

THE 2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR BEGINS TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2017

Seymour Community School District



August 2017

Looking Toward Our Future



Drum Roll Please!

Welcome
Laurie Asher
Seymour Community
School District
Superintendent

Seymour School District Website

Check the Seymour Community School District website at www.seymour.k12.wi.us for up-to-date school information. Staff lists are available as well as school supply lists, student activities and athletic information, photos from class events, and many other posts by individual classroom teachers and athletic and activities coaches. Also on our website you will find school calendars, lunch and breakfast menus and Student and Family Handbooks.

Seymour Community School District

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A Note from Our Superintendent

I would like to extend a warm welcome to our students, families and community members as we begin the 2017-18 school year. The staff has worked hard to prepare for the great school year and we are ready to go! I am anxious for our doors to open on September 5th and great things to begin to happen for all our staff and students! There is nothing more rewarding and exciting as that first day of school!

The focus of the school district remains constant; we care about each and every student. The faculty, staff and school board strive to live our mission every day; create a cooperative community of people committed to constantly improving learning environments that enable students to demonstrate their uniqueness as total persons who are active learners, caring members of society, creative artists, ethical stewards, involved citizens, and productive workers.

Our schools must continue to be safe places where students are engaged, challenged to meet the standards necessary for college or a career, and where fun is definitely encouraged. We want students to build productive and sustaining relationships, and know that our sole purpose is to support them as they become the productive citizens we know they can be. The faculty and staff at the Seymour Community School District are committed to doing just that. The strength of any school is found in its staff!

I am excited and honored to be serving the Seymour Community School District as your new district administrator. I feel privileged to follow in the footsteps of great leaders who have had the vision that allowed this district to remain a leader in many areas. I look forward to learning more about the district and community in order to continue this tradition of striving for excellence. By working together, we have the opportunity to build upon the wonderful traditions of excellence that are in place and to continue to create a world-class educational program.

Laurie Asher

District Administrator

Seymour Community School District 2017-18 Open Houses

Seymour High School

Sophomore – Senior - Tuesday, August 15th, 9:00am – 7:00pm Freshman and New Students – Wednesday, August 23rd, 1:00 – 3:00pm Meet and Greet for Mrs. Asher, District Administrator Wednesday, August 23rd, 2:00 – 3:00pm

Seymour Middle School

6th grade – Monday, August 28th, Students 2:00 – 5:00pm, Parents 4:00 – 5:00pm 7th and 8th grade – Wednesday, August 30th, 3:45 – 5:30pm Meet and Greet for Mrs. Asher, District Administrator Monday, August 28th, 4:30 – 5:00pm Wednesday, August 30th, 3:45 – 4:15pm

Black Creek Elementary and Middle School

All students – Wednesday, August 30th – 3:30 – 5:30pm Meet and Greet for Mrs. Asher, District Administrator Wednesday, August 30th – 4:30 – 5:30pm

Rock Ledge Primary and Intermediate

All students – Thursday, August 31st – 3:30 – 5:30pm Meet and Greet for Mrs. Asher, District Administrator Thursday, August 31st – 4:30 -5:00 – Primary Thursday, August 31st – 5:00 – 5:30 - Intermediate

WHEN CALLING THE SCHOOL

Please Refer To The Following Numbers



Aquatic Center	833-9704
Seymour Community High School	833-2306
Seymour Middle School	833-7199
Rock Ledge Intermediate School	833-7380
Rock Ledge Primary School	833-5155
Black Creek Elementary/Middle School	984-3396
Alternative School	833-7642
Pupil Services	833-5159
Fallen Timbers	984-3700
Administrative Office	833-2304
www.seymour.k12.wi.us	

\$10.00
\$14.00
\$6.00
\$36.00
\$10.00/semester
\$10.00
\$2.00
\$4.00
\$20.00
\$40.00

School Lunch & Breakfast Prices For 2017-2018

В	REAKFAST	Lunch
Grades 5K-5	\$1.15	\$2.45
Grades 6-12	\$1.25	\$2.55
Reduced Meal Price	.30	.40
Adult	\$1.80	\$3.20
Extra Milk/Juice Per C	arton	.30
*K-5 Milk Break/Year		\$47.00
*K-5 Milk Break/Quarte	er	\$12.50



Parents, Please Update Your Child's Medical Information

If you child's medical needs have changes, please contact Tara Walters, Healthy Services Secretary to update this information. She can be contacted through email at twalters@seymour.k12.wi.us or by phone at 920-833-2306, Ext 426. We appreciate your help in keeping our records up to date to ensure all students are safe while attending school.

Milk Break Program

Any family qualifying for free or reduced lunch with children in grades K-5, can receive free milk for milk break. This program is subsidized by the State of Wisconsin.

Children K-5 qualifying for regular lunch may purchase milk at a cost of \$12.50 per quarter or \$47.00 per year.

Free And Reduced Price Lunch Application

Applications for Free and Reduced priced lunches are printed for your use in the newsletter. Extra copies are available in each of the principals' offices and may be obtained any time during regular office hours. It is very important to complete the application completely and promptly to insure efficient processing and approval for the program. You may also get the instructions and application at our website at www.seymour.k12.wi.us and click on DISTRICT, then Food Service Program. For further information or if you have any questions regarding this application please call 833-2306 Ext. 426.

It's Against The Law

Checks returned to Seymour Community School District for nonpayment are subject to a service charge of \$30.00. An attempt will be made to contact the check writer; however, if there is no response after 21 days, the matter will be turned over to Financial Crime Services (FCS). Outagamie County has contracted FCS to conduct all investigations.

Unpaid Meal Policy

Students that have a negative balance of \$8 or more will not be allowed to receive hot lunch or breakfast until a full deposit has been made to the account bringing it above \$0. Students will receive verbal or written notifications that their account has a negative balance. They will be offered a sandwich (cooks choice) and milk for lunch until their account has adequate funds.

School Census

If you are new to the district, have moved within the district or have given birth to your first child within the

past year, please contact Lisa Schultz at 833-2304 or you may go to our website at www.seymour.k12.wi.us and click on District and then click on "Census Information". Fill out the form provided and when you are finished, click on the "Submit" button and your information will be emailed directly to Lisa so we can count your child/children on our school census. We use our census lists to contact families who may be eligible for Early Childhood programs and also for four-year old and five- year old Kindergarten screenings. If you are not sure if you

are listed on our census, you may contact Lisa and she can confirm your information. All children between the ages of new born through 20 years of age are counted on our census.

On-Line Payment System Available –No Fees!

The Seymour Community School District is pleased to include a program called **e-Funds for Schools**. This program offers various options for parents/guardians who **choose** to make payments on-line and is extremely user friendly. You can still make payments by cash or check as you have in the past, but now not only will you have the ability to have various school fees and lunch payments electronically withdrawn from your checking account or charged to your credit card, you also have the flexibility to make a payment at any time through the school's website. The district does not request or keep records of family checking or credit card account information.

The "e~Funds For Schools" electronic payment service is provided to the school by a third party service provider. The system carries a Non-Sufficient Funds (NSF) charge if the payment is "bad". When you set up your account, please review your options carefully.

You are in full control of your account and can make a payment at any time that is convenient for you. No payments will be allowed without your knowledge and authorization through this secure payment system. By providing your home and/or work email address, an email notification informing you of the student's name, purpose of the payment, and the amount of the item will be sent to you each time that a payment is to be processed. The e-Funds for School site is secure and uses industry standard data encryption. The link can be found http:// www.seymour.k12.wi.us/, on the DISTRICT page.

How does e-Funds for Schools work?

- Families set up and maintain their own login, password, and payment preferences. Your account information is retained in a password-protected file.
- and help cut costs for both you and the school district

- On-line payments will help eliminate the worry that your children could lose or forget the money intended for school items or that it might be spent on other non-school related items.
- Payments from a credit card or checking account may easily be set up.
- Parents/guardians may establish a reoccurring payment or may opt to make a one-time payment.
- The program offers various types of payment to families that include but are not limited to instructional materials, registration fees, and food service payments. The system may be expanded to include other fees as well.
- Your payment history for the year is available with a click of the mouse along with any past dues.

Transportation Information

We have included the 2017-2018 bus rules, regulations and disciplinary guidelines which govern all buses. In order to make sure that all students and parents are familiar with the rules and procedures we ask that you review them with your children.

These rules and procedures also appear in the student handbook at each school. We need to stress the importance of prompt and open communication between the parent, bus company and school officials to foster good morale among the students and to insure the highest level of safety is provided to all students.

We also need to encourage students, parents, bus drivers and school officials to establish clear and positive disciplinary routines on the first day of school. This will help maintain a positive disciplinary climate for the balance of the school year. We look forward to the new school year and welcome all students to participate in our transportation program. We will make every effort to insure that your child receives a safe and pleasant bus ride each day.

Bus Transportation Updates/Changes for 2017/2018

If your child/children have a bus transportation change for the next school year, please contact Kobussen Bus at 833-2381 or go to our website to submit a change form. Examples of changes that could affect your child/children is if there is a change in your childcare situation; your family has moved to a different address; your child no longer requires transportation because your child will be driving their own vehicle or getting a ride to school.

It is important that our bus routes be as accurate as possible in case of an emergency or accident.

All eligible children will be assigned to a bus route. Bus drivers cannot transport your child/children unless they are assigned to their bus route.

During the regular school year, a 48 hour notice must be given to the transportation office before any bus route addition or change can go into effect. Either bus route changes or additions can be done online by going to the district website and clicking "Transportation" on the left side of the district home page.

High School Freshman and New Students

Freshmen and new student orientation, will take place on Wednesday, August 23, 2017, from 1:00 -3:00 p.m. Students will be assigned to a small group led by STEP leaders (upper classmen). The goal is for our incoming new students to feel less anxious about their first days at the high school. The event will include schedule pick up, locker number and combinations, pictures taken for ID's, school tour and much more. A snack will be provided as well so students can experience going through the lunch line. Counselors will be available August 23 and 24 for scheduling issues. If necessary, please make an appointment when picking up your schedule.

Sophomore, Juniors and Seniors

Schedules –Students are encouraged to pick up their schedules on **Tuesday, August 15** between 9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Pictures / ID -Sophomores, juniors and seniors must have their pictures taken at the above times before schedules will be released. All students must have their pictures taken for their ID's which will be used with the meal and ELT programs. If your picture is taken at schedule pick-up, you will receive your ID the first day of school.

Student Fees - \$14.00 school fee, \$10.00 art fee per semester, \$10.00 shop fee per semester, and \$10.00 student activity pass can be paid when picking up schedules. \$6.00 physical educations locks are available at the ThunderZone.

Counselors-Counselors will be available on Aug. 15, 16 and 23 by appt. to take care of scheduling issues.

ELT Privileges – Senior Release

Permission slips for ELT privileges and Senior Release will be available at schedule pick up on August 15. Juniors and Seniors with Gold Card Applications filled out and returned by August 24 will receive their gold cards the first day of school. Students turning in applications after August 24 will receive their gold cards at a later date. Sophomores will be able to fill out Gold Card Applications in January.

NEW FOR 2017-18 – High School Homerooms

Homeroom will take place every Wednesday starting at 12:48 and will last for 30 minutes. On Wednesdays, 6th hour will run from 1:21-2:09 and 7th hour will run from 2:12-3:00. All students are scheduled in homeroom and must attend. As a result of homeroom, no ELT will take place on Wednesdays.

High School Absence Reporting Procedure

Parents/Guardians are to call the high school office to report student's absences or to request early dismissal. For the safety of students, 10:00 a.m. courtesy calls will be made to the parent/guardian of students who are marked absent without a previous parent phone call. Working together, parents and school personnel will know where the student is during school hours. Remember to call the high school office at 833-2306 ext. 429 to report a student's absence or to request early dismissal. Parents/guardians may call Seymour High School office 24 hours a day and leave a message at extension 429.

