



LITTLE ROCK  
SCHOOL DISTRICT

# 2025-2026 STUDENT CALENDAR

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# CARE Program

## Before- and After-school Child Care

- Is a nonprofit, school-based child care program for elementary students
- Operates before and after school on weekdays
- Is located in every LRSD elementary school where there are at least 15 participants
- Provides a safe environment and offers a variety of creative and recreational activities to encourage growth in social skills
- For more information, call the CARE office at 447-1880

**When schools are dismissed early, CARE Program sites will also close.**

# Early Childhood Education

LRSD offers free, high-quality early childhood education focused on giving young children the positive start they need to succeed. There are three- and four-year-old classes in many schools in the district and the centers listed below. Children must be 3 or 4 by August 1st to be eligible for their specific age class. (6 weeks-2 years for a fee; 3-4 years free, if eligible)

- **Chicot Early Childhood Ctr.** (3- 4 years)
- **Fair Park Early Childhood Ctr.** (3-4 years)
- **Geyer Springs Early Childhood Ctr.** (6 weeks- 4 years)
- **Rockefeller Early Childhood Center** (6 weeks- 4 years)
- **Romine Early Childhood Ctr.** (3- 4 years)

For Pre-K registration requirements and locations, please contact the Early Childhood Department at 447-7360 or visit [www.LRSD.org/earlychildhood](http://www.LRSD.org/earlychildhood).

Dr. Shoutell Richardson, Pre-K Coordinator- Chicot ECC  
Richard Mills, Pre-K Coordinator- Fair Park ECC  
Charlotte Cornice, Pre-K Coordinator- Geyer Springs ECC  
Ann Freeman, Pre-K Coordinator- Rockefeller ECC  
Tyrone Harris, Pre-K Coordinator- Romine ECC



# School Schedules

## Elementary Schools

**7:40am - 2:55pm**

## K-8 Schools

**7:40am - 2:55pm**

## Secondary Schools

(Middle School and High School)

**8:45am - 4:00pm**



# Child Nutrition

## Household Meal Application: (Only one application per family)

**Meal applications are available beginning July 1, 2025, by visiting [myschoolapps.com](http://myschoolapps.com).** Please be certain that the Little Rock School District is selected as your choice before you proceed. Benefits are approved for July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026. Students who apply and are approved for free/reduced meals are entitled to fee waivers for summer school tuition, ACT/SAT testing fee waivers, concurrent credit fee waivers, as well as external discounted services such as internet services. We must have a completed meal application per family to determine individual meal status for such benefits. All children (18 and under) in the household should be listed on the meal application.

## Meal Modifications:

Parents may request a special dietary need for their child **for medical purposes**, by returning a LRSD meal modification form. The form must be completed by a licensed medical doctor. Forms are available online at [www.LRSD.org](http://www.LRSD.org), from the Child Nutrition Department, from the cafeteria manager, or school nurse. **All completed forms should be submitted to the Child Nutrition Department** via mail (1501 Jones Street, Little Rock, AR 72202) or via email at [childnutrition@lrsd.org](mailto:childnutrition@lrsd.org).

## Meal Prepayments:

Students may pay for their meals in advance or pay in the cafeteria each day. Payment options are available online via [www.myschoolbucks.com](http://www.myschoolbucks.com) or by visiting the LRSD website (Child Nutrition Department).

## 2025-2026 Meal Prices:

- **Student Breakfast:**  
Elementary & Secondary **\$2.50**
- **Adult Breakfast: \$3.00**
- **Student Lunch:**  
Elementary **\$3.25** & Secondary **\$3.50**
- **Adult Lunch: \$5.00**
- **Individual Milk or Juice : 50¢**



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# August 2025

| Sunday  | Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday   | Thursday   | Friday   | Saturday  |
|---|--|--|---|--|--|---|
|  <p>Brady Elementary School</p> |  <p>Pulaski Heights Elem School</p>   |  <p>Gibbs Magnet</p>  |  <p>Terry Elementary School</p> |  <p>Dads/Father Figures</p> | <p><b>New Employee Orientation</b><br/>- All <b>NEW</b> LRSD Teachers<br/>- All <b>NEW</b> LRSD Classified Staff</p> <p>Registration Deadline for <b>September ACT</b></p> <p><b>1</b></p> | <p><b>Sales Tax Holiday</b></p> <p><b>2</b></p> |
| <p><b>Sales Tax Holiday</b></p> <p><b>3</b></p>   | <p>Professional Development<br/><b>First Day for Teachers</b></p> <p><b>4</b></p>  | <p>Professional Development<br/><b>IN-SERVICE (State)</b><br/>for LRSD bus drivers, aides,<br/>and monitors<br/>8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>5</b></p> | <p>Professional Development -<br/>ACT 1309</p> <p><b>6</b></p>  | <p>Work Day - ACT 1309</p> <p><b>7</b></p>   | <p>Work Day<br/>Registration Deadline for <b>August SAT</b></p> <p><b>8</b></p>  | <p><b>9</b></p>                                 |
| <p><b>10</b></p>  | <p><b>First Day of School</b><br/>for Students<br/>Dads and Father-figures<br/>Take Your Child to School!<br/><b>Personnel Policy Committee</b><br/>Meeting 5:30pm</p> <p><b>A</b> <b>11</b></p> | <p><b>B</b> <b>12</b></p>  | <p><b>A</b> <b>13</b></p>   | <p>School Board Agenda<br/>Meeting 5:30pm</p> <p><b>B</b> <b>14</b></p>  | <p><b>A</b> <b>15</b></p>  | <p><b>16</b></p>                                |
| <p><b>17</b></p>  | <p><b>B</b> <b>18</b></p>  | <p><b>A</b> <b>19</b></p>  | <p><b>B</b> <b>20</b></p>   | <p>Senior Citizens Day</p> <p><b>A</b> <b>21</b></p>   | <p><b>B</b> <b>22</b></p>  | <p>SAT Test</p> <p><b>23</b></p>                |
| <p><b>24</b></p>  |  | <p>Women's Equality Day</p>  |   | <p>School Board Meeting<br/>5:30pm</p>   | <p>Registration Deadline for <b>September SAT</b></p>  |   |
| <p><b>31</b></p>  | <p><b>A</b> <b>25</b></p>  | <p><b>B</b> <b>26</b></p>  | <p><b>A</b> <b>27</b></p>   | <p><b>B</b> <b>28</b></p>  | <p><b>A</b> <b>29</b></p>  | <p><b>30</b></p>                                |

# September 2025

National School Success Month  
National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month

| Sunday   | Monday   | Tuesday                                | Wednesday  | Thursday  | Friday   | Saturday  |
|--|--|--|--|---|--|---|
| <br>Mabelvale Elementary | Labor Day<br>(Schools & Offices Closed)  |  |  |   |  | ACT Test  |
|  | 1  | B 2                                    | A 3  | B 4   | A 5  | 6   |
| Grandparents Day   | Personnel Policy Committee Meeting 5:30pm  | LR PTA Council Meeting 11:00am-12:30pm |  | School Board Agenda Meeting 5:30pm  | Registration Deadline for October ACT  | SAT Test  |
| 7  | B 8  | A 9                                    | B 10   | A 11  | B 12   | 13  |
| National Security Officer Appreciation Week<br>Sept 14 - 20  | Hispanic Heritage Month begins<br><br>Marking Period 1 Interim Reports Distributed<br>(Available on HAC/Sent Home) |  |  |   | Parent Conferences 12:00pm - 6:00pm<br>(Elementary & Secondary)<br><br>Students Out<br><br>Registration Deadline for October SAT |   |
| 14   | A 15   | B 16                                   | A 17   | B 18  | 19   | 20  |
|  | Rosh Hashanah Begins   |  | Rosh Hashanah Ends   | School Board Meeting 5:30pm   |  |   |
| 21   | A 22   | B 23                                   | A 24   | B 25  | A 26   | 27  |
|  | Superintendent's Citation Program  |  |  |  |   |  |
| 28   | B 29   | A 30                                   | Grandparents Day   |   |  |   |



