

Henry E. Lackey High School

Lackey LOOK OUT



https://www.ccboe.com/schools/lackey/

November 16, 2022

Upcoming Events

Date	Event
November 17 - 19	Fall Play "Arsenic and Old Lace" – 6:30 p.m. nightly
November 23 – 25	Thanksgiving Holiday
	Schools/Offices Closed
November 30	"It's Academic!" Tournament @ North Point HS - 6:00 p.m.
December 7	Two-hour Early Dismissal
December 12	Interim Reports Posted
December 13	Choral Winter Concert – 6:30 p.m.
December 15	Band and Orchestra Winter Concert – 6:30 p.m.
December 23 -	Winter Break
January 2	Schools Closed

Student Spotlight







Our first drill competition of the year, and second post-COVID, is in the books! At the Alexandria City High School Invitational Drill Competition (14 schools total) we placed:

Team Events

- 2nd in Unarmed Exhibition Platoon (commanded by Cadet 1st Lieutenant Delanie Davis)
- 2nd in Armed Squad Regulation (commanded by Cadet 2nd Lieutenant Brisa Montoya-Orellana)

Individual Events (roughly 75 cadets per event)

- 8th in Unarmed Knockout (Cadet Lieutenant Colonel Krista Kurtz)
- 8th in Armed Knockout (Cadet Staff Sergeant James Wells)

Our team is heavy with first-year cadets, having a handful of fourth-year seniors and a few second-year cadets. They competed very well, had a lot of parental support, and are looking forward to the next competition on Saturday, December 3rd.

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Federal Impact Aid Forms

Federal Impact Aid Forms were distributed to students on November 7th. Charles County Public Schools is continuing with a project to verify the data in the student database. All information is strictly confidential. Part of the federal funding we receive is based on the collection of these forms. The federal funding helps us with improvements to our building and resources used by our staff and students.

Please help us by completing this form verifying that the information is correct to the best of your knowledge and returning it with your child to school *no later than Friday, November 18th, 2022.*

Key Club Food Drive

The Key Club is sponsoring a non-perishable Food Drive to benefit our local children's aid society. Donations are due by close of business this Friday, November 18th and may be dropped off in Ms. Creelman's Classroom D2. Please click on the <u>flyer</u> and <u>item ideas</u> for more information. Thank you for your kindness and generosity this holiday season!

FALL PLAY "Arsenic and Old Lace"

The Henry E. Lackey Masqued Chargers present "Arsenic and Old Lace" fall play on November 17, 18, and 19 at 6:30 p.m. nightly. Tickets are \$7.00 for general admission, \$5.00 for students/senior citizens/military.



SENIOR NEWS

Senior Picture Make-Up Day

The senior picture make-up date is December 16th. Appointment times will be in the evening and scheduling will be online. A scheduling link will be sent to parent emails via Synergy when scheduling is available.

Senior Class Dues

Senior Class dues are \$130. Please go to www.myschoolbucks.com to pay dues online. Dues may also be paid with cash or check (payable to Lackey High School) in the main office or to Mr. Mosey. Dues include: Cap & Gown, Graduation stole and tassel, Senior Shirt, Diploma & Cover, Graduation Programs, Senior Awards, Senior Class Picnic, Senior Yard Sign

Class of 2023



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School Psychologist Corner

Report card time: What is your grade?



By now you have your child's report card and can discuss their progress with them. I was making myself a report card to think about how my progress has been this year, and I made one for parents and teens as well. These "report cards" will give you a chance to consider how to improve your relationships and are also great conversation points. Some parents ask their children to do the ratings, some like to do their own. The purpose is not to have a child tell you what to do, or to berate you. Rather, it is a tool you can choose to use to discuss what is going right or wrong in your family.

In the table below, I have a parent and a teen family report card. Look it over and see what you think!