Parents are encouraged to schedule medical appointments after 3:00 p.m. When that isn't possible, it is in your child's best interest to schedule medical appointments during study hall. Please provide proof of appointment timeline from medical provider upon returning from appointment. It is recommended to give as much advance notification as possible of appointments to ensure the student will receive their pass allowing them to leave the building. Calling at the last minute may delay the student from receiving notice and permission to leave the building and causing you to wait unnecessarily. High school class periods are as follows:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

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Period 1	8:00 a.m. to 8:48 a.m.
Period 2	8:51 a.m. to 9:39 a.m.
Period 3	9:42 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Period 4	10:33 a.m. to 11:21 a.m.
Period 5	11:24 a.m. to 11:54 a.m. Lunch A Mod
	11:57 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. Class A Mod
	11:24 a.m. to 12:12 p.m. Class B Mod
	12:15 p.m. to 12:45 p.m. Lunch B Mod
Period 6	12:48 p.m. to 1:36 p.m.
Period 7	1:39 p.m. to 2:28 p.m.
ELT	2:33 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday	·
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Period 2	8:51 a.m. to 9:39 a.m.
Period 3	9:42 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Period 4	10:33 a.m. to 11:21 a.m.
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Homeroom 12:48 p.m. to 1:18 p.m. Period 6 1:21 p.m. to 2:09 p.m. Period 7 2:12 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

No ELT on Wednesdays

A reminder – ELT is part of the school day. Students are not allowed to leave during this time for employment purposes. This includes students with gold card privileges. The school day ends at 3:00 p.m.

Senior College Information Night

Seymour Community High School will be holding a "Senior College Information Night" on **September 18 at 6 p.m.** in the high school auditorium. School counselors will be sharing pertinent information regarding the Technical College and 4-year College information about applications, letters of recommendation, financial aid, scholarships, grants, and loans. A representative from Oneida Higher Education will be on hand to answer individual questions as well. All seniors and their parents are encouraged to attend!

On That First Day

All high school students are to report to their 1st hour class upon arrival at school on Tuesday, September 5, 2017 at 8:00 a.m. Student planners and ID's will be distributed during 1st hour. Senior release will not begin until Wednesday, September 6. Students with on the job and senior release should report to the LMC during that release time. School fees can be paid during study hall the first two days of school. After September 6, school fees can be paid before or after school in the main office.

Thunder Talks

Seymour Community School District provides every student the opportunity to meet three times throughout their school career with their parents and school counselor, separate from parent teacher conferences, in an effort to empower the student in their educational process and future plans. These student-directed conferences, known as Thunder Talks, are scheduled for Grade 5, 8, and 10 students.

Parent involvement in Thunder Talk is integral to the development of a child's personal and social growth, their educational and career development, and future transitioning. Although these meetings are not mandatory, we hope parents will take this opportunity to enhance the communication between themselves, their child, and their child's school counselor.

Thunder Talk conference timelines for 2017-2018

school year:

Grade 8: December-January Grade 10: March-April

Grade 5: April-May



Parents will be notified and given the opportunity to schedule their Thunder Talks. Please contact your child's School Counselor with any questions you may have about this process or to schedule your child's Thunder Talk.

ACT Test Date at Seymour Community School District

The ACT test will be administered at Seymour Community High School on Saturday October 28, 2017. Students wishing to take the test in Seymour must register by September 22, 2017. All Juniors will take the ACT test on February 27, 2018 and the ACT Work Keys test on February 28, 2018. The March testing will be at no cost to the student.

Eligibility Meetings

2017-18 Sports Eligibility Meetings

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Football	Tues., Aug. 1	June 5, Mon.
Girls Golf	Mon., Aug 7	July 31, Mon.
Girls Swim	Tues., Aug. 8	Aug. 8, Tues.
Dance		
Boys Soccer	Mon., Aug. 14	
Volleyball	Mon., Aug. 14	
Cross Co.	Mon. Aug. 14	
Hockey	Mon., Nov. 6	Oct. 23, Mon.
Girls BB	Mon., Nov. 6	Nov. 9, Thurs.
Boys BB	Mon., Nov. 13	
Wrestling	Mon., Nov. 13	
Track	Mon., March 5	Feb. 26, Mon.
Softball	Mon., March 12	2 March 6, Tues.
Baseball	Mon., March 19	9
Soccer	Mon., March 19	9
Boys Golf	Mon., March 2	6

You and a parent/guardian must attend one meeting for the school. You are strongly advised to attend a meeting well before the beginning of your season. At the meeting you will receive additional paperwork that must be on file in the high school office before your first practice. All meetings begin at 6:30 pm in the high school auditorium.

Senior Pictures

Sport Start Dates

Senior pictures must be submitted for the Seymour High School yearbook by **November 3, 2017**. The photographer will usually take care of this, however you will need to make sure your appointment is scheduled early enough for pictures to be submitted before the deadline. Scheduling your senior portrait sitting before school starts in the fall is generally recommended—check with your photographer.

Photo requirements are available on the yearbook wesite:

http:www.seymour.k12.wi.ushighshsyearbook.cfm. Be sure to share these requirements with your photographer prior to your session! Please contact the high school office, (jwussow@seymour.k12.wi.us) with any questions.

Yearbook Grad Ads

All seniors appear in the yearbook free of charge. However, some families also choose to purchase a grad ad honoring their senior and wishing him or her well. This is a much anticipated section of the yearbook and also helps us keep book prices among the lowest in our area! Many grad ads include a baby picture or more recent photo along with a personalized message.

Purchase and create your own grad ad with easy-to-use templates or upload your own design directly through the Jostens website. Ads cost \$30 for a business card size (1/8 page) or \$50 for a 1/4 page size. More information will be provided in the fall—watch your email and the yearbook website for detailed instructions and deadlines. http://www.seymour.k12.wi.us/high/shs-yearbook.cfm Please contact the high school office, (jwussow@seymour.k12.wi.us) with any questions.

High School Yearbook

Seymour High School Yearbooks are available for sale NOW! Yearbooks can be purchased in the following ways. (Be sure to specify Seymour, WISCONSIN.)

- online via jostensyearbooks.com (quick and easy!)
- over the phone, call 1-877-767-5217
- through the mail (watch for order forms sent directly from Jostens in the fall)

Buy early and save! The early bird sale price is \$35.00 but only until September 30th.

Please contact the high school office with any questions. (jwussow@seymour.k12.wi.us)

Yearbook Photo App

Send us your photos!

You could be a yearbook photographer!
Anyone in the community can take pictures at high school events/activities and upload them directly to the yearbook staff via replayit.com. Be sure to specify Seymour, WISCONSIN. The ReplayIt mobile app is also available to conveniently upload pictures directly from your Apple or Android device

Need a Senior Photo? Photographers too expensive?

To help keep the yearbook costs down we are offering this promotion. The Yearbook Staff will take a photo for you to use in the yearbook for \$20!

Price includes:

One 15-20 minute session

On location around the high school

One digital file for you to use for printing, if you choose a portrait to use for the yearbook

*Please note--we are not professional photographers.

We will use our professional camera and do our best to get a nice photo. This is an opportunity to have a nonschool ID photo in the yearbook.

Dates available: August 23 (noon-3pm), September 13 (3-6 pm)

Please email Mrs. Schaumberg to schedule an appointment! cschaumberg@seymour.k12.wi.us

Youth Options

The Youth Options program is offered to juniors and seniors and provides students with the opportunity to earn college or technical college credit while earning high school credit. Students earn .25 high school credit for each college credit. Students may sign up for the equivalent of 3.5 credits per semester, combining courses taken at the Youth Options site and those taken at the high school. Seymour Community High School will pay for up to 18 non-comparable credits. Students interested in participating in the Youth Options program must notify the school board by March 1 for the fall semester and October 1 for the spring semester. Students may get more information and receive the required paperwork from their school counselor. Students must be able to provide their own daily transportation. Transportation costs may also be reimbursed for families demonstrating financial need.

CRITERIA FOR YOUTH OPTIONS

- 1. The student must be in either grade 11 or 12.
- 2. The student must be on track for graduation, have good attendance and be record free of discipline problems.
- 3. If a student receives a failing grade or fails to complete (drops) a course for which the school district has made payment through the Youth Options program, the school board will require reimbursement for all costs related to the course. Reimbursement will be required from the student's parent or guardian or from the student if she/he is an adult.

Seymour Middle School Open House for Grades 7 & 8

Seventh and eighth grade students and their parents are invited to attend the Seymour Middle School Open House on Monday, August 30 from 3:45 – 5:30 p.m. During the Open House students will be able to meet some of their teachers, find their lockers, and pay school fees.

For any students planning to participate in extracurricular sports, an information meeting will be held at 5:30 p.m. in the gymnasium. Please remember that you need a physical or alternate card on file or with you in order to practice. Sports forms can be found on the Seymour Middle School webpage.

SEYMOUR MIDDL	E SCHOOL
MIDDLE	SCHOOL TRANSITION CAMP
Incoming 6th graders are invited to attend Middle School Transition Camp to help make the transition from elementary to middle school a success.	Students: You will meet and make connections with 6th grade advisors/teachers while easing your middle school uncertainties. You will also participate in the following activities: Tour the building and learn different classroom locations Meet various staff (Principal, related arts teachers, library media specialists, Native American Specialist) Meet other students Team Building Activities—cooperative games/problem solving Turn in all necessary middle school forms and pay school fees
Camp Days/Hours:	Receive locker combination and practice opening your locker
Monday, August 28th	p
Students-2:00 to 4:30	
Parents-4:00 to 5:00	Parents:
6th Grade Band Lessons:	You will have an opportunity to turn in all necessary middle school forms and pay school fees any time from 4:00-5:00 pm. There will be a general parent session at 4:00 pm in the gym.
Monday , August 21st & Tuesday, August 22nd	
8:15-9:00 Flutes	Please mail back the registration form below or contact the Middle
9:00-10:00 Sax & Clarinet	School office at 920-833-7199 x302 or via email at jgaller@seymour.k12.wi.us to register your student.
10:00-11:00 Brass	James Cacymod . KIE. W. aa 10 Tegrater your andern.
11:00-11:45 Percussion	
	Middle School Transition Camp Registration
Please enroll my c Transition Camp o	hild, in the Middle School n August 28th.
No, my child,	, will not attend this
opportunity for tra	nsition to the middle school. Students will receive a T-Shirt
T-Shirt Size: Yout	h SmallYouth MedYouth Large t SmallAdult MedAdult Large
Parent/Guardian Signatu	re:

Black Creek Elementary/Middle School Back to School Information

Open House

Our Back to School Open House is on Wednesday, August 30 from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. This is a great time to meet your child's classroom teacher, drop off school supplies, learn about the curriculum, and maybe even see and visit with some of your friends at the TAFFE ice cream social. We are also reminding you to stop by and pay your school fees and locker fees (grade 6 only) at some point. The Open House is a great time for this to happen. Also, this year we are welcoming our new Superintendent of Schools: Laurie Asher to the Seymour Community School District family. If you would like to meet with her during the open house, she will be having a short meet and greet from 4:30-5:00.

Lunch and Brain Boost Breakfast

Remember to take advantage of our wonderful food service program. This year all students K-8 grade will have the opportunity to eat both lunch and breakfast. Stop by the office or call in to see your family can benefit from the district's free and reduced lunch meal programs.

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Remember to always use the crosswalks. It is very difficult for drivers to see, especially, when all the busses are parked in the front.

Please; read all the signage at the entrance and on the streets around the rear round-about, as we are always

up-dating security measures.

4 Year Old Kindergarten

The 4K programing will continue to have AM and PM sessions for this school year.

The AM session will be 8:00 to 11:00. The PM session will be 12:00 to 3:00.

First Day for 2017-2018

The First day of school is September 5. All students should be here by 8:00. Brain Boost breakfast will once again take place from 8:00 – 8:30. If you need copies of the school supply list, they are located at the school's front desk, at most stores, and on the district website.

This year dismissal for all students will be 3:00. The 4K-pm students can be picked-up at 2:55 to assist them in their transition. Once again, all students walking home; riding a bike home; or being pick-up by family will exit the back of the building. The bus riding students will leave from the front.

Rock Ledge Primary & Intermediate Center Back-to-School Open House

Rock Ledge Primary & Intermediate Centers are inviting all students and their parents to tour the school, meet their teacher, and see their new classroom. This event will take place on Thursday, August 31, from 3:30 – 5:30 p.m. Please feel free to bring in your completed forms, fee payments, and school supplies to put in your student's desk for the first day of school! We can't wait to see all of you back at RLP & RLI!

Rock Ledge Primary and Intermediate Absence Reporting Procedure

Students who are absent from the Rock Ledge Primary will need to be called in to the school office before 9:00 a.m. in the morning on our absent line, (920) 833-5155, ext. #8. Students who are absent from Rock Ledge Intermediate will need to be called in to the school office before 9:00 a.m. in the morning on our absent line, (920)833-7380, ext. 251. For the safety of students, if our office does not receive a phone call, we will make a courtesy call to the parent/guardian to verify the student's absence. Please remember to inform our office as to when your child will be absent.