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All dates in this calendar are subject to change.  
**Students do not attend class on days with "yellow" boxes.**

**AB** The letters “A” and “B” refer to the block scheduling.    

# October 2025

Breast Cancer Awareness Month  
Domestic Violence Awareness Month

| Sunday   | Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday   | Thursday  | Friday   | Saturday  |
|--|--|--|---|---|--|---|
| <br>Bale Elementary School | <br>Rockefeller Early Childhood                   | <br>Mann Arts/Science Magnet  | Check Us Out Tours<br>All Schools (9am-1:30pm)<br><br>Yom Kippur Begins<br><br><b>B</b> 1 | Check Us Out Tours<br>All Schools (9am-1:30pm)<br><br>School Custodian<br>Appreciation Day<br><br>Yom Kippur Ends<br><br><b>A</b> 2 | Check Us Out Tours<br>All Schools (9am-1:30pm)<br><br><br><br><br><b>B</b> 3 | SAT Test<br><br><br><br><br><br>4   |
| 5  | Child Health Day<br><br>Sukkot Begins<br><br><b>A</b> 6  | Bus Evacuation Drills<br>Middle/High (AM arrival)<br>Elementary (2:30pm)<br>All Regular & Special Needs<br><br>51st College Night<br>6:00pm-8:00pm<br>Jack Stephens Event Center<br><br><b>B</b> 7 | 8   | End of 1st Quarter [42]<br><br><br><br><br><b>B</b> 9   | Work Day / Data Day<br>STUDENTS OUT<br>OFFICES OPEN<br><br>10                | 11  |
| National School Lunch<br>Week (10/13 - 10/17)<br><br>12  | Columbus Day<br>Sukkot Ends at Sunset<br>Shemini Atzeret begins<br>Personnel Policy Committee<br>Meeting 5:30pm<br><br><b>A</b> 13 | LR PTA Council Meeting<br>11:00am-12:30pm<br>Shemini Atzeret ends<br>Simchat Torah begins<br><br><b>B</b> 14   | Hispanic Heritage<br>Month Ends<br>Simchat Torah ends<br><br><b>A</b> 15                  | Boss Appreciation Day<br><br>School Board Agenda<br>Meeting 5:30pm<br><br><b>B</b> 16   | 17   | ACT Test<br><br><br><br><br>18  |
| 19   | Marking Period 1 – Report<br>Cards Distributed<br>(Available on HAC/Sent Home)<br><br><b>B</b> 20                                  | 21   | Recruitment Fair<br>(Middle School)<br>Details TBA<br><br><b>B</b> 22                     | Red Ribbon Week<br>(10/23 - 10/31)<br><br><b>A</b> 23   | Registration Deadline<br>for November SAT<br><br><b>B</b> 24                 | 25  |
| 26   | Superintendent's Citation<br>Program<br><br><b>A</b> 27  | 28   | Recruitment Fair<br>(High School)<br>Details TBA<br><br><b>A</b> 29                       | School Board Meeting<br>5:30pm<br><br><b>B</b> 30   | Halloween<br><br><br><br><br><b>A</b> 31                                     | <br>Red Ribbon Week<br>October 23-31, 2025 |

# November 2025

National Native American Heritage Month  
National Diabetes Month  
Lung Cancer Awareness Month

| Sunday   | Monday  | Tuesday  | Wednesday  | Thursday  | Friday   | Saturday                 |
|--|---|--|--|---|--|--------------------------|
|  <p>ViPS Jane Mendel Reading Day</p> |  <p>McDermott Elementary</p>                         |  <p>Metropolitan Career-Tech</p>        |  <p>Jefferson Elementary School</p>    |  <p>Romine Early Childhood</p> |  <p>Hall-West High School</p>                   | 1                        |
| <p>Daylight Saving Time Ends</p> <p>2</p>  | <p>3</p>  | <p>Election Day</p> <p>4</p>   | <p>5</p>   | <p>6</p>  | <p>Professional Development - AEA Flex</p> <p>STUDENTS OUT OFFICES OPEN</p> <p>Registration Deadline for December ACT</p> <p>7</p> | <p>SAT Test</p> <p>8</p> |
| <p>9</p>   | <p>Personnel Policy Committee Meeting 5:30pm</p> <p>10</p>  | <p>LR PTA Council Meeting 11:00am-12:30pm</p> <p>Veterans Day</p> <p>11</p>  | <p>12</p>  | <p>School Board Agenda Meeting 5:30pm</p> <p>13</p>   | <p>14</p>  | <p>15</p>                |
| <p>American Education Week (11/17 – 11/21)</p> <p>16</p>   | <p>Superintendent's Citation Program</p> <p>Marking Period 2 - Interim Reports Distributed (Available on HAC/Sent Home)</p> <p>17</p> | <p>ViPS Jane Mendel Reading Day</p> <p>18</p>  | <p>19</p>  | <p>School Board Meeting 5:30pm</p> <p>20</p>  | <p>Registration Deadline for December SAT</p> <p>21</p>  | <p>22</p>                |
| <p>23</p>  | <p>Thanksgiving Holiday (Schools &amp; Some Offices Closed)</p> <p>Employees with a 12-month contract work</p> <p>24</p>              | <p>Thanksgiving Holiday (Schools &amp; Some Offices Closed)</p> <p>Employees with a 12-month contract work</p> <p>25</p> | <p>Thanksgiving Holiday (Schools &amp; Some Offices Closed)</p> <p>Employees with a 12-month contract work</p> <p>26</p> | <p>Thanksgiving Day (Schools &amp; Offices Closed)</p> <p>27</p>  | <p>Thanksgiving Holiday (Schools &amp; Offices Closed)</p> <p>28</p>   | <p>29</p>                |
| <p>30</p>  |   |  |  |   |  |                          |