Parent Items	Parent Grade	Teen Items	Teen Grade
I show my child I love them		I show my family I love them	
I spend time with my child		I spend time with my family	
I listen to what my child says		I listen to what my parent says	
I am truthful		I am truthful	
I control my anger and words		I control my anger and words	
I am fair with discipline		I accept my boundaries	
I ask about their progress in school		I try my best at school	
I write a note when my child is absent		I try to attend school daily	
I am willing to say sorry and I forgive you		I am willing to say sorry and I forgive you	

Below is a report card I gave myself as your school psychologist, just to help me think about how I can be as helpful as possible to you and your child. You may give me feedback as you wish.

School Psychologist Items	Grade
I listen to you when you call or visit	
I provide you with resources when you need them	
I am responsive to you and your child	
I have a basic knowledge of school psychology	
I care about you and your child	

I have enclosed my link for Bookings if anyone would like to make an appointment with me: https://outlook.office365.com/owa/calendar/SchoolPsychologist@ccboe.com/bookings/

Let me know if there is anything I can do to help you. Respectfully.

Beverly C. Hoy, Ph.D., 301-753-1753, bhoy@ccboe.com



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ATTENDANCE

- Attendance notes need to be submitted within 5 days of absence to be excused.
- Please clearly print the students <u>FIRST</u> and <u>LAST</u> name and student ID number.
- The Attendance Secretary is not responsible for robocalls. They are auto-generated and go out for excused and unexcused absences.
- To check your student's absences, go to ParentVUE and look under "Attendance".
- If your student is marked absent, and you know they are present, please reach out to the teacher directly in ParentVUE.

Absentee Notes

- Be sure to include the dates absent.
- All absentee notes for students must have a parent's signature.
- Requests for administrative approval of absences must be sent to the respective grade level administrator at least 2 weeks in advance.

Absence notes and attendance concerns should be submitted to the Attendance Secretary, Ms. Mullins, at mmullins@ccboe.com.

COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

SAT Testing

Please click on the link below for information regarding the collegeboard and SAT test dates and registration. https://www.collegeboard.org/ For practice, please go to www.khanacademy.org

Please contact your child's counselor with any questions regarding registration.

ACT Test Dates

Please go to the website below for information pertaining to the ACT test dates and registration. https://www.act.org/

Please contact your child's counselor with any questions regarding registration.

<u>Useful Websites</u> College Applications

www.commonapp.org

commonblackcollegeapp - Apply to any number of 68 HBCUs for only \$20.



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College Search

www.xap.com www.collegeboard.org www.petersons.com www.overgrad.com

Scholarships and Financial Aid

www.fastweb.com www.cappex.com Home | Federal Student Aid www.scholarships.com www.college-scholarships.com

Senior Corner

Seniors, please remember to keep a close eye on your application deadlines for both colleges and scholarships.

Transcript Requests

Please contact your <u>appropriate counselor based on your last name</u> for a transcript request packet. Packet must be turned in at least <u>10 business days</u> before your deadline.

REMINDERS

Dropping off Lunches

- Parents may drop off forgotten lunches in the main office.
- > Parents may drop off lunch for their child only.
- Parents and/or students are not permitted to order food to be delivered to the school.
- > Deliveries will be turned away.

Picking up a student

Only a parent or legal guardian (living at the address where the student is registered) may sign a student out of school unless there is a SCHOOL EMERGENCY, and the SCHOOL is unable to reach the parent or legal guardian. If a parent or legal guardian is sending someone to pick up a student from school FOR ANY REASON, he/she MUST send a written note in advance indicating who will be picking up the student and giving consent which requires a legal signature. This rule applies whether or not the person who is picking up the student appears on the Emergency Information Card. Upon receiving a note from a parent/guardian the school will verify its authenticity with verbal confirmation with the parent/guardian and verifying the ID of the adult who signs the student out of the building. The parent or legal guardian must provide written documentation explaining the reason for the early dismissal. The school will then code the early dismissal as lawful or unlawful according to the Code of Maryland Regulations 13a.08.01.03.