RLP & RLI Office Phone Calls

Please remember that our students are here to learn. Students can come to the office first thing in the morning to change their normal way home. Disrupting the learning environment affects every student. We ask that you limit calls to deliver messages to students in the classroom. Any calls must be made by **2:30 p.m.** to ensure that the message can be delivered. Please plan ahead so your child knows what he or she is doing at the end of the day. Thank you for your cooperation in making Rock Ledge a great place for students to learn!

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RLP & RLI Attendance

Good attendance is crucial to good learning. Please make sure that your child is at school on time every day possible. Every minute that is missed is another opportunity that can never fully be made up. Discussion, opportunity and learning happen every day at Rock Ledge! We are excited that your child can be a part of that every day!

Rock Ledge Arrival and Dismissal Procedures

<u>ARRIVAL PROCEDURE:</u> School starts at 8:00. Students may be dropped off as early as 7:45.

Parent Drop Off and Walkers: Students should arrive no earlier than 7:45 at the front of the Rock Ledge Primary Center. There are two lanes in the front of the school. Parents should use the right lane to pick up/drop off their child and immediately enter/ exit into the left lane. Please have your child exit the vehicle on the sidewalk side to avoid going into traffic. The left lane is for travel only, not to stop and pick up or drop off. If parents need to enter the building, they should park in the lot in front of the school. Please walk your child across the lot to the front sidewalk for safety.

4 year old Kindergarten:

AM Session- The am session is from 8:00-11:00. Students who attend the am session will line up on the playground before school.

PM Session- The pm session is from 12:00-3:00. Students should arrive at Door # 1 (Rock Ledge Primary Center entrance) no earlier than 11:50. Supervision will remain outside until students are brought in to school at 11:55.

<u>Kindergarten and 1st Graders:</u> students should proceed to the Primary playground.

<u>Second-Fifth Graders:</u> Grade 2 - 5 students should be dropped off by door #4 where they can walk on the east side of the building to the Intermediate playground behind the school.

BUS: Students will be dropped off at the end of Wiedemann Drive (near Aquatic Center.) Kindergarten and first grade students will proceed to the Primary playground. Second through 5th graders will proceed to the Intermediate playground.

<u>DISMISSAL PROCEDURE</u>: Dismissal is at 3:00. To avoid congestion in the halls, we ask that parents please set up a meeting location outside of school to pick up your child.

Parent Pick Up: Parents may pull up using the inside lane to pick up their child and exit immediately without leaving the vehicle. If parents need to enter the school they will need to park in the lot. The inside lane is for

pick-up and drop-off only.

The students will be dismissed out the following doors:

4 & 5 year old Kindergarten students will be dismissed out the Primary playground door (Door #17) and can be pick up near the playground sidewalk.

1st and 2nd grade students will be dismissed out the Primary entrance (Door #1).

3rd-5th grade students will be dismissed out the Intermediate entrances (Doors #2, #3, and #4).

Bus: Students will load the busses on the Intermediate playground.

e-Funds for Schools will help to eliminate last minute check writing hassles, improve efficiencies,

7th Annual Fun Run for the Timbers & All-School Team Challenge Saturday, October 7, 10:00 a.m.

FUN RUN ISSTIMBERS
S ALL-SCHOOL 5K
TEAM CHALLENGE!

The Friends of Fallen Timbers ALL-SCHOOL 5k invite you to register now for our family-friendly, non-competitive

5k Fun Run held at Fallen Timbers Environmental Center in Black Creek. The Fun Run is a great way for kids and families to get active and get outdoors to enjoy this fantastic schoolowned facility. Participants will enjoy healthy snacks before the run, Fun Run drawstring back pack, hearty post-run chili lunch, and a marvelous basket raffle fundraiser!

We extend this special invitation to families with students in grades 3 - 8:

All 3rd - 8th grade students in our consortium are encouraged to form a team and register for the All-School Team Challenge!

- Each team must consist of 5 students in same school & grade range (either 3-5 or 6-8)
- Students participating on a team register at the reduced rate of \$10 per person.
- Every team registration comes with ONE FREE registration for an adult.
- Each student on a team registered by the deadline will receive a FREE Fun Run t-shirt coordinating with one of our school's colors.
- Winning school in each age group will receive a custom-engraved traveling award that can be proudly displayed in school for the entire year.

Registration deadline for All-School Team Challenge teams is Wednesday, September 20th.

More information about the Fun Run and All-School Team Challenge, including team registration and consent forms, can be found online at www.fallentimbers.org.



Back to school already???

Summer may feel like it just started, but for some, summer is preparation time for the next school year. Back to school means big yellow buses will need to be ready to go. The Seymour Community School district has chosen Kobussen Buses Ltd. to provide school bus transportation to the Seymour/Black Creek community. Kobussen Buses is very excited about providing safe, clean, and reliable transportation to the children of the Seymour Community School District. We would like to take a moment to introduce ourselves to your community.

Kobussen Buses Ltd. began in 1938 in Kaukauna, WI as the Kaukauna Bus Service, Inc., when the Kaukauna Board of Education asked local farmers and truck drivers to purchase and operate a bus to transport children living in rural areas to the Kaukauna High School. Elwood (Goldie) Kobussen, a dairy farmer and cattle/milk truck operator, was chosen to operate this first Kaukauna school bus. This was due mostly to the fact that he was already transporting students to and from school in his milk trucks.

The idea of busing children gained momentum and a second bus was purchased in 1940. The school bus business progressed slowly. One bus was added each year until the mid-1950's. The business began to flourish in the late 1950's. After, Elwood Kobussen's, sons James (Marion) and Michael Kobussen (Ann), joined the company, their children, Joe, Dan, Melissa and Scott joined the company in the 90's. As of today, the Kobussen family is third generation operators, the true meaning of a family owned business.

Today Kobussen Buses Ltd. provides school bus service, charter trips, community service transportation and luxury motor coach travel, throughout the state of Wisconsin and the continental United States. Kobussen currently works with 27 school districts across the state out of 19 offices. School bus transportation is one of the safest ways to travel according to the Schoolbusfacts.com and school bus travel is 50 times safer than car travel. The normal bus takes 32 cars off the road so it is a much cleaner way to travel as well. We know the importance of small communities and take pride in providing the safest possible transportation for your children. We are looking forward to working with all of the Seymour Community School District Bus Drivers, and look forward to meeting everyone in the community. Kobussen may be a state-wide company, with almost 900 drivers, but we take pride in growing our locations with local talent, staff and drivers. We are always looking for great drivers that want a part time job and enjoy working with kids. Terminal Location: 800 E Factory St, Seymour, WI. Phone Number: (920) 833-2381

We hope you all enjoy the summer, and the beautiful weather it brings us; and look forward to meeting many of you later this summer and as school starts this fall. Starting August 1st call Kobussen directly at the phone number listed above with any question.

Corporate slogan

"FAMILY P.R.I.D.E. IN EVERY RIDE"

Personal Responsibility In

Delivering Excellent

Black Creek K-8 2017/2018 School Supplies

Kng** (There is no need to label any supplies. They will be collected and shared in our learning communities.)

ckpack (lockers are small, no wheeled backpacks)

- boxes crayons boxes of classic color wide markers package of Classic color fine tip skinny markers packages of dry erase markers (fine point)
- glue sticks Elmer's glue bottle

- Elmer's giue Doi ITE large eraser pkg of 3x3 sticky notes box of facial tissues box of gallon sized zip-lock bags box of gallon sized zip-lock bags hox of gallon sized zip-lock bags htree-prong paper solid color folder (Poch—Green, Laatsch—Blue, Scheuerell—Red)

If your last name begins with A-H, please buy 1 pack of sheet protectors.

If your last name begins with I-P, please buy 1 pkg. of paper plates.

If your last name begins with Q-Z, please buy 1 pkg. of Dixie cups.

(Separate pair of gym shoes are NOT necessary, but tennis shoes are to be worn on gym days. A schedule of those days will go home at the start of the school year.)

2nd Grade**

(Please have all items labeled w/student's name.)

(Please have all items labeled w/student's nam 4 dry erase markers 24 already sharpened #2 pencils 1 pencil sharpener 1 box markers 1 bothle white glue 1 box crayons 2 large erasers 2 large reasers 3 period bound wide lined notebooks-any color 1 plastic folder w/ 3 prongs-no name 2 other folders (any colors) 1-1" three ring binder (Mrs. Tingo only) 4 pks Post-ir notes (100 or more per pk) 1 large box of tissue/kleenex

If your last name begins with A-L, please buy 1 box gallon size Ziploc bags.

If your last name begins with M-Z, please buy 1 box sandwich size Ziploc bags.

- 1 sock (to be used as eraser)

1 scissors 1 backpack without wheels Earbuds or headphones in a plastic bag labeled w/

Extra change of clothes to be kept in plastic bag (Separate pair of gym shoes are NOT necessary, but tennis shoes are to be worn on gym days. A schedule will go home at the start of the school

(There is no need to label any supplies. They will be collected and shared in our learning communities.)

Backpack (lockers are small, no wheeled backpacks) 2 boxes of crayons 2 pocket folders 2 plastic folders with prongs 2 pkgs dry erase markers 2 spiral bound wide lined notebook

- 12 #2 pencils
- 2 boxes washable wide markers 1 large box of facial tissues 12 glue sticks 1 science
- 1 scissors 1 bottle of white glue

Wish List (optional) 3x3 sticky notes Headphones Paper plates Dixie cups

(Separate pair of gym shoes are NOT necessary, but tennis shoes are to be worn on gym days. A schedule of those days will go home at the start of the school year.)

3rd Grade** (Please have all items labeled w/student's name)

- 1 3-ring binder with folder pockets size 1"
- 1 3-ring pinder with folder pockets size 1"
 (no trap keepers)
 4 3-hole punched folders (for take home work)
 1 plastic folder with 3 prongs
 4 wide ruled spiral bound notebooks (any color)
 1 box of markers (8ct)
 1 scissors

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- Glue sticks
 12" ruler metric/standard
 -4 dry erase markers
 large box of Kleenex
- **If your last name starts with A-M, please buy 1 box of sandwich bags
- 1 DOX of sandwich bags
 **If your last name starts with L-Z, please buy
 1 box of gallon bags

Assignment notebook @2.00 purchased at school. Change of clothes to be kept in locker. Backpack (lockers are small, no wheeled backpacks). Earbuds or headphones in a plastic bag labeled w/name

(Separate pair of gym shoes are NOT necessary, but tennis shoes are to be worn on gym days (a schedule of those days will go home at the start of the school year)

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4th Grade**

<u>Must haves:</u>
3 spiral notebooks (wide-lined, no binders or trapper

- Plastic pencil case or box
 1 highlighted
 2 pkg of loose leaf paper
 #2 pencils (24)
 1 large eraser
 2 dry erase markers (THIN TIP ONLY)
 12-inch ruler (centimeters and inches)
- 2 boxes of facial tissues

Backpack Protractor Personal pencil sharpener Assignment Notebook \$2.00 purchased at school Ear buds (optional) 1 box of sandwich size Ziplock bags 3 packs of 3x5 blank white index cards

Would be nice to have:

(Separate pair of gym shoes are NOT necessary, but tennis shoes are to be worn on gym days. A schedule of those days will go home at the start of the school year.)