# December 2025

Universal Human Rights Month

| Sunday   | Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday   | Thursday   | Friday  | Saturday   |
|--|--|--|---|--|---|--|
|  <p>Forest Heights</p> | 2026-27 <b>Open Enrollment</b><br>P3-12<br><br><b>Classes Resume</b><br><br><b>Personnel Policy Committee</b><br>Meeting 5:30pm<br><br><b>B</b> <b>1</b> | 2026-27 <b>Open Enrollment</b><br>P3-12<br><br><b>A</b> <b>2</b>   | 2026-27 <b>Open Enrollment</b><br>P3-12<br><br><b>B</b> <b>3</b>              | 2026-27 <b>Open Enrollment</b><br>P3-12<br><br><b>School Board Agenda</b><br>Meeting 5:30pm<br><br><b>A</b> <b>4</b>         | 2026-27 <b>Open Enrollment</b><br>P3-12<br><br><b>B</b> <b>5</b>  | <b>SAT Test</b><br><br><br><br><br><b>6</b>  |
| <b>7</b>   | 2026-27 <b>Open Enrollment</b><br>P3-12<br><br><b>A</b> <b>8</b>   | 2026-27 <b>Open Enrollment</b><br>P3-12<br><br><b>LR PTA Council Meeting</b><br>11:00am-12:30pm<br><br><b>B</b> <b>9</b> | 2026-27 <b>Open Enrollment</b><br>P3-12<br><br><b>A</b> <b>10</b>             | 2026-27 <b>Open Enrollment</b><br>P3-12<br><br><b>B</b> <b>11</b>  | 2026-27 <b>Open Enrollment</b><br>P3-12<br><br><b>A</b> <b>12</b>   | <b>ACT Test</b><br><br><br><br><br><b>13</b>   |
| <b>Hanukkah Begins</b><br><br><br><br><br><b>14</b>  | <b>Semester Exams</b><br><br><b>Superintendent's Citation</b><br>Program<br><br><b>B</b> <b>15</b>   | <b>Semester Exams</b><br><br><br><br><br><b>A</b> <b>16</b>  | <b>Semester Exams</b><br><br><br><br><br><b>B</b> <b>17</b>                   | <b>Semester Exams</b><br><br><b>School Board Meeting</b><br>5:30pm<br><br><b>A</b> <b>18</b>                                 | <b>Semester Exams</b><br><br><b>End of 2nd Quarter [44]</b><br><br><b>B</b> <b>19</b>                             | <b>20</b>  |
| <b>21</b>  | <b>Winter Vacation</b><br>(Schools & Offices Closed)<br><br><b>Hanukkah Ends</b><br><br><br><b>22</b>  | <b>Winter Vacation</b><br>(Schools & Offices Closed)<br><br><br><br><b>23</b>  | <b>Winter Vacation</b><br>(Schools & Offices Closed)<br><br><br><br><b>24</b> | <b>Winter Vacation</b><br>(Schools & Offices Closed)<br><br><b>Christmas Day</b><br><br><br><b>25</b>                        | <b>Winter Vacation</b><br>(Schools & Offices Closed)<br><br><b>Kwanzaa Begins</b><br><br><br><b>26</b>            | <b>27</b>  |
| <b>28</b>  | <b>Winter Vacation</b><br>(Schools & Offices Closed)<br><br><br><br><b>29</b>  | <b>Winter Vacation</b><br>(Schools & Offices Closed)<br><br><br><br><b>30</b>  | <b>Winter Vacation</b><br>(Schools & Offices Closed)<br><br><br><br><b>31</b> |  <p>Dr. Marian G. Lacey K-8 Academy</p> |  <p>Parkview High School</p> |  <p>Geyer Springs Early Childhood</p> |



# January 2026

National Mentoring Month  
National Blood Donors Month

| Sunday  | Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday   | Thursday   | Friday   | Saturday |
|---|--|--|---|--|--|----------|
| <br>LR Southwest High | <br>Moms/Mother Figures Celebration | <br>Forest Park Elementary School | <br>Stephens Elementary | Winter Vacation<br>(Schools & Offices Closed)<br><br>New Year's Day<br><br>Kwanzaa Ends<br><br>1 | Winter Vacation<br>(Schools & Offices Closed)<br><br>2 | 3        |
| 4   | Record/Work Day<br><br>STUDENTS OUT<br>OFFICES OPEN<br><br>Personnel Policy Committee<br>Meeting 5:30pm<br><br>5     | Data Day<br><br>STUDENTS OUT<br>OFFICES OPEN<br><br>6  | Classes Resume<br><br>A 7   | School Board Agenda<br>Meeting 5:30pm<br><br>B 8   | Registration Deadline<br>for February ACT<br><br>A 9   | 10       |
| 11  | Marking Period 2 - Report<br>Cards Distributed<br>(Available on HAC/Sent Home)<br><br>B 12                           | A 13   | B 14  | A 15   | B 16   | 17       |
| 18  | Martin Luther King, Jr. Day<br>(Schools & Offices Closed)<br><br>19  | A 20   | B 21  | A 22   | B 23   | 24       |
| 25  | Superintendent's Citation<br>Program<br><br>A 26   | B 27   | A 28  | B 29   | A 30   | 31       |



# February 2026

Black History Month  
Career Technical Education Month

| Sunday   | Monday  | Tuesday   | Wednesday   | Thursday   | Friday  | Saturday  |
|--|---|---|---|--|---|---|
| <b>National School Counseling Week</b><br>(2/1 – 2/5)<br><br>1 | <b>B</b> 2  | <b>A</b> 3  | <b>B</b> 4  | <b>A</b> 5   | National Wear Red Day<br><br>6  | 7   |
| 8  | <b>A</b> 9<br><b>Personnel Policy Committee Meeting</b><br>5:30pm   | <b>B</b> 10<br><b>LR PTA Council Meeting</b><br>11:00am-12:30pm   | <b>A</b> 11   | <b>B</b> 12<br><b>School Board Agenda Meeting</b><br>5:30pm  | <b>A</b> 13   | Valentine's Day<br>ACT Test<br>14   |
| 15   | 16<br><b>Parent Conferences</b><br>12:00pm - 6:00pm<br>(Elementary & Secondary)<br><b>Students Out</b><br><b>Presidents Day</b> | <b>B</b> 17<br><b>Ramadan Begins</b><br><b>Marking Period 3 - Interim Reports Distributed</b><br>(Available on HAC/Sent Home) | <b>A</b> 18<br>Ash Wednesday/<br>Start of Lent  | <b>B</b> 19  | <b>A</b> 20   | 21  |
| 22   | 23<br><b>Professional Development STUDENTS OUT</b><br><b>Superintendent's Citation Program</b>                                  | <b>B</b> 24   | <b>A</b> 25   | <b>B</b> 26<br><b>School Board Meeting</b><br>5:30pm   | <b>A</b> 27<br>Registration Deadline for March SAT<br><br><b>Black Male Educator Summit</b>                     | Little Rockers Kids Marathon<br><br><b>Black Male Educator Summit</b><br>28                                       |
|  | <br>Parkview Magnet High School              | <br>Dunbar Magnet Middle School            | <br>Central High School | <br>Pulaski Heights Middle School | <br>Don Roberts Elementary | <br>Watson Elementary School |

