free or reduced price meals would be the income from your wages only. The loss from the business cannot be deducted from the amount of the income earned in the other job.

A prior year loss from farming or other private business operation cannot be used to reduce the current year net income for determining free and reduced price eligibility. Wages paid to a spouse or other family member in the operation of a farm or private business must be shown as household income in Part 5 of the application.

**Income from private business operations is to be taken from your most recent U.S. Individual Income Tax Return - Form 1040. Use the lines from the 1040 that are identified.**

Line 12 - Business income or (loss) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Line 13 - Capital gain or (loss) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Line 14 - Other gains or (losses) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Line 17 - Rental real estate, royalties, partnerships, S corporations, trusts, etc. \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Line 18 - Farm income or (loss) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**The least income possible is zero (a negative number cannot be reported)**

Total ÷ 12\* = \_\_\_\_\_

\*Enter amount in the "All Other Income Last Month" column in Part 5 on the front of the Iowa Eligibility Application.

### Waiver Statement

If your child(ren) qualifies for free or reduced price meals, you may also be eligible for other benefits. One of these benefits a full or partial waiver book fees and activity tickets. If you sign this waiver, your child(ren) will be considered for a full or partial waiver of book fees and activity tickets I understand that I will be releasing information that will show that I applied for free and reduced price school meals for my child(ren). I give up my rights to confidentiality for waiver of school fees ONLY.

I certify that I am the parent/guardian of the child(ren) for whom application is being made.

Signature of Parent/guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**YOU DO NOT HAVE TO COMPLETE THIS WAIVER TO GET FREE OR REDUCED PRICE SCHOOL MEALS.**



# Central Lyon 2015-16 Registration Form

**Parent/Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Primary language spoken at home: \_\_\_\_\_

My name/address has changed since last year: (please circle one) **YES** **NO**

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home/Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate below if your student has any medical situation that the school should know about such as asthma, diabetes, heart problems, epilepsy seizures, paraplegic, hearing loss, physical handicap, medications or allergies, or other (please specify).

**Child's name & medical situation:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Ethnicity:** H = Hispanic or Latino N = Non Hispanic or Latino

**Race:** A=Asian, B=Black or African American, I=American Indian or Alaska Native, P=Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander, W=White, O=Other

STUDENT'S FIRST & LAST NAME	BIRTHDATE	GRADE	ETHNICITY	RACE	
1					Country Born In: Numbers of years student has attended school in the US: _____
2					Country Born In: Numbers of years student has attended school in the US: _____
3					Country Born In: Numbers of years student has attended school in the US: _____
4					Country Born In: Numbers of years student has attended school in the US: _____
5					Country Born In: Numbers of years student has attended school in the US: _____
6					Country Born In: Numbers of years student has attended school in the US: _____
7					Country Born In: Numbers of years student has attended school in the US: _____
	<b>Fee</b>	<b>Reduced</b>	<b>Waived</b>	<b># Students</b>	<b>Total</b>
Book Fees (PS - 8)	\$35.00	\$14.00			
Book Fees High School	\$45.00	\$18.00			
Activity Ticket	\$50.00	\$20.00			
Meal Account					

**Paid By:** Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Fee**

**PARENTAL AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE FORM FOR THE ADMINISTRATION  
OF TYLENOL, IBUPROFEN, FIELD TRIPS AND PHOTOS**

Central Lyon Community School District has my permission to administer the following product(s) to my child/student for the 2015-2016 school year:

\_\_\_\_\_ Tylenol      \_\_\_\_\_ Ibuprofen

Central Lyon CSD will occasionally photograph students while they are participating in school related activities. These photos & the student's name may be used in school related publications, directories, bulletin boards, reports, newspapers, or brochures. The Central Lyon CSD has adopted a policy designed to assure parents and students the full implementation, protection and enjoyment of their rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1971. A copy of the school district's policy (Code No. 506.2) is available for review in the office of the principal of all of our schools. This statement includes school photos, memory books, and yearbooks. Please **circle one** of the following statements and sign on the line below:

\* **YES:** Central Lyon may use my child's likeness/photo & name in school related publications & directories as outlined in Code No. 506.2.

\* **NO:** Central Lyon may NOT use my child's likeness/photo & name in school related publications & directories.