5th Grade**

- Z highlighters 4 thin dry erase markers 1 pikg post-it notes 1 sharpie permanent marker-fine point black Colored pencils Crayons
- Scissors
 12" ruler (with cm also)
 1 ream loose leaf paper
 1 pkg 3"x5" index cards
 4 spiral notebooks

- 5 pocket folders 2 box facial tissues

3 CLEAR plastic 2L soda bottles (empty, used in science right away in the fall) NO GREEN BOTTLES ACCEPTED Assignment Notebook \$2.00 purchased at school

(Separate pair of gym shoes are NOT necessary, but tennis shoes are to be worn on gym days. A schedule of those days will go home at the start of the school

Optional: binder Optional: individual small pencil sharpener Optional: scotch tape

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6-8th Grade**
(Please have all items labeled w/student's name)

- 10 Spiral notebooks 1 composition notebook (6TH/7TH only) Graph paper notebook/pad 3 packs of post it notes (any color) 6 folders

- 6 folders
 36 #2 pencils
 10 pens
 1 box markers
 1 box of colored pencils
 2 erasers
 4 permanent marker (fine/extra fine)
- 4 permanent mar 2-4 highlighters
- 3 glue sticks 1 bottle of whiteout

- Protractor Trapper Keeper 1 scientific calculator (w/squares, sq root, sin/cos/tan keys) TT-83 Plus or TT-84 Graphing calculator recommended for students taking Algebra 3 large box of tissues (to be given to homeroom teacher) T-shirt/athlici shorts for P

T-shirt/athletic shorts for PE Separate pair of gym shoes are NOT necessary, but tennis shoes are to be worn on gym days For all 6th grade students - Tdap booster shot or waiver form is required

BOBCATS

4K School Supply List 2017-2018

Please label only the scissors, paint shirt, folders, and snacks in permanent marker with your child's name

- · Large School Bag (No wheels)
- Oversized pullover paint T-shirt
- 4 glue sticks
- . 1 bottle of 4 oz. glue
- · Water color paints
- · Round-tip scissors
- 10-pack Washable Broad Tip Markers
- · 2 (2 pocket) folders
- 2 Snacks to share with the class (Crackers, Pretzels, Vanilla Wafers, Goldfish, Popcorn, etc...)
 - o NO peanut or tree nut products please

Girls

Small paper plates

Boys

Large paper plates

**Please send an extra pair of clothes (pants, shirt, socks, and underwear) in a Ziploc bag with your child's name on it

Wish List: Ziploc bags, Kleenex, 5 oz. Cups

Rock Ledge Primary Center: 4K-2nd Grade Supply list 2017-2018

Seymour Community School District

Rock Ledge 4K Kindergarten

Please <u>label</u> the following items with your child's name:

- Large backpack (No wheels)
- I Paint shirt (oversized t-shirt works the best)
 I Round-tip scissors
 2 Boxes of snacks to share with the class (crackers, pretzels, vanilla wafers, Goldfish,

Please send the following to share with the class:

- 1 Set of water paints 2 Boxes of Crayola washable markers (basic
- 2 Boxes or Crayona colors)
 1 Box of 24 Crayola Crayons
 2 Glue sticks
 3 Bottles of Elmer's white glue
 2 Boxes of Kleenex
 1 Box of sharpened pencils

Please send an extra pair of clothes (pants, shirt, socks, and underwear) in a Ziplock bag with your child's name on it to keep in your child's locker...just in case!

Backpack (Large/No Wheels) Box of 24 <u>Crayola</u> Crayons Scissors (<u>Fiskars</u>)

- 12 Pack of sharpened #2 pencils
- Expo dry erase markers Box of Kleenex

First Grade These are items for art class, gym class, or the

Please <u>label</u> the following items with your child's

- name! Your child's first grade teacher will extra items, and distribute them as needed
- large box of Kleenex or other brand tissues Three dozen #2 pencils (plain wooden) 2 Basic folders (NOT binders, notebooks, or
- Trappers)
 3 LARGE glue sticks
- 6 Black dry erase markers
- Backpack (large) backpack (large) Art supply container for supplies, no more than 3.5 in. deep (recommend a Ziplock brand large <u>rectangular</u> storage
- Box of 24 crayons 2 Large pink erasers | Small <u>pointed</u> scissors (Fiskers brand) | Box of 10 Classic Crayola colors <u>wide-tip</u>
- washable markers

container)

2 4 oz bottles of <u>Elmers white</u> school glue 2 Linch binders

next several years)

2 Wide-ruled spiral notebooks I Composition notebook

- 2 Timen binders 1 3-hole zipper pencil pouch 1 Set of personal headphones (to be used for technology purposes for the
- Last names A-F: One box of Ziplock bags Last names G-Z: 3 Packs of 3 X 3 Post-It notes (at least 100 sheets per pack)

5K Kindergarten

Please <u>label</u> the following items with your child's name:

- l Set of watercolor paints 2 Boxes of wide tip <u>Crayola Classic</u> markers
- 2 boxes of wide tip <u>Lrayola Llassia</u> markers ((Please initial each marker)
 Large T-shirt for painting (No plastic smocks)
 Pencil box (§ ½ X S) Please do not send a larger box
 Change of clothes
 (underwear, socks, pants, shirt in a Ziploc bag)
 Headphones (Preferably not ear buds)

Please send the following to share with the class:

- 12 rack of simpered 42 perichs I Large pink eraser I Black Sharpie marker 4 (4 oz) Bottles of <u>Elmers</u> white school glue
- Glue sticks
- 2 Boxes of snack/crackers (not individual size) Ziplock bags (quart or gallon) I Pack of Post-It Notes (solid Color) I Pack of paper plates **OR** paper cups (12 oz or larger)

Second Grade

- Please <u>label</u> the following items with your child's name:
- Box of 24 Crayola crayons
- 3 Folders 2 Wide-lined spiral notebooks
- 2 Mide-thick spin at Hockooks 1 Pack of <u>Crayola Classic</u> wide-tip markers 2 Composition notebooks 3 or 4 Jumbo glue sticks
- 2 Large pink erasers I Bottle of white Elmers glue
 I Pair of pointed scissors
 I Art box
- 1 Dry erase marker eraser (could be a scrap of cloth) Headphones (labeled in a Ziplock bag)

The following should NOT be labeled with

4 Black dry erase markers 1 Package of pencil top erasers 24 Sharpened #2 Pencils (plain wooded)

your child's name:

2 Large boxes of Kleenex 3 Packs of 3 X 3 Post-It notes (at least 100 sheets per pack) Last names A-H: one box of GALLON size

Last names A-H: One box of GALLON SIZ Ziplock bags Last names I-P: one box of QUART size Ziplock bags Last names Q-Z: one box of SNACK size Ziplock bags

Thank you for sending these supplies with your child. Additional quantities of consumable supplies may be requested later in the year.

IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE WITH FILLING YOUR CHILD'S SUPPLY LIST, PLEASE CONTACT MRS. INMAN, PRINCIPAL AT 833-5155.

Please make sure your child has a pair of tennis shoes for gym days!

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ROCK LEDGE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

Grade 3 School Supply List

2017-2018

CHILD'S NAME on the following:

- 3 heavy weight poly folders (1 must be red)
- 3 spiral notebooks (wide-lined)
- 1 Composition notebook
- 1 12" ruler (standard and metric measurements)
- 1 four ounce bottle of Elmer's glue (white)
- 8 large glue sticks (1.4 oz)
- 1 package of 8 classic color washable markers (wide tip)
- 1 box of 24 crayons
- 1 box of 12 colored pencils
- 2 large pink erasers
- 1 pair of small pointed scissors (Fiskars work best)
- 1 space maker box for art supplies
- 1 large durable zipper pencil case
- 1 backpack or school bag (please NO backpacks on wheels)
- 1 Pair of gym shoes for gym class
- 1 pair of headphones (no earbuds) in a Ziploc bag
- 1 -zipper pouch (to hold Thunder Bolts)

The following should NOT be labeled with your child's name:

- 2 package of pencil top erasers
- 60 pencils (Please sharpen 10 of them.) no designer pencils please
- 8 red pens
- 1 package loose leaf wide ruled notebook paper
- 1 LARGE box of tissues
- 2 FOUR packs of Black Expo dry erase markers (low odor)

*one pack fine tip If your last name starts with A - M

*one pack chisel tip

If your last name starts with N - Z

1 - box snack size Ziploc bags

1 - box gallon size Ziploc bags

RLI Grade 4 Supply List

- pocket folders
- 12" ruler showing customary & metric measurements
- box Crayola crayons (no larger than 24)
- bottle Elmer's School Glue (4 ounce, white no gel glue) OR 1 glue
- box Crayola markers, 8 classic colors, washable wide tip
- box 12 Crayola colored pencils
- 40 #2 pencils
- 2 red ink pens
- erasers
- Fiskars scissors (6" 8" pointed, not blunt) package wide lined, white, loose leaf paper
- large box of Kleenex (to be stored in classroom)
- small pencil or art box (large ones don't fit in desks)
- wide lined spiral notebooks
- composition notebook
- 2 yellow highlighter markers
- roll of scotch tape
- black dry erase markers with eraser
- Sharpie black permanent marker
- pair of headphones for computers (in a labeled ziploc bag)
- zipper pouch or small container (to hold Thunder Bolts) 1
- athletic shoes need to be worn or at school on gym days

NO 3 ring binders or Trapper Keepers, please. Label all supplies with the student's name before they come to school. Supplies are to be replaced as they run out.



RLI GRADE 5 School Supply List

- Sharpie Permanent Markers
- Box Classic Colors Washable (fine line) Markers
- Box Colored Pencils (12 count)
- 7 oz. Glue
- 4 **Pocket Folders**
- Pocket Folder with brass fasteners
- 1 Pack White Wide-Lined Paper
- 12" Ruler Standard/Metric 1
- 36 #2 Pencils (to be collected by the teacher)
- 5
- 2 Large Erasers/or one pack cap erasers
- 1 Scissors
- 3 Wide-Lined Notebooks
- **LARGE** Box Facial tissue 1or2
- Art Box
- 8 Black Dry Erase Markers
- 3 2- Liter Clear Plastic Soda Bottles - NEED IMMEDIATELY (for science) (new ribbed Coke product bottles do not work)
- Deodorant and t-shirt for Gym class (Weis only)
- 1 Roll Scotch Tape
- Headphones (not earbuds) 1
- Dry (Erase) Eraser-an old clean sock works well 1
- 5.5 x 8.5 zipper pouch (for PBIS bolts) 1

Optional Calculator Lettering stencils Post-it notes

GYM-GRADE 5

- -athletic shoes only, not hiking or walking boot
- -athletic shoes can be worn during school day

SEYMOUR MIDDLE SCHOOL - TOOLS FOR LEARNING 2017-2018

The student's possession of these supplies will insure his/her readiness for academic success.

Grade 6

- Binder (3-ring binder with 3-inch O-rings and 5-color tabbed expanding file Velcro closure-Case-it! Is a good brand name for a binder that lasts the school
- Zippered art bag (holds scissors, markers, glue, etc.) (boxes break open too easily) 1 SINGLE subject notebook for science

- 1 SINGLE subject notebook for math 5 SUBJECT notebook for social studies Three composition notebooks for language arts

- 1 package of graph paper for math 48 lead pencils (#2 lead) 2 packages of Black or Blue pens. NO NEON COLORS
- 4 pack of Highlighters
- 11. Colored Pencils 12 color set
 12. Crayons
 13. Markers (set of fine <u>AND</u> wide point)
- 14. 1 pack Post-it notes (Reading)
 2 Glue Sticks
- 16. Large Eraser
- 17. Scissors
- 18. Metric Ruler 19. 2 boxes of Kleenex
- 20. Backpack no wheels
- 21. Computer earbuds (required)
- *Tdap booster shot or waiver form is required for all 6th

Grade 7

- Colored Pencils 12 color set
- Trapper Keeper 6 spiral notebooks
- 2 Blue and/or Black Pens Metric Ruler
- 5 pocket folders
- Set of markers Pencil or Art Box
- 48 No. 2 Pencils 10. Post-it-notes 11. 3 glue sticks
- 12. Scissors 13. Box of Kleenex
- Computer ear buds
 Flash Drive (optional)
- 16. Highlighters

Grade 8

- Scissors
 - 2 boxes of pencils 1 box of colored pencils, markers, OR crayons
- Scientific calculator (preferably Texas Instruments 2 line display) **Label with student name**
 *ALGEBRA students will not need to purchase a
- calculator*
- **Cell phones will **NOT** be allowed to be used as a calculator*

 4 large glue sticks
- 6 spiral notebooks (separate notebooks)
 1 three-subject notebook (for language arts)
- 5 folders
- 9. Computer ear buds
 10. 6 blue/black pens
 11. 4 pack of highlighters (Assorted Colors)
- 12. 1 pack graph paper or graph paper notebook
 13. 3 boxes of Kleenex
 14. 1 Ruler
 15. 3 rolls of Duct Tape

Physical Education

- Required:
 - Shorts
 - T-Shirt Sweatshirt
 - Sweatpants
 - Socks
 - Sneakers School purchased padlock for phy ed locker (one time purchase can use through high
- Swimsuit (girls will need a one piece)

*Mark all items with student's name.

Fees School Fees - \$14.00

Phy Ed Padlock - \$6.00 Band Instrument Rental - \$36.00/yr

RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR BUS RIDERS

SEYMOUR COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Please keep in mind that riding the school bus is a privilege, and that this privilege can be taken away if your child is not willing to follow the regulations necessary to insure the safety and comfort of all passengers. Video camera monitors may be used on any bus to document student behavior problems and may be used to assist the school administrators in determining the proper disciplinary action.

