

# LAKE CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

## Guidance Department

# Class of 2019

## NAVIANCE

- Access link to Naviance is on the front page of the LC website.
- Username: Complete lcstudents.com email
- Password: 7-digit LC Student ID number
- Explore Careers/Colleges
- Compare test scores/GPA to other LCHS students who applied to the same college
- Take Personality/Interest Inventories
- Keep track of prospective colleges
- Request transcripts to colleges, NCAA, etc.
- Receive reminders about LCHS college rep visits
- Link your Common App
- Super Match
- Check out Scholarships
- "Colleges I'm Applying To" (Pay attention to deadlines!)

## ATTENTION JANUARY GRADUATES

PLEASE MAKE SURE TO CONTINUE TO CHECK EMAILS AFTER YOU HAVE COMPLETED CLASSES AS THIS IS HOW LC WILL SEND OUT NOTIFICATIONS REGARDING GRADUATION, ETC!

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## GRADUATION

Graduation will be held at LCHS on Sunday, June 2nd, 2019. Information concerning tickets will be available at the beginning of second semester. For planning purposes, students typically receive four tickets. Questions please contact Mrs. Brumm at lbrumm@lcscmail.com or 219-365-8551 ex. 2050.

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## SENIOR PICTURES

Seniors pictures for the yearbook will be taken this week. This is the official school portrait that will show up in the yearbook. Retakes will be Oct 4th and 5 during lunches. Questions: Email Mrs. Verpooten at sverpoot@lcscmail.com or Ms. Wadycki at cwadycki@lcscmail.com

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## YEARBOOK BABY ADS

Yearbooks will be on sale all year through [www.YearbookOrderCenter.com](http://www.YearbookOrderCenter.com). Use school code 3361. Books are \$55 through August, \$65 September 1st–Christmas Break, and \$75 from January until they sell out. Senior Baby Ads: Also done through [www.YearbookOrderCenter.Com](http://www.YearbookOrderCenter.Com). When you log in using school code 3361, please click "Buy a Yearbook Ad" and build your ad. These must be done by October 28th!!

## COLLEGE FAIRS

This is a great way to meet representatives from many colleges in one day. Also, plan to visit your top three choices in person. If that is not an option, do as much research as possible. Find out:

- What are the admission requirements for this college?
- Does the college have the program(s) in which I am interested?
- How much does it cost to attend? Application deadlines?

### Crown Point HS College Fair

Crown Point High School

Monday, September 10th

5:00pm - 7:00pm

### Central Midwest College Fair

Purdue Northwest

Thursday, September 13th

6:00pm - 7:30pm

### Chicago National College Fair

McCormick Place

Saturday, September 29th

11:00am - 3:00pm

### Indianapolis National College Fair

Indiana Convention Center

Thursday, September 20th

6:00-8:00pm (EST)

## CAP & GOWN

Cap and gown orders are placed through Herff Jones. They will be available for ordering during lunch on several dates in the Fall... TBA.... Watch the daily announcements. Orders can also be done on line—[www.kingsley-inc.com](http://www.kingsley-inc.com). Questions 574-583-3420.

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## COMMENCEMENT SPEECH

A meeting to discuss the speech criteria will be held at a future date. Please pay attention to your emails and read the daily announcements for details.

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## INVESTED INDIANA

Tuesday, November 13

FAFSA Completion Event

9:00-10:30 am & 4:30-6:00 pm

Financial Aid Night

6:00-8:00 pm in LGI room

Note: The BEST source of financial aid information comes directly from the financial aid department in which the student is interested.

## MILITARY VISITS TO LC

ARMY, AIR FORCE, NAVY, MARINES, AND NATIONAL GUARD

These branches of the military will visit during the lunch hours on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays

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On August 17, 2009, the Lake Central School Board adopted a policy to eliminate class rank from the high school transcript. Board Policy 007.22 took effect with the graduating class of 2012. There will no longer be a class valedictorian and salutatorian. Since LCHS no longer ranks, we use a GPA rank percentage. Use the chart below when completing applications!