Central Lyon CSD occasionally will schedule in town and out of town field trips for specific classes or events. On rare situations it may be necessary to have a non-staff member drive for an event. My signature below indicates that I am aware that a non-staff member may drive my student to/from an event. Please **circle one** of the statements & sign on the line below:

\* **YES:** my child has my permission attend a school sponsored event or field trip.

\* **NO:** my child may not attend a school sponsored event or field trip.

In case of accident or serious illness, the school will contact the child's parent or guardian. If the school is unable to reach the parent/guardian, the signature below authorizes the school to make the necessary arrangements for the child's medical care.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



# SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR

## TRANSITIONAL KINDERGARTEN

- 1 backpack (NO wheels on the bag)
- 1 PLASTIC pocket folder – with bottom pockets
- 1 paint shirt (old t-shirt works best)
- 1 resting mat—NO plastic mats  
(Please sew a loop on the resting mat)
- 1 box zipper baggies (any size)
- 4 glue sticks
- 1 8-color watercolor paint (*Crayola* or *Prang*)
- 1 1" white 3-ring binder, clear sleeve on cover
- 1 3-ring zippered pencil pouch case-clear window
- 1 package of sheet protectors

## GRADE 2

- 2 pencil sharpeners that collect shavings
- 1 paint shirt (old t-shirt)—put name on shirt
- 1 pocket folder (pocket on the bottom)
- 2 pack of white board dry erase markers
- 1 yellow highlighter

Please label your child's materials in grades K-2.



## GRADE 5

- 4 single subject spiral notebooks  
(NO black covers please)
- 2 packets of loose leaf paper (wide lined)
- 1 1" 3-ring binder, hard cover
- 1 pencil case
- 3 green or blue marking pens (no gel pens)
- 2 wide tip dry erase markers
- 1 roll of *Scotch* tape
- 1 accordion folder
- 1 calculator (basic operations only)
- 1 pkg colored markers for art (*Sharpie* or *Bic Mark It*)

## KINDERGARTEN

- 1 backpack (NO wheels on the bag)
- 2 PLASTIC pocket folders – with prongs  
1 purple, 1 yellow
- 1 paint shirt (old t-shirt works best)
- 1 resting mat or towel—NO plastic mats  
(Please sew a loop on the resting mat)
- 4 glue sticks
- 1 1/2" white 3-ring binder, clear sleeve on cover
- 1 3-ring zippered pencil pouch case-clear window
- 1 single subject notebook (wide rule)

## GRADE 3

- 2 pens (blue, red, or green)
- 1 pocket folder—3 hole punched
- 1 1" white 3-ring binder, with sleeves
- 1 paint shirt (old t-shirt)
- 4 highlighters (any color)
- 1 pencil pouch—3 hole punch
- 1 packet of 100 loose leaf paper (wide lined)
- dry erase markers & eraser
- 1 pkg colored markers for art (*Sharpie* or *Bic Mark It*)
- 1 composition book—cover is blue or black speckled (9 3/4 x 7 1/2, 100 pages)
- tote bag—no wheels, please
- ear buds

## GRADES 6-8

- 1 composition notebook (6th grade only)
- 6 wide lined spiral notebooks
- 8 pocket folders
- 2 blue or black pens
- 1 roll of *Scotch* tape
- 1 scientific calculator (marked with name)
- 1 clear protractor
- 1 math compass
- 1 clear 12 inch ruler (standard/metric)
- Paper bags or wrapping paper for book covers
- 1 flash drive
- ear buds for computer
- 1 pkg colored markers for art (*Sharpie* or *Bic Mark It*)

## GRADE 1

- 6 large glue sticks (1.4 oz)
- 4 pocket folders, green, yellow, red, and blue  
(Pocket on the bottom, no prongs)
- 2 dry erase markers (*EXPO*)
- 1 paint shirt (old t-shirt)
- 1 tote bag or backpack
- 4 composition notebooks—wide ruled  
(9 3/4 x 7 7/8, 100 pages)
- 1 1" 3-ring binder, clear sleeve on cover
- 1 fabric 3-ring pencil case