# March 2026

Women's History Month  
National Nutrition Month

| Sunday  | Monday  | Tuesday  | Wednesday  | Thursday  | Friday  | Saturday   |
|---|---|--|--|---|---|--|
| <b>Little Rock Marathon</b><br><br><b>1</b>   | <b>National School Breakfast Week (3/2 - 3/6)</b><br><br><b>B 2</b> | <b>A 3</b>   | <b>B 4</b>   | <b>A 5</b>  | Registration Deadline for <b>April ACT</b><br><br><b>B 6</b>  | <b>7</b>   |
| <b>Daylight Saving Time Begins</b><br><br>International Women's Day<br><br><b>8</b> | <b>Personnel Policy Committee Meeting 5:30pm</b><br><br><b>A 9</b>  | <b>LR PTA Council Meeting 11:00am-12:30pm</b><br><br><b>B 10</b>   | <b>A 11</b>  | <b>School Board Agenda Meeting 5:30pm</b><br><br><b>B 12</b>  | <b>A 13</b>   | <b>SAT Test</b><br><br><b>14</b>   |
| <b>15</b>   | <b>Artistry in the Rock TBA</b><br><br><b>B 16</b>                  | <b>Artistry in the Rock TBA</b><br>St. Patrick's Day<br><b>VIPS Award Nominations and service reports due (5pm)</b><br><br>Bus Evacuation Drills<br>Middle/High (AM arrival)<br>Elementary (2:30pm)<br><b>All Regular &amp; Special Needs</b><br><br><b>A 17</b> | <b>Artistry in the Rock TBA</b><br><br><b>End of 3rd Quarter [48]</b><br><br><b>B 18</b>                               | <b>Artistry in the Rock TBA</b><br><br><b>School Board Meeting 5:30pm</b><br><br><b>Ramadan Ends</b><br><br><b>A 19</b>   | <b>Work Day / Data Day</b><br><b>STUDENTS OUT</b><br><b>OFFICES OPEN</b><br><br><b>20</b>                     | <b>21</b>  |
| <b>22</b>   | <b>Spring Break (Schools/Offices Closed)</b><br><br><b>23</b>       | <b>Spring Break (Schools/Offices Closed)</b><br><br><b>24</b>  | <b>Spring Break (Schools/Offices Closed)</b><br><br><b>25</b>  | <b>Spring Break (Schools/Offices Closed)</b><br><br><b>26</b>   | <b>Spring Break (Schools/Offices Closed)</b><br><br><b>27</b>   | <b>28</b>  |
| <b>Palm Sunday</b><br><br><b>29</b>   | <b>Superintendent's Citation Program</b><br><br><b>B 30</b>         | <b>A 31</b>  | <br>Carver-Washington STEAM Magnet | <br>King Leadership/Language Academy | <br>Artistry in the Rock | <br>Pinnacle View Middle School |

# April 2026

National Volunteer Month

National Poetry Month  
Sexual Assault Awareness

National Autism Awareness  
Stress Awareness

| Sunday   | Monday   | Tuesday  | Wednesday  | Thursday  | Friday   | Saturday  |
|--|--|--|--|---|--|---|
| <br>Otter Creek Elementary | <br>JA Fair K8 Preparatory Academy  | <br>Fulbright Elementary School | <b>Paraprofessional Appreciation Day</b><br><br><b>Passover Begins</b><br><br><span>B</span> 1       | Autism Awareness Day<br><br>End of Lent<br><br><span>A</span> 2                               | <span>B</span> 3   | <b>Library/Media Specialist Appreciation Day</b><br><br>4   |
| <b>Easter</b><br><br>5   | <b>Personnel Policy Committee Meeting 5:30pm</b><br><br><b>Marking Period 3 - Report Cards Distributed</b><br>(Available on HAC/Sent Home)<br><br><span>A</span> 6 | <span>B</span> 7   | <span>A</span> 8   | <b>School Board Agenda Meeting 5:30pm</b><br><br><b>Passover Ends</b><br><br><span>B</span> 9 | <span>A</span> 10  | <b>ACT Test</b><br><br>11   |
| 12   | <span>B</span> 13  | <b>LR PTA Council Meeting 11:00am-12:30pm</b><br><br><span>A</span> 14   | <b>Tax Day</b><br><br><span>B</span> 15  | <span>A</span> 16   | <b>Registration Deadline for May SAT</b><br><br><span>B</span> 17  | 18  |
| <b>National Library Week (4/19 – 4/25)</b><br><br><b>National Volunteer Week (4/19 – 4/25)</b><br><br>19   | <span>A</span> 20  | <b>ViPS APPRECIATION EVENT 5:30PM</b><br><br><span>B</span> 21   | <b>Earth Day</b><br><br><b>Administrative Professional Appreciation Day</b><br><br><span>A</span> 22 | <b>School Board Meeting 5:30pm</b><br><br><span>B</span> 23                                   | <span>A</span> 24  | 25  |
| <b>School Nutrition Employee Week (4/26- 5/1)</b><br><br>26  | <b>Superintendent's Citation Program</b><br><br><span>B</span> 27  | <b>School Bus Driver, Aide and Monitor Appreciation Day</b><br><br><span>A</span> 28                             | <span>B</span> 29  | <span>A</span> 30   | <br>ViPS "An Evening for the Stars" | <br>Williams Magnet School |



# May 2026

National Physical Fitness and Sports Month  
National Mental Health Awareness Month  
National Better Speech, Language, and Hearing Month  
Lupus Awareness Month

| Sunday   | Monday   | Tuesday   | Wednesday  | Thursday   | Friday   | Saturday                               |
|--|--|---|--|--|--|--|
|  <p>Teachers of the Year Celebration</p> <p><b>Teacher Appreciation Week (5/4 – 5/8)</b><br/>Ceremony Date TBA</p> <p><b>3</b></p> |  <p>Wakefield Elementary School</p> <p>AP Exams</p> <p><b>LRSD Teacher of the Year Ceremony</b></p> <p>Marking Period 4 - Interim Reports Distributed</p> <p><b>4</b></p> |  <p>Fair Park Early Childhood</p> <p>AP Exams</p> <p><b>National Teacher Day</b></p> <p><b>Cinco de Mayo</b></p> <p><b>5</b></p> |  <p>Chicot Elementary</p> <p>AP Exams</p> <p><b>National School Nurse Appreciation Day</b></p> <p><b>6</b></p> |  <p>LR Southwest High</p> <p>AP Exams</p> <p><b>7</b></p>   | <p><b>School Lunch Hero Day</b></p> <p><b>National Better Speech, Language, and Hearing Month</b></p> <p><b>B</b> <b>1</b></p> | <p><b>SAT Test</b></p> <p><b>2</b></p> |
| <p><b>Mother's Day</b></p> <p><b>10</b></p>  | <p>AP Exams</p> <p><b>Personnel Policy Committee Meeting 5:30pm</b></p> <p><b>Senior Exams</b></p> <p><b>B</b> <b>11</b></p>   | <p>AP Exams</p> <p><b>LR PTA Council Meeting 11:00am-12:30pm</b></p> <p><b>Senior Exams</b></p> <p><b>A</b> <b>12</b></p>   | <p>AP Exams</p> <p><b>Senior Exams</b></p> <p><b>B</b> <b>13</b></p>   | <p>AP Exams</p> <p><b>School Board Agenda Meeting 5:30pm</b></p> <p><b>A</b> <b>14</b></p>   | <p>AP Exams</p> <p><b>Final Exams</b></p> <p><b>B</b> <b>15</b></p>  | <p><b>16</b></p>                       |
| <p><b>17</b></p>   | <p>National Speech Language Pathologist Appreciation Day</p> <p><b>Final Exams</b></p> <p><b>A</b> <b>18</b></p>   | <p><b>Final Exams</b></p> <p><b>Academic Signing Day</b></p> <p><b>B</b> <b>19</b></p>  | <p><b>Final Exams</b></p> <p><b>A</b> <b>20</b></p>  | <p><b>Last Day of School</b><br/>for Students - End of 4th Quarter [40]</p> <p><b>HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATIONS</b><br/>(Barton Coliseum)<br/>Times TBA - visit <a href="http://www.LRSD.org">www.LRSD.org</a></p> <p><b>Final Exams</b></p> <p><b>B</b> <b>21</b></p> | <p><b>Professional Development Flex</b></p> <p>Registration Deadline for <b>June ACT</b></p> <p><b>22</b></p>                  | <p><b>23</b></p>                       |
| <p><b>24</b></p>   | <p><b>Memorial Day</b><br/>(Schools &amp; Offices Closed)</p>  | <p><b>Record/Work Day</b></p>   | <p><b>Contract Day</b></p>   | <p><b>School Board Meeting 5:30pm</b></p>  |  |  |
| <p><b>31</b></p>   | <p><b>25</b></p>   | <p><b>26</b></p>  | <p><b>27</b></p>   | <p><b>28</b></p>   | <p><b>29</b></p>   | <p><b>30</b></p>                       |