THE BUS RIDER:

- 1. shall conform to the same standards of conduct that are expected of them at school.
- 2. is expected to obey the driver the same as other school staff and be respectful of other students.
- 3. or his/her parent or guardian shall be financially responsible for damage done to the seats or other bus equipment...
- 4. shall remain in assigned seat and not engage in horseplay on or around the bus.
- 5. shall not put any part of their body out of a window.
- 6. shall be absolutely quiet when approaching a railroad crossing stop.
- 7. shall not throw anything in the bus or out the window.

BUS SAFETY PROCEDURES:

- 1. The bus rider is expected to be on time at the designated bus stop. The bus cannot wait for students.
- 2. The bus rider should wait at the end of their driveway until the bus comes to a complete stop.
- 3. If the bus rider crosses the road, he/she shall do so in front of the bus after making sure that the highway is clear, and after receiving a signal from the bus driver. The student shall stay at least ten (10) feet in front of the bus while crossing the road.
- 4. The bus rider is expected to get on and off the bus at their regular stop unless a parent or guardian sends a written request to the building principal.
- 5. When stepping off the bus, students are to proceed directly to their driveway. Do not go to the mailbox, paper box, etc.
- 6. Unnecessary distractions may cause confusion and divert the driver's attention which may result in a serious accident.
- 7. The bus rider will not be allowed to use the last two seats in the rear of the bus unless the bus is at capacity.

DISCIPLINARY GUIDELINES:

If a violation of the above rules occurs, the driver will fill out a conduct report and return it to the building principal within 24 hours of the offense. The report will state the date of the offense, student name, offense committed and the driver's signature and route number.

The following disciplinary actions will be taken by the school administration, depending on the nature of the report.

- The school official will inform the parent or guardian of the offense and discuss possible disciplinary measures to correct the situation or,
- The school official could recommend that the Board of Education expel the student from bus service for the remainder of the school year.

IN CONCLUSION:

Parents or guardians and students are to be aware that in any of the preceding actions, they have the right to due process.

Drivers may refuse to transport a student only if an immediate report of the circumstances is made to the school principal on the next trip to the school. No students shall be put off the bus except at the school or at his/her home. The driver may not put a student off the bus unless authorized by the building principal or school official.

The bus driver or school official has the authority to assign riders to designated seats.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT FREE AND REDUCED PRICE SCHOOL MEALS FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2017-18

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Children need healthy meals to learn. Seymour Community School District offers healthy meals every school day. Breakfast costs \$1.15 (4k-5) & \$1.25 (6-12); lunch costs \$2.45 (4k-5) & \$2.55 (6-12). Your children may qualify for free meals or for reduced price meals. Reduced price is \$0.30 for breakfast and \$0.40 for lunch. This packet includes an application for free or reduced price meal benefits, and a set of detailed instructions. Below are some common questions and answers to help you with the application process.

1. WHO CAN GET FREE OR REDUCED PRICE MEALS?

- All children in households receiving benefits from FoodShare, the Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR)], or W-2 cash benefits are eligible for free meals.
- Children in households that receive Medicare benefits may qualify for free or reduced price meals.
- Foster children that are under the legal responsibility of a foster care agency or court are eligible for free meals.
- Children participating in their school's Head Start program are eligible for free meals.
- Children who meet the definition of homeless, runaway, or migrant are eligible for free meals.
- Children may receive free or reduced price meals if your household's income is within the limits on the Federal
 Income Eligibility Guidelines. Your children may qualify for free or reduced price meals if your household income
 falls at or below the limits on this chart.

Household size	Yearly (\$)	Monthly (\$)	Weekly (\$)
1	22,311	1,860	430
2	30,044	2,504	578
3	37,777	3,149	727
4	45,510	3,793	876
5	53,243	4,437	1,024
6	60,976	5,082	1,173
7	68,709	5,726	1,322
8	76,442	6,371	1,471
Each additional person:	7,733	645	149

- 2. HOW DO I KNOW IF MY CHILDREN QUALIFY AS HOMELESS, MIGRANT, OR RUNAWAY? Do the members of your household lack a permanent address? Are you staying together in a shelter, hotel, or other temporary housing arrangement? Does your family relocate on a seasonal basis? Are any children living with you who have chosen to leave their prior family or household? If you believe children in your household meet these descriptions and have not been told your children will get free meals, please call or e-mail **Pupil Services Director at 920-833-5159 Ext.**
- DO I NEED TO FILL OUT AN APPLICATION FOR EACH CHILD? No. Use one Free and Reduced Price School Meals Application
 for all students in your household. We cannot approve an application that is not complete, so be sure to fill out all required
 information. Return the completed application to: Seymour Community High School, Attn: Health Services, 10 Circle
 Drive, Seymour WI 54165.
- 4. SHOULD I FILL OUT AN APPLICATION IF I RECEIVED A LETTER THIS SCHOOL YEAR SAYING MY CHILDREN ARE ALREADY APPROVED FOR FREE OR REDUCED PRICE MEALS? No, but please read the letter you got carefully and follow the instructions. If any children in your household were missing from your eligibility notification, contact Health Services, 10 Circle Drive, Seymour WI 54165, 920-833-2306 Ext. 426 immediately. If your household has automatically qualified for reduced meals based on Medicare, we encourage you to complete an application to potentially qualify for free meals based on household size and income.

- 5. DO I NEED TO FILL OUT AN APPLICATION IF MY CHILD ATTENDS A COMMUNITY ELIGIBILITY PROVISION SCHOOL (CEP)? If your child attends a school that participates in CEP, receipt of free breakfast and lunch meals does not depend on returning this application. However, this information is necessary for other programs and may be used to determine if your household is eligible for additional benefits.
- 6. MY CHILD'S APPLICATION WAS APPROVED LAST YEAR. DO I NEED TO FILL OUT A NEW ONE? Yes. Your child's application is only good for that school year and for the first few days of this school year, through **October 16, 2017.** You must send in a new application unless the school told you that your child is eligible for the new school year. If you do not send in a new application that is approved by the school or you have not been notified that your child is eligible for free meals, your child will be charged the full price for meals.
- 7. I GET WIC. CAN MY CHILDREN GET FREE MEALS? Children in households participating in WIC <u>may</u> be eligible for free or reduced price meals. Please send in an application.
- 8. WILL THE INFORMATION I GIVE BE CHECKED? Yes. We may also ask you to send written proof of the household income you report.
- 9. IF I DON'T QUALIFY NOW, MAY I APPLY LATER? Yes, you may apply at any time during the school year. For example, children with a parent or guardian who becomes unemployed may become eligible for free and reduced price meals if the household income drops below the income limit.
- 10. 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: Food Service Director, 10 Circle Drive, Seymour WI 54165; 920-833-2304 Ext. 508.
- 11. MAY I APPLY IF SOMEONE IN MY HOUSEHOLD IS NOT A U.S. CITIZEN? Yes. You, your children, or other household members do not have to be U.S. citizens to apply for free or reduced price meals.
- 12. WHAT IF MY INCOME IS NOT ALWAYS THE SAME? List the amount that you <u>normally</u> receive. For example, if you normally make \$1000 each month, but you missed some work last month and only made \$900, put down that you made \$1000 per month. If you normally get overtime, include it, but do not include it if you only work overtime sometimes. If you have lost a job or had your hours or wages reduced, use your current income.
- 13. WHAT IF SOME HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS HAVE NO INCOME TO REPORT? Household members may not receive some types of income we ask you to report on the application, or may not receive income at all. Whenever this happens, please write a 0 in the field. However, if any income fields are left empty or blank, those will <u>also</u> be counted as zeroes. Please be careful when leaving income fields blank, as we will assume you <u>meant</u> to do so.
- 14. WE ARE IN THE MILITARY. DO WE REPORT OUR INCOME DIFFERENTLY? Your basic pay and cash bonuses must be reported as income. If you get any cash value allowances for off-base housing, food, or clothing, it must also be included as income. However, if your housing is part of the Military Housing Privatization Initiative, do not include your housing allowance as income. Do not include any combat pay resulting from deployment as income.
- 15. WHAT IF THERE IS NOT ENOUGH SPACE ON THE APPLICATION FOR MY FAMILY? List any additional household members on a separate piece of paper and attach it to your application.
- 16. MY FAMILY NEEDS MORE HELP. ARE THERE OTHER PROGRAMS WE MIGHT APPLY FOR? To find out how to apply for FoodShare or other assistance benefits, contact your local assistance office or call 1-800-362-3002.

If you have other questions or need help, call 920-833-2306 Ext. 426.

HOW TO APPLY FOR FREE AND REDUCED PRICE SCHOOL MEALS for 2017-18 School Year

children attend more than one school in Seymour Community School District. The application must be filled out completely to certify your children for free or reduced price Please use these instructions to help you fill out the application for free or reduced price school meals. You only need to submit one application per household, even if your If your child attends a Community Eligibility Provision School (CEP), receipt of free breakfast and lunch meals does not depend on returning this application; however, this school meals. Please follow these instructions in order. If at any time you are not sure what to do next, please contact Health Services at 920-833-2306 Ext. 426. information is necessary for other programs.

PLEASE USE A PEN (NOT A PENCIL) WHEN FILLING OUT THE APPLICATION AND DO YOUR BEST TO PRINT CLEARLY.

ALL HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS WHO ARE INFANTS, CHILDREN, AND STUDENTS UP TO AND INCLUDING GRADE 12 STEP 1: LIST

Tell us how many infants, children, and school students live in your household. They do NOT have to be related to you to be a part of your household.

Who should I list here? When filling out this section, please include ALL members in your household who are:

- Children age 18 or under AND are supported with the household's income;
- In your care under a foster arrangement, or qualify as homeless, migrant, or runaway youth, or enrolled in a Head Start program; and
- Students attending Seymour School District, regardless of age.

child. When printing names, write one letter in each box. Stop if you run out of space. If there with all required information for the additional name. Use one line of the application for each A) List each child's name. Print each child's are more children present than lines on the application, attach a second piece of paper

next to the children's names. If you are ONLY applying for foster children, after finishing STEP 1, go to STEP 4. listed are foster children, mark the "Foster Child" box C) Do you have any foster children? If any children members of your household and should be listed on Foster children who live with you may count as the grade level of the student in the of the school the child attends or B) Enter the grade and the name mark n/a if not in school. Enter 'Grade' column.

the "Homeless, Migrant, Runaway or Head program? If you believe any child listed in D) Are any children homeless, migrant, this section meets this description, mark Start" box next to the child's name and runaway or enrolled in a Head Start complete all steps of the application. your application. If you are applying for both foster and

STEP 2: DO ANY HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS CURRENTLY PARTICIPATE IN FoodShare, W-2 Cash Benefits OR FDPIR?

non-foster children, go to step 3.

If anyone in your household (including you) currently participates in one or more of the assistance programs listed below, your children are eligible for free school meals:

- The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) or FoodShare.
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) or W-2 Cash Benefits.
- The Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR).

A) If no one in your household participates in any of the above listed programs:

Leave STEP 2 blank and go to STEP 3.

B) If anyone in your household participates in any of the above listed programs:

- Write a case number for FoodShare, W-2 Cash Benefits, or FDPIR. You only need to provide one case number. If you participate in one of these programs and do not know your case number, contact your case worker. Please note, a BadgerCare case number does NOT qualify for free meals.
 - Go to STEP 4.

STEP 3: REPORT INCOME FOR ALL HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS

How do I report my income?

- Use the charts titled "Sources of Income for Children" and "Sources of Income for Adults," printed on the back side of the application form, to determine if your household has income to report.
- Report all amounts in GROSS INCOME ONLY. Report all income in whole dollars. Do not include cents. Gross income is the total income received before taxes. Many people think of income as the amount they "take home" and not the total, "gross" amount. Make sure that the income you report on this application has NOT been reduced to pay for taxes, insurance premiums, or any other amounts taken from your pay.

- Write a "0" in any fields where there is no income to report. Any income fields left empty or blank will also be counted as a zero. If you write '0' or leave any fields blank, you are certifying (promising) that there is no income to report. If local officials suspect that your household income was reported incorrectly, your application will be investigated.
 - Mark how often each type of income is received using the circles to the right of each field.