## GRADE 4

- 2 spiral notebooks/wide lined, single subject  
(1 red, 1 blue)
- 1 plastic two-pocket folder
- 4 or more mechanical pencils + lead refill
- 6 pens (2blue, 2 red, 2 black)
- 1 zippered pencil pouch (flat-fit in accordion file)
- 4 jumbo book covers (no adhesive covers)
- 2 rolls *Scotch* tape; 1 glue stick
- 1 accordion file folder, 5 or more pockets
- 2 highlighters (any color)
- 3 black *Expo* dry erase markers
- 1 marker set (fine line)
- 1 pkg colored markers for art (*Sharpie* or *Bic Mark It*)

## GRADES 9-12

- ear buds for computer, notebook, and folders
- supplies vary by class



## PK-6 School Supplies Provided by School Utilizing Casino Funds

For the 2015-2016 school year, PK-6<sup>th</sup> grade students will be provided, free of charge, a school supply box filled with standard school supplies. The Central Lyon School Board has decided to utilize a portion of the district's casino funds to purchase these supplies for ALL students in the elementary grades. The intent of the program is to have the sturdy supply box follow the student from grade to grade and refill the supplies as needed every year. As the casino funds come into the district, the school board determines the usage based on two conditions: to provide opportunities or supplies that would not normally be part of the budget, and to impact as many students as possible with the purchases. There are a few grade specific supplies (listed above) that will need to be purchased by families for students.

The following list of supplies will be provided to every student PK-6 on the first day of school:

- ◇ 24 ct. crayons
- ◇ twistable crayons
- ◇ scissors
- ◇ *Elmer's* white glue
- ◇ erasers & pencils
- ◇ washable markers; art box
- ◇ 12 ct. large triangular 5.5 mm color pencils
- ◇ 12 ct. large 5.5 mm color pencils

## Fall Note-Worthy Dates

✓ Student Registration	7/29
✓ Open House—TK, Kgn, 1st	8/25
✓ <b>First Day of School</b>	8/26
✓ TK/Kdg Parent Night	9/01
✓ <b>No School</b> —Labor Day	9/07
✓ <b>Preschool First Day of School</b>	9/08
✓ Picture Days	9/22 9/23, 9/24
✓ TK/Kdg Parent/Teacher Conf.	9/17
✓ <b>Homecoming</b>	9/18
✓ <b>2:20 Dismissal</b> —Teacher Collaboration	9/23
✓ Hot Lunch Week/Book Fair	10/5-9
✓ Mass Band Show; Booster Tailgate	10/09
✓ CL Foundation Fall Event	10/10
✓ <b>1:00 Dismissal</b> —Teacher Collaboration	10/14
✓ <b>Parent/Teacher Conferences</b>	10/29
✓ <b>Parent/Teacher Conferences</b>	11/05

The Central Lyon Booster Club will have  
**Lion Wear** (CL clothing)

available for purchase during registration

**July 29**

And again at parent/teacher conferences

**October 29 & November 5**

## INCLEMENT WEATHER ANNOUNCEMENT

If school will be closed, starting late, or dismissing early due to inclement weather, an announcement will be broadcast on the following radio and TV stations: KQAD (101.1 FM or 800 AM), KIWA (105.3 FM or 1550 AM), KELO TV.

In our effort to improve communication between parents and school, the Central Lyon Community School District is implementing a new announcement broadcast system that will enable school personnel to notify all households and parents by phone or text within minutes of an emergency or unplanned event that causes early dismissal, school cancellation or late start. The new service is provided through the school's student information software company, JMC Inc. This is the same on-line software that you may be using currently to access your student's progress and report cards. More details and sign up for the new JMC Inc. message center will be available at registration.

Please continue to monitor the TV and radio stations or the Central Lyon website at [www.centrallyon.org](http://www.centrallyon.org) for any updates or additional announcements.

**NOTE:** Many radio and TV stations not on our inclement weather list have subscribed to receive the Central Lyon messages and have chosen to announce the Central Lyon information when they receive it. If the JMC Inc. message center is not working, Central Lyon will contact only the following media outlets: KQAD (101.1 FM or 800 AM), KIWA (105.3 FM or 1550 AM), and KELO TV.

## Calendar of Events

Central Lyon School District uses the *rSchool/Today™ Activity Scheduler* as our school calendar. Because it is web based (<http://www.sioxlandconference.org>), we can provide you instant access to the most up-to-date information. In addition, the "Calendar of Events" button at [www.centrallyon.org](http://www.centrallyon.org) links to a Google Calendar which lists the district's activities.