# June 2026

National Safety Month  
Men's Health Month

| Sunday   | Monday                                       | Tuesday   | Wednesday  | Thursday  | Friday  | Saturday  |
|--|--|---|--|---|---|---|
|  | 1  | Marking Period 4<br>Report Cards Distributed -<br>Elementary Schools<br><small>(Available on<br/>HAC/Mailed Home)</small>             | 3  | 4   | Registration Deadline<br>for July ACT<br><br>World Environment Day                    | SAT Test  |
| 7  | Personnel Policy Committee<br>Meeting 5:00pm | Marking Period 4<br>Report Cards Distributed -<br>Middle Schools and<br>High Schools<br><small>(Available on HAC/Mailed Home)</small> | 10   | School Board Agenda<br>Meeting 5:30pm   | 12  | ACT Test  |
| Flag Day   | 15   | 16  | 17   | 18  | Juneteenth<br><small>(Schools and Offices Closed)</small>                             | 20  |
| Father's Day   | 22   | 23  | 24   | School Board Meeting<br>5:30pm  | 26  | 27  |
| 28   | 29   | 30  |  |  |  |  |

# July 2026

National Parks Month

| Sunday   | Monday  | Tuesday   | Wednesday | Thursday                                       | Friday   | Saturday  |
|--|---|---|-----------|--|--|---|
|  |  |  | 1         | 2  | <b>Independence Day Observance</b><br>(Schools and Offices Closed) | <b>Independence Day</b>   |
| 5  | <b>Personnel Policy Committee Meeting 5:00pm</b><br>6                             | 7   | 8         | <b>School Board Agenda Meeting 5:30pm</b><br>9 | 10   | <b>ACT Test</b><br>11   |
| 12   | 13  | 14  | 15        | 16   | 17   | 18  |
| 19   | 20  | 21  | 22        | <b>School Board Meeting 5:30pm</b><br>23       | 24   | 25  |
| 26   | 27  | 28  | 29        | 30   | 31   |  |



# Testing and Evaluation

Testing and evaluation schedules will be available at [www.LRSD.org](http://www.LRSD.org) when released.

## 2025-2026 Graduation Requirements

| Subject                                      | Class of 2026   | Little Rock Scholars |
|--|-----------------|----------------------|
| English                                      | 4 units         | 4 units              |
| Mathematics                                  | 4 units         | 4 units              |
| Social Studies                               | 3 units         | 4 units              |
| Science                                      | 3 units         | 4 units              |
| Career Focus to include 1 unit of Technology | 6 units         | 6 units              |
| Foreign Language                             | —               | 2 units              |
| Fine Arts                                    | 1/2 unit        | 1/2 unit             |
| Health & Safety                              | 1/2 unit        | 1/2 unit             |
| Oral Communication                           | 1/2 unit        | 1/2 unit             |
| Physical Education                           | 1/2 unit        | 1/2 unit             |
| <b>TOTAL REQUIRED UNITS</b>                  | <b>22 units</b> | <b>26 units</b>      |

### Graduation Requirements

- An AR graduate must earn one credit of ADE-Approved Computer Science or computer science-related career and technical education course; requirement begins for 2026 graduates.
- Students must earn a credit in a course that includes personal & family finance in grades 9-12 (Embedded in Economics)
- Students must pass the Arkansas Civics Exam
- Students must complete hands-on CPR training (Embedded in health)
- (NEW) Beginning with the graduating class of 2026-27: students must earn 75 hours of community service

### ADE Seal

- Complete the state's recommended core curriculum
- Earn a GPA of at least 2.75

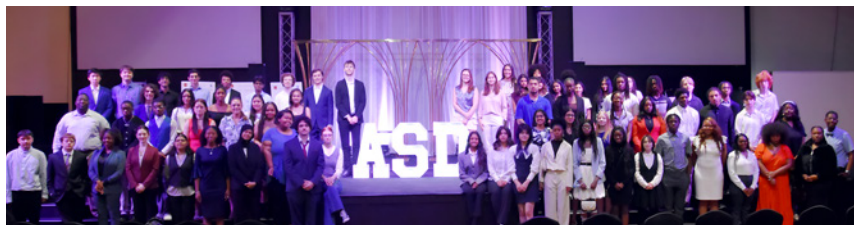
Students designated for valedictory or salutatory recognition must complete LR Scholars curriculum.

### Arkansas Scholars Seal

- Earn a grade of "C" or above in all courses
- Achieve a 95 percent or better attendance record for every year of high school
- Complete high school in eight consecutive semesters
- Complete at least three units each in Science, Social Studies, and four units in English and math

### Honors Seal/Little Rock Scholars Seal

- Complete the units required for the Little Rock Scholars curriculum
- Successfully complete a minimum of six Pre-Advanced Placement (Pre-AP) or AP courses over a four-year period
- Earn a GPA of at least 3.5



## Tips you can use to help your child have a successful testing experience!

Make sure your child ...

1. Gets plenty of rest the night before the test
2. Eats a good breakfast the day of the test
3. Feels confident about taking the test because of constant encouragement from you
4. Is present every day during testing
5. Has a day free of unnecessary stressors
6. Knows you're thinking about him/her as he/she leaves for school



## Attendance Information

### Attendance Requirements

A child must be five years old on or before August 1, 2025 to attend Kindergarten for the 2025-26 school year. Children registering for a pre-K program must be four years old (or three years old for LRSD's three-year-old programs) on or before August 1, 2025. **Arkansas law requires school attendance for children between the ages of five and 17.**

A City of Little Rock curfew requires children to be in school during the school's normal hours of operation. Students caught breaking this curfew may be subject to police charges.

When a student over the age of 14 is NOT enrolled in school or has been expelled, the school will notify the Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration (DF&A). **DF&A may suspend the student's driver license** if he/she is NOT currently enrolled in school or has been expelled from school, until the student provides satisfactory evidence that he/she is attending school or has reached the age of 18.

For more information refer to the LRSD Student Handbook Attendance Policy & Procedures (found on [www.lrsd.org](http://www.lrsd.org)).

### 10-day Rule

Any student absent from daily attendance for ten (10) consecutive school days shall be dismissed or dropped from the attendance records of the school and school district. This is for cases when a student is absent for ten (10) consecutive days without the proper documentation. Ark. Code Ann. § 6-18-213(f) (1)

### Resolved/Unresolved Absences

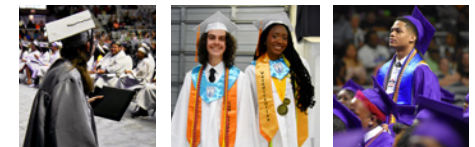
Absences are no longer referenced as **Excused** or **Unexcused** but as **Resolved** and **Unresolved**. A parent or guardian is to **notify the school attendance office by noon on the day of an absence or submit documentation** (from a doctor, dentist, court or other appropriate documents) **within 48 hours upon the student's return to school to resolve an absence**. Failure to do so will result in an unresolved absence that will be counted towards truancy.

The student's building level administrator will request a **conference** with the student and his/her parent/guardian to discuss his/her daily attendance at the **5th unresolved absence** in any one class during one semester with a block schedule (High Schools) and **6th absence** in any one class during one semester with a regular schedule (elementary schools, middle schools) respectively. **Before the 11th absence**, parent or guardian must **petition the school in writing** for special arrangements to address the student's absences.