Student Dress Code

Suggestive, provocative or excessively tight clothing is not allowed to be worn to school or to school-sponsored activities. CCPS does not allow clothing to be worn on school property or to school-sponsored activities, which displays messages, or images that are offensive, vulgar, harassing, or otherwise inappropriate for the school setting. Clothing that is judged by the school administration to be disruptive to the orderly school process either by virtue of the design or in the manner in which it is worn is also forbidden.



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Members of the Charles County Association of Student Councils, in collaboration with parents, staff, and community members, developed the following system-wide dress code, as amended and approved by the Board of Education.

- 1. Clothing must be suitable for all scheduled classroom activities including physical education, science labs, wood shop, and other activities where unique hazards exist.
- 2. Shorts and skirts are permitted as long as they reach the middle of the thigh, defined as shoulders relaxed and arms straight down alongside the body where fingertips touch the thigh. Slits in the skirt may not rise more than two inches above fingertips.
- 3. Clothing must cover the chest area, cleavage, torso, and undergarments. Tops may not be lower than mid-back.
- 4. Spaghetti straps and garments that are both strapless and sleeveless are not permitted during the school day.
- 5. Undergarments must not be visible at any time.
- 6. Pants must be secured no lower than mid-hip.
- 7. Ripped pants are permitted as long as rips fall below the shorts length criteria, are limited to the front side of the leg, and do not exceed three inches in diameter above the knee. Skin exposed by all other rips must be covered by opaque clothing that is not underwear.
- 8. Leggings, biker-type/spandex shorts, or joggers must be opaque and worn with a top that meets the length expectations of shorts and skirts (see #2).
- 9. Backless and open-toed shoes with a hard sole are permitted as long as the shoes do not pose a safety hazard. Foam and similar soft-soled shoes, such as flip-flops or beach footwear, are prohibited.
- 10. Headwear is not permitted. This includes, but is not limited to, hats, skull caps, visors, bandannas, sweat bands, shower caps, and hoods. Scarves may be worn as a headband only. (Exceptions may be granted based on religious and medical reasons with proper verification.) Sunglasses are not permitted except during outdoor activities.
- 11. Sleepwear and sleepwear-type clothing are only permitted for certain activities, such as overnight field trips and spirit days.
- 12. Clothing that displays or symbolizes any language or material that is inappropriate for school or offensive to any group is not permitted. This includes, but is not limited to, material relating to drugs, alcohol, profanity, obscenity, racism, gang activity and violence.
- 13. Formal attire must not be disruptive or distracting. Spaghetti straps and strapless formal garments are acceptable as long as adequate coverage is maintained during the activity. Slits in skirts or other garments must meet the expectations for the same in rule #2. Transparent attire is prohibited. Necklines may not fall below mid-sternum. Backless garments are permitted at any formal affair.
- 14. The dress code is in effect for participating students at all school-sponsored events on and off campus.

Note: Administrators have the flexibility to exercise their judgment, with the authority of the executive director of schools, to determine if a student's attire is considered disruptive, distracting, or a safety hazard. Exceptions may be granted for medical or religious reasons.

For day-to-day announcements, highlights and special events please follow us on twitter at Henry E. Lackey H.S. @LackeyHS



The Charles County public school system does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age or disability in its programs, activities or employment practices. For inquiries, please contact Kathy Kiessling, Title IX/ADA/Section 504 Coordinator (students) or Nikial M. Majors, Title IX/ADA/Section 504 Coordinator (employees/adults), at Charles County Public Schools, Jesse L. Starkey Administration Building, P.O. Box 2770, La Plata, MD 20646; 301-932-6610/301-870-3814. For special accommodations call 301-934-7230 or TDD 1-800-735-2258 two weeks prior to the event.

CCPS provides nondiscriminatory equal access to school facilities in accordance with its Use of Facilities rules to designated youth groups (including, but not limited to, the Boy Scouts).