### DISTINGUISHED HONORS

Grade point average is based on a 4.0 scale. A weighted factor is used for Honors and Advanced Placement classes resulting in an individual's GPA exceeding a 4.0. Three distinct classifications will be recognized at graduation:

- Summa cum laude, "With highest honor" will be individuals at and above a GPA of 4.5. These students will be recognized with a gold hood.
- Magna cum laude, "With great honor" will be individuals with a GPA between 4.2500 and 4.4999. These students will be recognized with a gold stole.
- Cum laude, "with honor" will be individuals with a GPA between 4.000 and 4.2499. These students will be recognized with gold cords.

To qualify for any of these distinctions, individuals will need a minimum of 47 credits at the end of the 8th semester.

Important Note: Senior Honors Night takes place prior to the completion of the 8th semester. As a result, students that have qualified for one of the distinctions by the end of the 7th semester are recognized at this event. Every effort will be made to recognize students that reach one of the distinctions at the end of the 8th semester (graduation program, commencement seating, etc.), but due to time restraints, this will not be guaranteed.

### TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS

Before July 15, 2019- Request through NAVIANCE!

After July 15, 2019- Request through PARCHMENT!

Both of these services allow LCHS Guidance to "upload" to your destination of choice. LCHS will upload within 2-3 business days. It is then up to the receiver to access and "download" your transcripts. YOU can check the delivery and receipt of your transcripts through Naviance (or Parchment after July 15, 2019.)

### FINAL TRANSCRIPTS

Your FINAL TRANSCRIPTS will be sent to your chosen school by June 30th, 2019. YOU must select the final destination in Naviance. In April or May, you will have a final meeting with your counselor. At that time, you will be able to fill out your graduation survey. This is how you will designate where your final transcripts will be sent. If you still have not made your final decision, you will have until June 3rd to complete your graduation survey

You will likely get a notification from your chosen university indicating your "final transcripts have not been sent". These notifications typically begin to go out in April or May. (We have seen these notifications as early as January!) Don't panic! This is only sent to you as a reminder and does not indicate a missed deadline. LC completes their school year earlier than the majority of schools nationwide so we are NOT behind on this.

LC Class of 2019	
4.58+	Top 1%
4.32	Top 5%
4.096	Top 10%
3.907	Top 15%
3.729	Top 20%
3.579	Top 25%
3.47	Top 30%
3.353	Top 35%
3.242	Top 40%
3.143	Top 45%
2.984	Top 50%
2.855	Top 55%
2.763	Top 60%
2.654	Top 65%
2.485	Top 70%
2.299	Top 75%
2.111	Top 80%
1.869	Top 85%
1.619	Top 90%
1.31	Top 95%
Class size - 841	

\* Class size and grade point averages based on 8/1/2018

# WEDNESDAY

# OCTOBER 17

In order to be considered for merit scholarship consideration for November 1st deadline schools, you MUST have all application materials, including teacher recommendations AND transcripts, completed and submitted by this date!

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Counselors will be meeting individually with senior students beginning at the end of August. You do not need to put in a pass for the counselor. You will be called down to the guidance office.

### IMPORTANT DATES

- September 3rd– No School, Labor Day
- September 28th– Homecoming
- September 29th– Homecoming Dance
- October 1st– FAFSA opens
- October 10th– College Visits/ PSAT for 9-11.
- October 17th– ALL APPLICATION MATERIALS FOR NOV 1ST DEADLINE DUE!
- October 25-26th– Fall Break, No School
- November 13th– Financial Aid Day/ Night
- November 22-23rd– No School, Thanksgiving Break
- December 21st– Last Student Day of 1st semester
- December 22-January 7th– Winter Break
- January 8th– First Day of 2nd semester
- January 21st– No School, MLK Day
- January 19th– Winter Formal
- February 18th– No School, President's Day
- March 25-29th– No School, Spring Break
- April 1st– Resume School
- April 12th– Senior Banquet
- April 15th– FAFSA Deadline
- April 26th– Senior Scholarship Breakfast (tentative)
- May 4th– Prom
- May 15th– Senior Honors Night (tentative)
- May 24th– Last Student Day (tentative)
- June 2nd– Graduation