The District will count **four or more class absences** in one day as a **full-day absence** in **regular schedule schools** (elementary schools), **five or more class absences** in one day as a **full-day absence** in **middle schools** (8 period days) and **three or more class absences** in one day as a **full day absence** in **block schedule schools** (High Schools).

### Excessive Unresolved Absences

Excessive unresolved absences will result in a referral to the City Attorney's Office for truancy prosecution in accordance with Act 1308 of 1997.



# Safety and Security

## Safe, Secure Schools

The mission of the Safety and Security Dept. is to assist the District in maximizing academic achievement for all students through the maintenance of a safe and secure environment. In order to achieve this, LRSD security officers are assigned to all middle and high schools; and a dispatched patrol unit, equipped with GPS technology, responds to calls for assistance district-wide. This unit is also responsible for monitoring bus stops and the 300 buses that transport students to and from school. Through a partnership with the LRPD, School Resource Officers are assigned to each high school, the Hamilton Learning Academy, and all middle schools. All LRSD school buses are equipped with a GPS, capable of tracking the buses in real time. Additionally, all buses are equipped with security cameras.

Please contact the Safety & Security Dept. with any safety concerns at 447-2075 during normal business hours.



## Transportation

The Little Rock School District provides transportation for:

- Secondary students who live more than two miles from their assigned schools
- Elementary students who live more than one mile from their assigned schools

LRSD DOES NOT provide transportation for:

- Pre-Kindergarten students
- Staff preference transfers
- Legal transfers, School Choice options and appeals

Please make all transportation requests at your child's school.

Getting your child to and from school is easier and safer with FirstView 1.0 — a trusted app that lets you track the school bus in near real-time. Stay connected and worry less. First Student transports about 16,000 LRSD students daily. Learn more at [www.LRSD.org/firstview](http://www.LRSD.org/firstview).

### LRSD Tip Line - 447-2091

The LRSD operates a non-emergency response tip line, which can be used to anonymously report information. The Tip Line can receive messages 24/7. However, the messages will only be checked during normal business hours. Be sure to include the name of the school, names of any individuals involved, and any other pertinent information. You may choose to remain anonymous, however, providing us with your contact information could be helpful during an investigation. **If you need immediate assistance or are missing a child, call 911.**

### Planning for an Emergency

Rapidly changing weather or acute health problems could result in a sudden need for your child's dismissal. In the event a school is closed early, a "notification" call will go out to parents. **Check with your child's school to be sure that your emergency contact information is up to date, and make sure your child knows where to go in the event of an emergency. Download LRSD's free "notification" App for up-to-the minute information.**



## Helpful Phone Numbers

### BUS DOES NOT ARRIVE ON TIME

447-4160 (dispatch)  
447-4158 (athletic bus)  
447-4130 (main number for First Student)

PERSISTENT BUS DIFFICULTIES 447-4142

SAFETY PROBLEMS AT A BUS STOP 447-2075  
SAFETY PROBLEMS ON A SCHOOL BUS 447-4147

SPECIAL NEEDS TRANSPORTATION 447-7550

PCSSD STUDENT TRANSPORTATION 234-2915  
JACKSONVILLE / NORTH PULASKI 241-2163

NLRSD STUDENT TRANSPORTATION 340-5150

**If bus is delayed more than 10 minutes call the number referenced above.**

# Special Services

## Drop the Parent/Grandparent Taxi and let METRO take you where you need to go - free, during the entire school year, plus evenings, weekends and summer!

The Little Rock School District is proud to partner with Rock Region METRO to provide free, unlimited bus rides to all LRSD high school students. For more info, students should visit the administrative office at their high school to receive a LRSD-issued student photo ID for the current academic year. This ID features a small security sticker - updated each semester to be considered current. METRO requires LRSD high school students to carry/display current LRSD student photo IDs, with appropriate, current stickers, when boarding to ride free.

### Know Your Route:

Central High School: Route 3 Baptist Medical Center  
Hall High School: Routes 8 Rodney Parham and 22 University Ave./Mabelvale  
Parkview High School: Route 9 West Central/John Barrow Road

- **FREE Transportation to Jobs, School, Academic Enrichment, Social Events and More!**

### 24/7 Online Access

LRSD students also have access to the Central Arkansas Library's (CALS) digital resources any time and any place thanks to an enhanced partnership the library system - **24/7**. With a CALS Tech Card, students who don't have a personal library card will be able to use the library system's digital resources from school and home. For more information and to get a Tech Card, students should visit with the media clerk at their schools.

## "Snow Days"

Decisions on closing school due to severe weather or other conditions may be made the evening prior to the school day or very early in the morning. Visit [LRSD.org](http://LRSD.org) for details. School closings and delays will be announced via the following outlets:

- **District** phone call (after 5 a.m.)
- **www.LRSD.org** • On **Facebook** — [www.facebook.com/mylrld](http://www.facebook.com/mylrld) • On **Instagram** — [www.instagram.com/mylrld](http://www.instagram.com/mylrld)
- On **Twitter** — [www.twitter.com/lrld](http://www.twitter.com/lrld) • **Local television & radio stations**

**The final decision concerning travel and student safety rests with the parents. If school is closed for inclement weather or other reasons during the school year, you will be notified.**

## Student Health

### Immunization

Arkansas law states that a child who does not have the vaccines required for his or her age cannot attend school.

Parents are to provide written proof of required immunizations.

### Special Health Care Needs

Students who need assistance during the school day with diet, feeding, restroom use, or getting around campus must have an Individual Health Care Plan with input from parents, nurses and physicians to make plans for care during the school day. Students with a chronic condition such as asthma, food allergies, diabetes or seizures must have an **Emergency Action Plan** written by the child's physician or nurse practitioner. Please tell the school nurse about your child's health needs.

If a **student is hospitalized or treated in an emergency room**, a discharge note from the doctor is required for returning to school.

Check the LRSD Health Services page at [www.LRSD.org](http://www.LRSD.org) for forms and more information or call **447-7380**.



### Health Information Form-LRSD

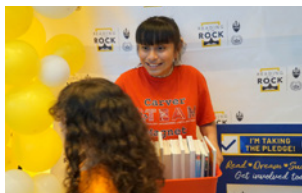
To better serve our families in the LRSD, it is important for our Nurses to be able to have up-to-date medical information on each of our students. Please fill out form and submit. <https://lrld.jotform.com/222023754460044> or via QR code

### Formulario de información de salud

Para servir mejor a nuestros estudiantes en LRSD, es importante que nuestras enfermeras tengan información médica actualizada sobre cada uno de nuestros estudiantes.

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| HEALTH SERVICES .....                       | 447-7380 |
| Chicot School-Based Health Clinic .....     | 447-7070 |
| Stephens School-Based Health Clinic .....   | 447-4680 |
| Wakefield Future Smiles Dental Clinic ..... | 447-6645 |





## Parent, Family and Community Engagement



Research provides evidence that children are more successful in school when their parents are actively engaged in the education process.

### Classroom Visitation

LRSD invites and encourages you to visit your child's school. In accordance with LRSD policies, visitors and volunteers must report to the school's office to receive a visitor's pass before proceeding to a classroom.

### Parent-Teacher Conferences

Parent-teacher conference dates are listed in this calendar. The conferences provide a great opportunity for parents to discuss their child's progress with his or her teacher. Conferences with parents are extremely beneficial for strengthening the important connection between home and school. Parents of virtual and onsite students may request conferences, meetings or support via phone or email. Listed are two resources that may be helpful information to ensure a successful parent-teacher conference experience.