3.A. REPORT INCOME EARNED BY CHILDREN

A) Report all income earned or received by children. Report the combined gross income for ALL children listed in STEP 1 in your household in the box marked "Child Income." Only count foster children's personal income if you are applying for them together with the rest of your household.

What is Child Income? Child income is money received from outside your household that is paid DIRECTLY to your children. Many households do not have any child income.

3.B. REPORT INCOME EARNED BY ADULTS

List adult household members' names.

- Print the name of each household member in the boxes marked "Name of Adult Household Members (First and Last)." When filling out this section, please include ALL adult members in your household who are living with you and share income and expenses, even if they are not related and even if they do not receive income of their own.
 - Do NOT include:
- People who live with you but are not supported by your household's income AND do not contribute income to your household.
- Infants, children and students already listed in STEP 1.

(before taxes) from work in the "Earnings from Work" field on the lobs. If you are a self-employed business or farm owner, you will application. This is usually the money received from working at C) Report earnings from work. Report all total gross income report your net income.

F) Fluctuating Income. For seasonal workers and others whose What if I am self-employed? Report income from that work as a net amount. This is calculated by subtracting the total operating expenses of your business from its gross receipts or revenue.

employment contracts but may choose to have salaries paid over income fluctuates and usually earn more money in some months than others. In these situations, project the annual rate of income and report that. This includes workers with annual a shorter period of time; for example, school employees.

ordered payments. Informal but regular payments should be reported D) Report income from public assistance/child support/alimony. income is received from child support or alimony, only report court-Support/Alimony" field on the application. Do not report the cash value of any public assistance benefits NOT listed on the chart. If Report all income that applies in the "Public Assistance/Child as "other" income in the next part.

E) Report income from

G) Report total household size. Enter the total number of household members listed in STEP 1 and STEP 3. If there are any members of your household that you have not listed on the application, go back and add them. It is very important to list all household members, as the size of Adults)." This number MUST be equal to the number of household your household affects your eligibility for free and reduced price members in the field "Total Household Members (Children and meals.

"Pensions/Retirement/ All Other Income" field H) Provide the last four digits of your Social pensions/retirement/all other income. Report all income that applies in the on the application.

apply for benefits even if you do not have a SSN. member must enter the last four digits of their leave this space blank and mark the box to the Security Number (SSN). An adult household SSN in the space provided. You are eligible to If no adult household members have a SSN, right labeled "Check if no SSN."

STEP 4: CONTACT INFORMATION AND ADULT SIGNATURE

An adult member of the household must sign the application. By signing the application, that household member is promising that all information has been truthfully and completely reported. Before completing this section, please also make sure you have read the privacy and civil rights statements on the back of the application. C) Return completed

address in the fields provided if this information is available. If you have no permanent address, this does not make your Sharing a phone number, email address, or both is optional, children ineligible for free or reduced price school meals. A) Provide your contact information. Write your current but helps us reach you quickly if we need to contact you.

form to: Health Services Seymour, WI 54165 10 Circle Drive B) Print and sign your name. that person signs in the box Print the name of the adult signing the application and "Signature of adult."

ethnicity. This field is optional and does not affect your (optional). On the back of the application, we ask you to share information about your children's race and children's eligibility for free or reduced price school D) Share children's racial and ethnic identities

FOR EACH ADULT HOUSEHOLD MEMBER:

Who should I list here?

When filling out this section, please include all members in your household who are:

• Living with you and share income and expenses, even if not related and even if they do not receive income of their own.

Do **not** include people who:

- Live with you but are not supported by your household's income and do not contribute income to your household.
- Children and students already listed in Step 1.

How do I fill in the income amount and source?

FOR EACH TYPE OF INCOME:

- Use the charts in this section to determine if your household has income to report.
- Report all amounts in gross income ONLY. Report all income in whole dollars. Do not include cents.
 - o Gross income is the total income received before taxes or deductions.
 - o Many people think of income as the amount they "take home" and not the total, "gross" amount. Make sure that the income you report on this application has NOT been reduced to pay for taxes, insurance premiums, or any other amounts taken from your pay.
- Write a "0" in any fields where there is no income to report. Any income fields left empty or blank will be counted as zeroes. If you write '0' or leave any fields blank, you are certifying (promising) that there is no income to report. If local officials have known or available information that your household income was reported incorrectly, your application will be verified for cause.
- Mark how often each type of income is received using the check boxes to the right of each field.
- B) List Adult Household member's name. Print the name of each household member in the boxes marked "Names of Adult Household Members (First and Last)." Do not list any household members you listed in STEP 1. If a child listed in STEP 1 has income, follow the instructions in STEP 3, part A.
- C) Report earnings from work. Refer to the chart titled "Sources of Income for Adults" in these instructions and report all income from work in the "Earnings from Work" field on the application. This is usually the money received from working at jobs. If you are a self-employed business or farm owner, you will report your net income.

What if I am self-employed?

If you are self-employed, report income from that work as a **net** amount. This is calculated by subtracting the total operating expenses of your business from its gross receipts or revenue.

- D) Report income from Public Assistance/Child Support/Alimony/SSI/VA Benefits. Refer to the chart titled "Sources of Income for Adults" in these instructions and report all income that applies in the "Public Assistance/Child Support/Alimony/SSI/VA Benefits" field on the application. Do not report the value of any cash value public assistance benefits NOT listed on the chart. If income is received from child support or alimony, only court-ordered payments should be reported here. Informal but regular payments should be reported as "other" income in the next part.
- E) Report income from Pensions/Retirement/Social Security/All other income. Refer to the chart titled "Sources of Income for Adults" in these instructions and report all income that applies in the "Pensions/Retirement/Social Security, Other Income" field on the application.

- F) Special Situations. For seasonal workers and others whose income fluctuates and usually earn more money in some months than others. In these situations, project the annual rate of income and report that. This includes workers with annual employment contracts but may choose to have salaries paid over a shorter period of time. This includes school employees.
- G) Report total household size. Enter the total number of household members in the field "Total Household Members (Children and Adults)." This number MUST be equal to the number of household members listed in STEP 1 and STEP 3. If there are any members of your household that you have not listed on the application, go back and add them. It is very important to list all household members, as the size of your household determines your income cutoff for free and reduced price meals.
- H) Provide the last four digits of your 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 SSN."

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Earnings from Work	Public Assistance/ Child Support /Alimony	Pensions/Retirement/All Other Income
 Salary, wages, cash bonuses Net income from self- employment (farm or business) Strike benefits 	 Unemployment benefits Worker's compensation Supplemental Security Income (SSI) Cash assistance from State or 	 Social Security (including railroad retirement and black lung benefits) Private Pensions or disability Income from trusts or estates
If you are in the U.S. Military:	local government	 Annuities
 Basic pay and cash bonuses (do NOT include combat pay, FSSA or privatized housing allowances) Allowances for off-base housing, food, and clothing 	Alimony paymentsChild support paymentsVeteran's benefits	 Investment income Earned interest Rental income Regular cash payments from outside household

STEP 4: CONTACT INFORMATION AND ADULT SIGNATURE

All applications must be signed by an adult member of the household. By signing the application, that household member is promising that all information has been truthfully and completely reported. Before completing this section, please also make sure you have read the privacy and civil rights statements on the back of the application.

- A) Provide your contact information. Write your current address in the fields provided if this information is available. If you have no permanent address, this does not make your children ineligible for free or reduced price school meals. Sharing a phone number, email address, or both is optional, but helps us reach you quickly if we need to contact you.
- B) Sign and print your name. Print your name in the box "Printed name of adult completing the form." And sign your name in the box "Signature of adult completing the form."
- C) Write Today's Date. In the space provided, write today's date in the box.
- D) Share children's Racial and Ethnic Identities (optional). On the back of the application, we ask you to share information about your children's race and ethnicity. This field is optional and does not affect your children's eligibility for free or reduced price school meals.

2017-2018 Household Application for Free and Reduced Price School Meals Complete one application per household. Please use a pen (not a pencil).

Apply online at: (not avaliable).

STEP 1 List ALL infants, children, and students up to and	dren, and students up		ncluding grade 12 who are Household Members		If more spaces are required for additional names, attach another sheet of paper.	ner sheet of paper.
Definition of Household Member: "Anyone who is living with you and shares income and expenses, even if not related." Child's First Name MI Child's Last Name	ne who is living with you an	child's Last Name	s, even if not related."		School the child attends or NA if not in school	Homeless, Foster Magnard, Heac Child Rumway Start
						Check all that apply
STEP 2 Do any Household Members (including you) currently	mbers (including you)	currently participate in a	ny of the following assis	tance programs: FoodSh	participate in any of the following assistance programs: FoodShare, W-2 Cash Benefits, or FDPIR?	□Yes/□No
If you answered NO > Complete STEP 3. If you answered YES > Write a case number here, then go to STEP 4 (Do not complete STEP 3)	you answered YES > Write	e a case number here, then go t	o STEP 4 (Do not complete ST			qualify for free meals.
STEP 3 Report Income for ALL	L Household Member	Report Income for ALL Household Members (skip this step if you answered 'Yes' to STEP 2)	ered 'Yes' to STEP 2)	Flip the page and	Flip the page and review the charts titled "Sources of Income" for more information.	more information.
 A. Child Income Sometimes children in the household earn income. Please include the TOTAL including grade 12 listed in STEP 1 here. B. All Adult Household Members (including yourself) List all Household Members not listed in STEP 1 (including yourself) even if they do for each source in whole dollars and vide cents) If they do not receive income from 	arn income. Please include e. Cluding yourself) Pr 1 (including yourself) ev	the TOTAL income earned by en if they do not receive incom	income earned by all infants, children and students up to and or receive income. For each Household Member listed, if they by source write 10. If you enter 10. or leave any fields blank, your streets.	Ohid income Child income Tisted, if they do receive income, reference income, reference income, reference income, reference income, reference incomising the properties of t	How often? Weekly BEWeekly 3x Month Monthly	F. Seasonal Workers, and
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STEP 4 Contact information and adult signature	nd adult signature	Return completed form to:	io: Insert your school dist	Insert your school district mailing address here		
"I certify (promise) that all information on this information. I am aware that if I purposely give	is application is true and the false information, my childre	at all income is reported. I unde	rstand that this information is g may be prosecuted under applica	jiven in connection with the recrable State and Federal laws."	"I certify (promise) that all information on this application is true and that all income is reported. I understand that this information is given in connection with the receipt of Federal funds, and that school officials may verify (check) the information, my children may lose meal benefits, and I may be prosecuted under applicable State and Federal laws."	may verify (check) the
Street Address (if available)	Apt#	City	State	Zip	Daytime Phone and Email (optional)	3
Printed Name OR Signature of Adult Completing this Application—REQUIRED	ting this Application—REQUI	RED			Today's Date Mo./Day/Yr.	