### WHO IS MY COUNSELOR?

Mrs. May: A-Carli	rmay@lcscmail.com
Mrs. Denton: Carlj-Ew	bdenton@lcscmail.com
Mrs. Ochman: Ex-Hen	kochman@lcscmail.com
Ms. Raber: Heo-Lach	nraber@lcscmail.com
Ms. St. Clair: Laci-Morri	mstclair@lcscmail.com
Ms. Kline: Morro-Re	akline@lcscmail.com
Mrs. Rodgers: Rf-Sul	jrodgers@lcscmail.com
Mr. Golumbeck: Sum-Z	tgolumbe@lcscmail.com

### SCHOLARSHIPS

\*IU Wells- for any major at Indiana University. Due to LC on September 12th at 2:30 pm. LC will then interview and select two nominees to submit to IU, where those students then compete with other students from other high schools for roughly 20 scholarships.

\*Lilly Scholarship- for any Indiana college. Has a strong financial need component. LC can nominate one student who then competes with other students from across the state for one of six scholarships. OPEN NOW: [www.legacyfdn.org](http://www.legacyfdn.org) DEADLINE for Counselor recommendations 9/5.

\*Jim and Betty Dye– for Lake County students attending Indiana University, IUN, Purdue, Purdue Northwest, IUPUI or Ball State. This is an online application that is due around the middle of February.

### SEE MRS. BEREDA IN GUIDANCE FOR:

- Any Naviance questions
  - Transcripts (online and paper copy)
  - Teacher Recommendations
  - NCAA/NAIA requests
- Available 6:30-2:30 Monday-Friday  
sbereda@lcscmail.com OR 219-365-8551 ex. 2067

### MILITARY INFORMATION

See your counselor or Ms. Raber in Guidance for any questions regarding the military.

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# SAT 2018-2019

ww.collegeboard.com  
With Writing: \$64.50

LC School Code: 153112  
Without Writing: \$47.50

TEST DATE	LOCATION	REGISTRATION DEADLINE	LATE REGISTRATION (ONLINE, ADDITIONAL FEE REQUIRED)
October 6, 2018	Hanover HS Highland HS Munster HS	September 7, 2018	September 26, 2018
November 3, 2018	Morton HS Purdue Calumet Merrillville HS	October 5, 2018	October 24, 2018
December 1, 2018	Purdue Calumet Morton HS Crown Point HS Merrillville HS	November 2, 2018	November 24, 2018
March 9, 2019	Griffith HS Munster HS Purdue Calumet	February 2, 2019	February 28, 2019
May 4, 2019	Highland HS Hanover HS Munster HS	April 5, 2019	April 25, 2019
June 1, 2019	Lake Central HS Purdue Calumet	May 3, 2019	May 22, 2019

# ACT 2018-2019

ww.act.org  
With Writing: \$67.00

LC School Code: 153112  
Without Writing: \$50.50

TEST DATE	LOCATION	REGISTRATION DEADLINE	LATE REGISTRATION (ONLINE, ADDITIONAL FEE REQUIRED)
September 8, 2018	Lake Central HS Purdue Calumet	August 10, 2018	August 26, 2018
October 27, 2018	Purdue Calumet	September 28, 2018	October 14, 2018
December 8, 2018	Highland HS Purdue Calumet Morton HS	November 2, 2018	November 19, 2018
February 9, 2019	Morton HS Andrean HS	January 11, 2019	January 18, 2019
April 13, 2019	Illiana Christian HS Highland HS Munster HS Purdue Calumet	March 8, 2019	March 25, 2019
June 8, 2019	Purdue Calumet Crown Point HS Merrillville HS	May 3, 2019	May 20, 2019
July 13, 2019	Purdue Calumet Merrillville HS	June 14, 2019	June 24, 2019

If you would like to take the ACT or SAT one more time, you will need to register, choose a location, choose a date, and pay at [ACT.org/student](http://ACT.org/student) or [collegeboard.org/register](http://collegeboard.org/register). Be sure to indicate Lake Central High School as your high school. Code 153112

ACT and SAT will send score reports to four colleges free of charge if the request is made during registration or prior to the test date. After testing, both will charge a fee to send your scores.