<https://www.LRSD.org/conference-resource-1>

<https://www.LRSD.org/conference-resource-2>

Be sure to download the LRSD App for Rooms – two-way communication between parents/teachers.

### Parent & Family Engagement

The Title I Parent and Family Engagement Program promotes parent, family and community engagement in District schools. LRSD Network Cluster Teams have been established. The District and teams utilize the Johns Hopkins University National Network of Partnership Schools' (NNPS) School, Family and Community Partnerships six types of involvement and other evidenced-based models to assist in increasing parent engagement and student achievement. The NNPS Six Types of Involvement are:

- Parenting
- Communicating
- Student Learning
- Volunteering
- Decision-Making
- Collaborating with the Community

**The Title I Parent & Family Engagement Plan outlines and addresses** how parents, school personnel and families become partners in the learning process by attending workshops, receiving training, and being motivated to support their children. The workshops will target various educational and social topics to engage and assist parents and families in the educational process of students. **A copy of the District and school parent & family engagement plans can be viewed at <https://www.lrsd.org/page/parent-family-engagement>. Additionally, student and parents rights and responsibilities may be viewed via the LRSD Code of Conduct Handbook. Contact your child's school or review the LRSD website for an updated Handbook.**

A Parent Facilitator is assigned to each LRSD school to assist with parent, family and community engagement. In addition, each school has a Parent Center containing important information and resources. A lending library is available in the District Parent & Family Engagement Center, located at the LRSD Henderson Teaching & Learning Center – Room 4, 401 John Barrow Road, Little Rock, Arkansas 72205). Free items are available and materials may be checked out to assist parents in encouraging students to perform better at home and school. For more information, contact Kaye Rainey at 501-447-3358 ([kaye.rainey@lrsd.org](mailto:kaye.rainey@lrsd.org)), Beatriz Varela at 501-755-9540 ([beatriz.varela@lrsd.org](mailto:beatriz.varela@lrsd.org)).

### Families In Transition

The Little Rock School District's Title I Families in Transition outreach plan addresses the needs of identified students based on criteria listed in the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act. Title I Family Service employees collect student and family information from the needs assessment completed by the parent or guardian. Areas of need may include but are not limited to the following:

1. Academic Tutoring; 2. Food; 3. Clothing; 4. School Supplies; 5. Hygiene Products; 6. Eyeglasses; and 7. Educational Fees. LRSD and the Title I Department are committed to the collaborative partnerships we have established within the District and the community as we move forward to serve identified students in transition. During the 2024-2025 school year LRSD was able to meet the needs of hundreds of identified students that received services. If you have questions or need additional information, please contact one of our Title I Family Service Liaisons: Jana Hunter at 501-447-3339 / [jana.hunter@lrsd.org](mailto:jana.hunter@lrsd.org), Marisol Canchola (bilingual) at [marisol.canchola@lrsd.org](mailto:marisol.canchola@lrsd.org) / 501-447-3361, or 501-447-2978.

You may also contact the LRSD Federal Programs Director, Dr. Sheketa McKisick at 501-447-3350 or [sheketa.mckisick@lrsd.org](mailto:sheketa.mckisick@lrsd.org) regarding Title I and any other federal programs.



### Volunteer Activities

**Parent-Teacher Associations (PTAs)** and the **Volunteers in Public Schools (ViPS)** programs encourage parent and community involvement in the education of children. Volunteers serve as tutors, mentors, resource speakers, classroom helpers and in many more capacities. Individuals interested in volunteering or donating resources, should call 447-ViPS (447-8477) or visit [www.VIPSLRSD.org](http://www.VIPSLRSD.org).

#### ViPS Jane Mendel Reading Day

Volunteers are recruited from throughout the community to share a story and their love of reading with LRSD elementary students on Tuesday, November 18, 2025. Sign up at [www.VIPSLRSD.org](http://www.VIPSLRSD.org) to read to a class during this annual event on November 18.

**Partners in Education (PIE)** are collaborations between schools and community organizations designed to enhance student learning and provide needed resources. Businesses and non-profits of all sizes are invited to join LRSD's vibrant partnership network. For more information: 447-ViPS (447-8477) or visit [www.VIPSLRSD.org](http://www.VIPSLRSD.org).

### Bullying

Bullying of any type has no place in a school setting. The Little Rock School District endeavors to maintain a learning and working environment free of bullying. Any student who is a victim of bullying, who witnesses bullying, or has reliable information that a student has been a victim of bullying should report the incident to the building administrator. The student's identity will be kept anonymous if he/she feels in danger of retaliation. Bullying may also be reported using the District's notification App. For more information go to [www.LRSD.org](http://www.LRSD.org).



# Student Registration & School Choice

## Registration Requirements

- Child's official birth certificate, passport, military ID card or other documentation provided by law (ACA 6-18-208)
- Child's Social Security card/number
- Two forms of proof of residence
- Acceptable forms include current lease agreement or utility bill (less than 30 days old) in the parent's or legal guardian's name (cell phone bills will NOT be accepted). For a complete list of accepted documents visit LRSD.org.
- Child's Immunization Record to be presented at the child's school

## Where to Register for School

- SchoolMint online registration: [Joinlrds.schoolmint.com](http://Joinlrds.schoolmint.com)
- K-12: LRSD Student Registration Office, Parent Center, 501 Sherman St. Call (501) 447-2950 or email [SRO@lrds.org](mailto:SRO@lrds.org)
- Pre-K: Geyer Springs Early Childhood Center 5240 Mabelvale Pike Call 447-7360 or email [ECC@lrds.org](mailto:ECC@lrds.org)
- Use the School Locator feature at [www.LRSD.org](http://www.LRSD.org) to determine your attendance zone school, or at [joinlrds.schoolmint.net/school-finder/results](http://joinlrds.schoolmint.net/school-finder/results)

## Open Enrollment

Take advantage of unique and innovative educational opportunities by enrolling in one of LRSD's schools during the convenient enrollment period. Whether you are new to the District, or looking to enroll in one of the District's magnet/specialty schools or early childhood programs, the District's new open enrollment dates are Dec 1 – Dec 12, 2025.

If you are applying for any magnet schools or specialty schools, you should do so during the Open Enrollment period from Dec 1 – Dec 12, 2025, in order to be considered for the first computerized scramble for seats.

If you move in the middle of the school year, your student may remain at his/her assigned school for the remainder of the current school year with NO TRANSPORTATION PROVIDED BY THE DISTRICT. But students will automatically roll up to the attendance zone school unless they are currently assigned to or apply for a magnet or specialty school. Remember if you move, please update your information with the Student Registration Office.

Any patrons who are NEW or returning to our District may register on our online registration platform, SchoolMint -- [joinlrds.schoolmint.net](http://joinlrds.schoolmint.net) -- or in person at the LRSD Student Registration Office Parent Center at any time.

## Computerized Scramble

A computerized scramble will be utilized in the new assignment process for each category. For our Magnet and Specialty School Choice, no numbered waiting list will exist. When additional seats become available, another scramble will be initiated to fill available seats.

## Magnet Programs

- See available magnet schools/programs on calendar back cover, indicated with ★
- Students sign up during Open Enrollment: Dec 1 – Dec 12, 2025.
- Assignments will be made by computerized scramble. All students wishing to apply for a magnet seat at Parkview Arts/Science Magnet High School will be required to audition in ALL areas, to include Dance, Drama, Visual Arts, and Vocal Music. Following the auditions 50% of the available seats will be filled based on the scoring rubric in each area. The remaining 50% of seats will be filled with the traditional lottery system. All Science, Band, and Orchestra seats will be filled through auditions in order to gain admission. Qualifying Forest Heights STEM applicants will receive a weighted priority if applying for Parkview Science. (See [lrds.org](http://lrds.org) for specific application information)
- School assignment notifications will be available electronically mid-February 2026. Letters for

NEW and RETURNING student will also be mailed out at that time. Active students 2025-26 assignment can be accessed via the student's email address.