Date Mo./Day/Yr. We are required to ask for information about your children's race and ethnicity. This information is important and helps to make sure we are fully serving our community. Responding to this section is optional and found online at: http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint_filing_cust.html, and at any USDA office, or write a letter addressed to Relay Service at (800) 877-8339. Additionally, program information may be made available in languages other than benefits. Individuals who are deaf, hard of hearing or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Regular income from trusts or estates USDA and provide in the letter all of the information requested in the form. To request a copy of the complaint form, call Private pensions or disability benefits Regular cash payments from outside To file a program complaint of discrimination, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, (AD-3027) Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication for program information (e.g. Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language, etc.), should contact the Agency (State or local) where they applied for retirement and black lung benefits) Social Security (including railroad Pensions / Retirement / Investment income Reason for Denial or Withdrawal Earned interest Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Rental income household Sources of Income for Adults Verifying Official's Signature Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights 1400 Independence Avenue, SW Washington, D.C. 20250-9410 Annual Income Conversion: Weekly x 52, Bi-weekly (Every 2 Weeks) x 26, Twice a Month x 24, Monthly x 12 State or local government Public Assistance / Alimony Child support payments Unemployment benefits Worker's compensation Supplemental Security Required for Verification Cash assistance from (866) 632-9992. Submit your completed form or letter to USDA by: Alimony payments Child Support Veteran's benefits Strike benefits Income (SSI) Date Denied This institution is an equal opportunity provider. Date Mo./Day/Yr. U.S. Department of Agriculture include combat pay, FSSA or privatized Net income from self-employment (farm or business); FARM—refer to line 18 of the 1040 or line 34 from Schedule F; BUSINESS—refer to line 12 of 1040 or program.intake@usda.gov Basic pay and cash bonuses (do NOT Denied Allowances for off-base housing, food Gross salary, wages, cash bonuses Black or African American (202) 690-7442; or Eligibility Reduced Earnings from Work If you are in the U.S. Military: line 31 from Schedule C. housing allowances) Free Email: Mail: Fax: Categorical Eligibility Confirming Official's Signature The Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act requires the information on this application. You do information to determine if your child is eligible for free or reduced price meals, and for administration and programs, auditors for program reviews, and law enforcement officials to help them look into violations of regulations and policies, the USDA, its Agencies, offices, and employees, and institutions participating in or administering USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity conducted or funded by USDA. 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 Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations household member signing the application does not have a social security number. We will use your education, health, and nutrition programs to help them evaluate, fund, or determine benefits for their oehalf of a foster child or you list a Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary ■ Not Hispanic or Latino equired for Verification Household enforcement of the lunch and breakfast programs. We MAY share your eligibility information with (FDPIR) case number or other FDPIR identifier for your child or when you indicate that the adult In accordance with Federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights Size A parent is disabled, retired, or deceased, and their A child has a regular full or part-time job where A child receives regular income from a private pension fund, annuity, or trust A friend or extended family member regularly A child is blind or disabled and receives Social does not affect your children's eligibility for free or reduced price meals child receives Social Security benefits Children's Racial and Ethnic Identities Yearly American Indian or Alaskan Native Sources of Income for Children Date Mo./Day/Yr. gives a child spending money they earn a salary or wages Bi-Weekly 2x Month | Monthly How often? Security benefits ☐ Hispanic or Latino For School Use Only Source of Incompe Weekly Determining Official's Signature Income from person outside the household Gross earnings from work Sources of Child Income Disability payments Income from any other Survivor's benefits Race Check one or more INSTRUCTIONS Social Security Ethnicity Check one Do not fill out OPTIONAL program rules. Total Income source

Public Notices

Student Records

Seymour Community School District designate as directory data a student's name, parents' name, address, telephone listing, date of birth and photographs. Directory data shall be considered public information and may be released to appropriate persons and media unless parents or adult students refuse the release, in writing, of their own initiation. Refusal of such release must be made no later than two weeks after the opening of school or of enrolling in the case of those entering after the school year has started.

Concerns regarding the school records should be taken up with the appropriate building principal or may be filed with the Family Policy and Regulations Office of the U.S. Department of Education.

Certification Regarding Drug-Free Workplace Requirements Grantees Other Than Individuals

This certification is required by the regulations implementing the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988.34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. The regulations, published in the January 31, 1989, <u>Federal Register</u>, require certification by grantees, prior to award, that they will maintain a drug-free workplace. The certification set out below is material representation of fact upon which reliance will be placed when the agency determines to award the grant. False certification or violation of the certification shall be grounds for suspension of payments, suspension or termination of grants, or government-wide suspension or debasement (see 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.615 and 85.620).

The grantee certifies that it will provide a drug-free workplace by:

- (a) Publishing a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the grantee's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition:
- b) Establishing a drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
- 1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace.
- 2. The grantee's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace.
- 3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs; and
- 4. The penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations occurring in the workplace:
- (c) Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the grant be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a):
- (d) Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that, as a condition of employment under the grant, the employee will:
- 1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
- 2. Notify the employer of any criminal drug statute conviction for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five days after such conviction.
- (e) Notifying the agency within ten days after receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction:
- (f) Taking one of the following actions, within 30 days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted:
- 1. Taking appropriate personal action against such an employee, up to and including termination; or
- 2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State, or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency:
- (g) Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraph (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f).

Seymour Community School District #59-WI-89-1502.

Screening And Evaluation Of Possible Special Needs Students

The Seymour Community School District provides evaluations and special services to those students identified as handicapped in accordance with the state and federal guidelines. Each child between birth to 21 years of age is entitled to screening for, and evaluation of, suspected handicapping conditions. These services are at no cost to the parents or student identified. Child Development Days, a screening for special needs children between three to five years of age, is held in October and April of each school year. In addition screening of other students will be done at parental request. Requests can be made by contacting the building principal or by contacting Amy Wachewicz, Director of Pupil Services, 833-7199 ext. 308.

Notification Of Non-Discrimination Policy

The Seymour Community School District prohibits all forms of unlawful discrimination against students and other persons in all aspects of the District's programs and operations. Accordingly, consistent with section 118.13 of the state statutes, no person shall unlawfully be denied admission to any public school in this District, or be denied participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be discriminated against in any curricular, extracurricular, pupil service, recreational or other program or activity because of the person's sex, sexual orientation, race, color, national origin, ancestry, religion, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, or physical, mental, emotional or learning disability. The District likewise requires and enforces nondiscrimination in a manner consistent with the rights and obligations established under all applicable federal civil rights laws, including the current provisions of Titles IV and VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (race, color, religion, sex, or national origin), Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (sex), Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act (disability), the Americans with Disabilities Act (including Title II of the ADA, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability in state and local government services), and the civil rights provisions associated with the District's participation in federal meal programs.

Children of homeless individuals and unaccompanied homeless youth (youth not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian) as identified under federal law shall have equal access to the same free, appropriate public education, including comparable services, as provided to other children and youth who reside in the District. Homeless children and youth shall not be required to attend a separate school or program for homeless children and shall not be stigmatized by school personnel.

The District shall provide legally-required accommodations and appropriate educational services or programs for students who have been identified as having a disability, regardless of the nature or severity of the disability. The District shall also provide for the reasonable accommodation of a student's sincerely held religious beliefs with regard to examinations and other academic requirements. Requests for religious accommodations shall be made in writing and approved by the building principal.

All District career and technical education opportunities are offered to students on a nondiscriminatory basis. Additional information regarding such program offerings and the applicable admission/participation criteria can be obtained on the District's website or by contacting any school's guidance office.

When acceptable to the complaining party, the District encourages informal resolution of discrimination complaints and related concerns. However, a formal complaint resolution procedure is available to address allegations of unlawful discrimination and/or any alleged violation of the District's equal educational opportunities policies.

Any questions concerning this notice, the District's nondiscrimination and equal educational opportunities policies, policy compliance, or the District's complaint procedures may be directed to the District's equal educational opportunities compliance office.

Pupil Services Director Seymour Community School District 10 Circle Drive, Seymour, WI 54165 920-833-2304 or 920-833-5159

Discrimination-related complaints may be filed with the Compliance Officer. The Compliance Officer also serves as the District's Title IX Coordinator (sex discrimination and sexual harassment issues and complaints) and Section 504 and Americans with Disabilities Act Coordinator (disability rights and disability-based discrimination issues) for all student and all non-employment related matters.

By following all required procedures and timelines, complaints of unlawful student discrimination may also be filed externally with the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction, the Chicago office of the U.S. Department of Edution's Office for Civil Rights, or, in appropriate circumstances, with any state or federal court or other agency of competent jurisdiction.

Equal Education Opportunities

The Seymour Community School District is committed and dedicated to the task of providing the best education possible for every child in the district for as long as the student can benefit from attendance and the student's conduct is compatible with the welfare of the entire student body.

The right of the student to be admitted to school and to participate fully in curricular, extracurricular, student services, recreational or other programs or activities shall not be abridged or impaired because of a student's sex, race, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation or physical, mental, emotional or learning disability.

Complaints regarding the interpretation or application of this policy shall be referred to the Seymour Community School District Administrator and processed in accordance with established procedures. Notice of this policy and its accompanying complaint procedures shall be published at the beginning of each school year and posted in each school building in the district. In addition, a student nondiscrimination statement shall be included on student and staff handbooks, course selection handbooks and other published materials distributed to the public describing school activities and opportunities.

Complaint Procedures

A person may submit a complaint and attempt to resolve his/her complaint by using (1) the District's informal complaint resolution option; and/or (2) the District's formal complaint procedure, as further defined in this rule, whenever the person believes that:

- The District has inadequately complied with section 118.13 of the state statutes and the statute's implementing regulations, or with the current federal laws and/or regulations under Titles IV and VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, or the Americans with Disabilities Act (including Title II of the ADA, nondiscrimination on the basis of disability in state and local government services);
- 2. A student has in some other way been unlawfully discriminated against on the basis of sex, race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, parental or marital status, sexual orientation, physical, learning, mental or emotional disability, or other legally-protected status;
- 3. That there has been a violation (including violations by other students) of any of the Board's student nondiscrimination, anti-harassment/anti-bullying, or other equal educational opportunities policies; or
- 4. Another Board policy or rule directs or allows the use of these complaint procedures.

In special circumstances, such as certain complaints involving the District's application of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, the District may re-route the complaint to a more legally-appropriate venue or procedure.

The following individual serves as the District's Equal Educational Opportunities Compliance Officer ("Compliance Officer") in connection with these complaint procedures:

Pupil Services Director Seymour Community School District 10 Circle Drive, Seymour, WI 54165

920-833-2304 or 920-833-5159

The Business Manager or District Administrator shall perform the duties of the Compliance Officer if the Compliance Officer is temporarily unavailable or if a complaint involves any alleged improper conduct by the Compliance Officer.

Any person presenting a report or complaint under these procedures who has concerns about safety, confidentiality, or retaliation should discuss those concerns with the Compliance Officer as early as possible in the process — preferably at or even prior to the time that the detailed report or complaint is made.

In conjunction with the District's receipt of notice of any report or complaint of alleged discrimination, harassment, bullying, or retaliation under these procedures, the District shall consider (and the complainant may affirmatively request consideration of) any interim measures that should be taken before the final outcome of an investigation (e.g., safety planning or other steps needed to protect the complainant and ensure equal access to the District's education programs and activities).

INFORMAL RESOLUTION OF A COMPLAINT OR CONCERN

The District strongly encourages, but does not require, the informal resolution of complaints and concerns regarding the implementation and monitoring of the laws, regulations, and local policies that facilitate the provision of equal educational opportunities and that prohibit discrimination.

To pursue the informal resolution of a complaint or concern, a person may contact either the appropriate building principal or the District's Equal Opportunities Compliance Officer at the office location identified above. The person should expressly indicate that they would like to explore informal means of resolving a complaint or concern involving the District's equal educational opportunities policy or another District nondiscrimination policy.

Informal methods for attempting to resolve a complaint or concern may include the scheduling of meetings among relevant parties; meetings or communications mediated by an administrator or other individual selected by the District who was not directly involved in the issue; or, following a presentation and initial assessment of the issue(s), the offering of one or more options for changes to be made in the relevant circumstances. If, at any time, the person seeking an informal resolution becomes dissatisfied with the process or outcome, he/she may initiate a formal complaint according to the steps listed below.

In the event the building principal addresses or resolves an informal complaint that the principal determines involves an alleged violation of the state or federal student nondiscrimination law, the principal shall provide the Compliance Officer with a written version of the nature of the complaint and a summary of any responsive action taken on the informal

FORMAL COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

- Step 1: A written statement of the complaint shall be prepared by the complainant, signed and presented to the Compliance Officer, who shall acknowledge receipt of the complaint within 10 business/school days. The Compliance Officer or a designee shall further investigate the complaint and, in a manner consistent with applicable student records laws, issue a written determination to the complainant and any other appropriate parties indicating the extent to which the complaint was or was not substantiated and including such other information as may be appropriate under the circumstances. The District will attempt to provide the administrative determination of the complaint within 60 calendar days of the date that the complaint was filed.
- Step 2: Any actual party in interest to the complaint who disagrees with the administration's decision in the matter may, within 10 calendar days of being notified of the administration's determination, file a written request for reconsideration with the office of the District Administrator. The request for reconsideration shall state any specific reason(s) why the complainant believes the administrative determination should be modified. The District Administrator will issue a written decision on reconsideration no later than 90 calendar days after the date that the complaint was originally filed, unless all relevant parties have agreed to an extension of the time. The decision of the District Administrator shall include information about the complainant's opportunity to appeal a negative determination to the School Board and/or to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.
- Step 3: Optional Appeal to the School Board. If any actual party in interest to the complaint (including any alleged victim/target or any alleged responsible party) disagrees with an adverse determination of the complaint that has been issued by the District Administrator upon reconsideration, the person may either (1) treat the District Administrator's decision as the District's final decision and consider an appeal under Step 4; or (2) submit an appeal to the Board prior to considering an appeal under Step 4.

Any appeal to the Board shall be filed in care of the School Board Clerk at the Office of the District Administrator within 10 calendar days of receipt of the District Administrator's decision, and the request shall state the reasons the decision is being appealed. The Board will provide a written response to the appeal, which may or may not involve a meeting with any of the relevant parties and/or any further investigation. The decision of the Board shall include a notice to the complainant of his/her right to appeal the determination to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Step 4: The complaining party may appeal any negative final decision of the District (the decision either at Step 2 or Step 3) to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction. Using the procedures identified in Chapter PI 1 of the Wisconsin Administrative Code, such appeals must be filed in writing within 30 calendar days of the District's final decision and sent to the Department of Public Instruction, Equal Educational Opportunity Office – Pupil Nondiscrimination, P.O. Box 7841, Madison, WI 53707.

DEADLINE FOR FILING AN INITIAL COMPLAINT

There is no absolute deadline for the initial filing of a complaint under these procedures. The District always has an interest in being made aware of potential concerns with prohibited discrimination, harassment, bullying or retaliation. However, a person with a complaint or concern involving such a matter is encouraged to notify the District of the issue or to pursue the complaint as soon as reasonably possible after the occurrence of the relevant events. Any gap in pursuing a complaint or concern can affect the extent to which it is practical to investigate the matter, and a delay may also limit the range of possible remedies and resolutions that are reasonably available. Notwithstanding the lack of a single, fixed deadline, the District, acting through the District Administrator or a designee, may determine that any complaint filed more than 300 days after the alleged act(s) occurred, or more than 300 days after the last occurrence of an ongoing condition, will not be processed through these procedures for lack of timeliness (although the District may follow-up on the issues presented through other means if appropriate). A decision to dismiss a complaint because it is untimely may be appealed to the Board under Step 3, and the Board may either affirm the dismissal of the complaint for lack of a timely filing or remand the complaint for further processing.

SPECIAL PROCEDURE FOR COMPLAINTS INVOLVING THE DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR

In the event that a complaint to be filed under these procedures concerns the actions of or decisions made directly by the District Administrator, the complainant may file the complaint in writing at the District's main administrative office, directed to the attention of the Board President, who shall work with District legal counsel in order to process the complaint.

Seymour Community School District NOTICE OF STUDENT ACADEMIC STANDARDS THAT ARE IN EFFECT FOR THE 2016-17 SCHOOL YEAR

State law requires the District to provide the parents and guardians of all enrolled students with notice of the academic standards in mathematics, science, reading and writing (i.e., English Language Arts), geography, and history that have been adopted by the School Board and that will be in effect during each school year. The District academic standards that will be in effect for this school year in these content areas are listed below. Electronic links to a complete statement of the applicable standards are provided, if available.

The District has adopted the Wisconsin Model Academic Standards in the following content areas:

Social studies, using the 4th, 8th, and 12th grade bands established by the standards. See http://cal.dpi.wi.gov/cal_ss-standards

Science, using content and performance standards for the 4th, 8th, and 12th grade bands, additionally supplemented by the NEXT GENERATION SCIENCE STANDARDS™*. See http://dpi.wi.gov/science/standards and http://www.nextgenscience.org/next-generation-science-standards

Additional subjects, other than Math and English Language Arts. See http://dpi.wi.gov/standards for the list of various other subjects and content areas.

The District has adopted the Wisconsin State Standards in the following content areas:

English Language Arts (K-12). See http://dpi.wi.gov/ela

Mathematics (K-12). See http://dpi.wi.gov/math

To the extent a parent or guardian would like to review a copy of any of the District's adopted academic standards in an alternative format or has any questions about the District's student academic standards or this notice, please contact the Director of Curriculum.

^{*} NEXT GENERATION SCIENCE STANDARDS is a registered trademark of Achieve.

PUBLIC RELEASE NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH AND BREAKFAST PROGRAMS, SPECIAL MILK PROGRAM

This is the public release that we will send to: Advertiser Community News sent on July 12, 2017

RELEASE STATEMENT

The Seymour Community School District today announced its policy for children unable to pay the full price of meals served under the National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Program or milk for split-session students served under the Special Milk Program. Each school office and the central office has a copy of the policy, which may be reviewed by any interested party.

The following household size and income criteria will be used for determining eligibility. Children from families whose annual income is at or below the levels shown are eligible for free and reduced price meals or free milk if a split-session student does not have access to the school lunch or breakfast service.

FAMILY SIZE INCOME SCALE For Determining Eligibility for Free and Reduced Price Meals or Milk

ANNUAL INCOME LEVEL MONTHLY INCOME LEVEL Free Reduced Price Reduced Price Free Must be at or below Must be at or between Must be at or below Must be at or between Family figure listed figure listed (Household) Size figures listed figures listed \$ 1,307.01 \$15,678 \$ 15,678.01 and \$22,311 \$ 1,307 and \$1,860 2 21,112 21,112.01 and 30,044 1,760 1.760.01 and 2.504 3 26,546.01 26.546 and 37,777 2.213 2.213.01 and 3,149 4 31,980 31,980.01 and 45,510 2,665 2,665.01 and 3,793 5 37,414 37,414.01 and 53,243 3,118 3,118.01 and 4.437 6 42 848 42,848.01 and 60.976 3.571 3.571.01 and 5.082 7 48,282 48,282.01 and 68.709 4,024 4.024.01 and 5.726 8 53,716 53,716.01 and 76,442 4.447 4.447.01 and 6.371 For each additional + 453 + 453 + 645 household member, add + 5,434 + 5,434 and +7,733 and

Application forms are being sent to all homes with a notice to parents or guardians. To apply for free or reduced price meals or free milk, households must fill out the application and return it to the school (unless notified at the start of the school year that children are eligible through direct certification). Additional copies are available at the office in each school. The information provided on the application will be used for the purpose of determining eligibility and may be verified at any time during the school year by agency or other program officials. Applications may be submitted at any time during the year.

To obtain free or reduced price meals or free milk for children in a household where one or more household members receive FoodShare, FDPIR, or Wisconsin Works (W-2) cash benefits, list the FoodShare, FDPIR or W-2 case number, list the names of all school children, sign the application, and return it to the school office.

For the school officials to determine eligibility for free or reduced price meals or free milk of households not receiving FoodShare, FDPIR or W-2 cash benefits, the household must provide the following information requested on the application: names of all household members, total number of household members, and the adult signing the application form must also list the last four digits of his or her Social Security Number or mark the box to the right of "Check if no SSN". Also, the income received by each household member must be provided by amount and source (wages, welfare, child support, etc.).

Under the provisions of the free and reduced price meal and free milk policy Amber Thompson at Seymour Community School District Health Services

will review applications and determine eligibility. If a parent or guardian is dissatisfied with the ruling of the official, he/she may wish to discuss the decision with the determining official on an informal basis. If the parent/guardian wishes to make a formal appeal, he/she may make a request either orally or in writing to: John Kasha, Seymour Community School District, 10 Circle Drive, Seymour WI 54165 at 920-833-2304.

If a hearing is needed to appeal the decision, the policy contains an outline of the hearing procedure.

If a household member becomes unemployed or if the household size changes, the family should contact the school. Such changes may make the household eligible for reduced price meals or free meals or free milk if the household income falls at or below the levels shown above, and they may reapply at that time.

Children formally placed in foster care are also eligible for free meal benefits. Foster children may be certified as eligible without a household application. Households with foster children and non-foster children may choose to include the foster child as a household member, as well as any personal income available to the foster child, on the same application that includes their non-foster children.

The information provided by the household on the application is confidential. Public Law 103-448 limits the release of student free and reduced price school meal eligibility status to persons directly connected with the administration and enforcement of federal or state educational programs. Consent of the parent/guardian is needed for other purposes such as waiver of text book fees.

Non-discrimination Statement:

In accordance with Federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, the USDA, its Agencies, offices, and employees, and institutions participating in or administering USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity in any program or activity conducted or funded by USDA.

Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication for program information (e.g. Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language, etc.), should contact the Agency (State or local) where they applied for benefits. Individuals who are deaf, hard of hearing or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339. Additionally, program information may be made available in languages other than English.

To file a program complaint of discrimination, complete the <u>USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form</u>, (AD-3027) found online at: http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint_filing_cust.html, and at any USDA office, or write a letter addressed to USDA and provide in the letter all of the information requested in the form. To request a copy of the complaint form, call (866) 632-9992. Submit your completed form or letter to USDA by:

Mail: U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Office of the Assistant Sec. for Civil Rights 1400 Independence Avenue. SW Washington, D. C. 20250-9419	Fax: (202) 690-7442	Email: program.intake@usda.gov
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This institution is an equal opportunity provider. Any questions regarding the application should be directed to the determining official.

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THE SEYMOUR COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT NOTICE OF EDUCATIONAL OPTIONS FOR CHILDREN WHO RESIDE IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Seymour Community School District offers students a variety of educational options to children who reside in the District. It is our mission to create a cooperative community of people committed to constantly improving learning environments which enable students to demonstrate their uniqueness as persons who are active learners, caring members of society, creative artists, ethical stewards, involved citizens, and productive workers.

The District's primary educational pathway and instructional program for students involves a progression from 4-year-old kindergarten through 12th grade, leading to a high school diploma.

The District's schools are listed below:

Elementary Schools	Middle Schools	High Schools
(grades 4K* - 5):	(grades 6 - 8):	(grades 9-12):
 Rock Ledge Primary (5K-2) Rock Ledge Intermediate (3-5) Black Creek Elementary (4K-5) 	Black Creek Middle SchoolSeymour Middle School	Seymour High SchoolSeymour Alternative HS

^{*} Note: The District offers its 4K program at one or more community-based locations other than the elementary school(s) that are listed above.

Some of the specific education programs offered to eligible students who are enrolled in and attending the District's schools include the following:

- Early childhood special education (for students who are at least 3 years old but not yet schoolage)
- Special education for students with disabilities
- English language learner/bilingual-bicultural education
- Gifted and talented education
- Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs
- Individualized program and curriculum modifications
- Alternative High School education program
- Fallen Timbers Environmental Classroom
- Summer school programming
- Post-secondary course options
- Articulated classes offering dual credit with area Universities and Colleges

The full version of the District's most recent school and school district accountability report, as issued by the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction under section 115.385 of the state statutes, can be accessed via the following page on the District's website (if the report has been issued by DPI):

Educational options for students who are enrolled in the Seymour Community School District that involve part-time attendance at an educational institution other than a school of the Seymour Community School District include the following:

- The Course Options Program, which
 - provides opportunities to apply for approval to take up to 2 courses at a time at another educational institution:
 - is subject to state and local eligibility requirements, including the limitation that the courses must satisfy a high school graduation requirement; and

- includes certain District-approved dual credit opportunities that the District offers in conjunction with a partner institution of higher education.
- The Youth Options Program, which
 - provides opportunities to apply for approval to take courses at certain institutions of higher education; and
 - is available only to students who are enrolled in the 11th or 12th grade.

Additional educational options for children who reside in the District that involve full-time enrollment/attendance at a school, program, or other educational institution that is not a school or instrumentality of the Seymour Community School District include the following:

- High school students meeting certain age and other eligibility requirements may be permitted to attend a technical college or certain other programs for the purpose of completing a program leading to the student's high school graduation or to a high school equivalency diploma.
- Full-time Open Enrollment involving physical attendance in a public school of a nonresident school district or attendance through a virtual charter school that is associated with a nonresident school district.
- Beginning in the 2016-17 school year, a child with a disability who meets the program's specific eligibility requirements may apply to attend an eligible, participating private school under a scholarship awarded through the state's "Special Needs Scholarship Program," as established under section 115.7915 of the state statutes.
- Enrollment in a private school of the family's choosing (at the family's own cost, as applicable).
- Enrollment in a home-based private educational program as provided under state law.
- Enrollment in a tribal school.

Educational options for children who reside in the Seymour Community School District but who are enrolled in and attending a private school, tribal school, or home-based private educational program include the following:

- Such students have the opportunity to attend summer school classes/programs offered in the District.
- Private school and tribal school students in the high school grades have the opportunity to apply for approval to take up two courses per semester in a District school, pursuant to section 118.145(4) of the state statutes.
- Students who are enrolled in a home-based private educational program have the opportunity to:
 - Apply for approval to take up two courses per semester in public schools as provided under section 118.53.
 - Participate in District interscholastic athletics and other District extracurricular activities as provided under section 118.133.

For more information about any of the educational options listed in this notice, please contact the District's main administrative office at 920-833-2304 or the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction.

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