- Those students not initially selected for the magnet school of their choice will be placed in an unnumbered waiting pool.

## School Choice

The student Registration office can assist parents with information about school choice options.

## Moving

Parents may complete a change of address at the Student Registration Office at 501 Sherman Street or, at their currently assigned school, or online at [LRSD.org/forms](http://LRSD.org/forms). Two proofs of residency in the parent or guardian's name are required to complete the process. For a complete list of accepted documents visit LRSD.org.

## Contact Information

**If your phone number changes, please remember to notify your child's school. It is important to always keep your phone number up to date; in case of an emergency, automated calls will go out.**

## For More Information

- Please contact the Student Registration Office at 447-2950 with any questions.
- For assistance in Spanish, regarding student registration only, please call 447-2950.
- Para información sobre matriculación, por favor comuníquese al 447-2950.



# It's everything LRSD, in your pocket.



Download the **Little Rock School District, AR** app from the iOS App Store or Android Play Store and enable Notifications.

## Communication Through the LRSD Thrillshare App!

LRSD has fully transitioned to the powerful communication tools provided by the Thrillshare App from Appgetty.

Key features of the app include phone, text, email, calendars, and more—all in one convenient platform!

One standout feature is "Rooms," which allows teachers to communicate directly with parents while maintaining privacy. Because "Rooms" is part of the Appgetty family, it seamlessly integrates with other tools, creating a one-stop shop for information, resources, and communication.

Some schools are already using "Rooms," and we are continuing to expand its use through ongoing training. Your school's administration and teachers will let you know when your school begins the transition.

We encourage you to explore the LRSD Thrillshare App and all its exciting features designed to help us better serve you. To get started, simply download the app—it's everything LRSD, right in your pocket.

### Download the New App Now!

Android: <https://bit.ly/3KocYoe>

iPhone: <https://apple.co/3rZpxxW>

**Be sure to check out the #LRSDFridayFab5 video – your top "five" LRSD highlights for the week, shared on FACEBOOK, Twitter and Instagram.**

The LRSD NOW blog, accessed by subscription or through the LRSD website front page, will keep you informed on happenings district-wide. These social media tools will allow you to become "brand" ambassadors to help us share our story.

**Let's Talk! Contact us**

LRSD is enhancing customer service with K-12 Insight's "Let's Talk" platform to improve communication and responsiveness. Parents can use the tool to ask questions, share feedback, and get timely answers. Just click the yellow "Let's Talk – Contact Us" tab at the bottom of the LRSD website.

## OPEN ENROLLMENT FOR 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Early Childhood P3/P4, Forest Heights STEM Academy, Magnet Schools, K-12

December 1 —  
December 12, 2025

\*Dates are subject to change. Visit [LRSD.org](http://LRSD.org) online calendar for most current information.

# A Message from the Superintendent:



Dear LRSD Families,

As we begin another exciting school year, I want to warmly welcome each of you back to the Little Rock School District. I am now beginning my fourth year as superintendent—it continues to be an honor and a privilege to serve this incredible community. I remain just as energized and hopeful as I was on day one, committed to our shared vision of reimagining our district – now with a renewed focus of being united as **One Team, One Dream, One LRSD**.

Together, we've made incredible strides. Our students are thriving—in the classroom, on the field, and in the arts. We've celebrated:

- National recognition for academic excellence (**Historic number of Academic Signing Day Scholars**)
- Record numbers of scholarship recipients (**More than \$28M**)
- Students winning athletic championships and creating award-winning art
- Ongoing improvements to our schools and facilities (**Central, Parkview, Pinnacle View High Schools**)
- Nearly \$1 million awarded to an increased number of LRSD teachers receiving state merit incentives
- A decrease in percentage of schools with an "F" grade by 35% in two years. (**This was a four-year goal.**)
- An increase in number of elementary and secondary schools where students are meeting or exceeding growth targets in reading and math by double digits
- Achievement in highest percentage of 3rd-grade students demonstrating grade-level proficiency in literacy since 2016
- Removal from state monitoring in literacy in January of 2025 due to the significant growth of LRSD students performing below grade level. (**This is the first time in at least 10 years that LRSD is no longer required to participate in ACT 1082 state monitoring**)
- Achievement of highest four-year graduation rate (**82%**) since 2017

These achievements are a testament to what's possible when we come together with purpose and passion. But we're not stopping here. Our strategic plan is helping us move forward with clear priorities: closing achievement gaps, ensuring equity and safety, and preparing all students for bright futures in college and careers.

As parents and guardians, you are our most valuable partners. Your involvement, whether attending school events, supporting learning at home, or simply making sure your child shows up every day, makes all the difference. We need you beside us on this journey.

To help you stay informed and engaged throughout the year, we've designed tools and resources to keep you connected every step of the way. Our school calendar reflects our commitment to supporting your child's growth—academically, emotionally, and physically. It includes useful information to enhance your family's experience with LRSD, such as important dates, holidays, parent-teacher conferences, etc. Changes to the calendar will be noted in the online version found on [www.LRSD.org](http://www.LRSD.org).

Let's continue working together to build a school district where every child is seen, supported, and inspired to succeed. I am grateful for your trust and partnership, and I look forward to all we will accomplish - together.

In service,

Jermall Wright, Ed.D.  
Superintendent of Schools

# Little Rock School District Board



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The Board will hold two regularly scheduled monthly meetings on the second and fourth Thursdays at 5:30 p.m.\* The public may view proceedings on LRSD's YouTube Channel, at [www.LRSDLIVE.com](http://www.LRSDLIVE.com). Additional information, including how the community may provide public comment, is found on the "Leadership" page of [www.LRSD.org](http://www.LRSD.org). \*Exceptions may occur during months when the meetings fall within a holiday period.

Adult Education .....447-1850  
Athletics .....447-2060  
Business Office .....447-1089  
CARE Program .....447-1880  
Career & Alternative Education .....447-1390  
Child Nutrition .....447-2450  
Communications .....447-1025

Curriculum & Instruction .....447-1055  
Early Childhood/Elem. Literacy .....447-7360  
Elementary Education .....447-1133  
English as a Second Language .....447-3370  
Health Services .....447-7380  
Chicot School-Based Health Clinic .....447-7070  
Stephens School-Based Health Clinic .....447-4680

Wakefield Future Smiles Dental Clinic .....447-6645  
Human Resources .....447-1100  
Payroll .....447-1084  
Safety & Security .....447-2075  
Safety & Security (24 hrs.) .....447-2091  
Secondary Education .....447-1136  
Special Education .....447-1033

Student Hearing .....447-3500  
Student Registration .....447-2950  
Title I/Parent Involvement .....447-3350  
Transportation/First Student .....447-4130  
Transportation/LRSD (Special Ed.) .....447-7550  
Volunteers in Public Schools .....447-VIPS





## + Academies

### Dr. Marian G. Lacey K-8 Academy

9417 Geyer Springs Rd., 72209 • **447-4300**

### Forest Heights STEM Academy (K-8)

5901 Evergreen St., 72205 • **447-2700**

### J.A. FAIR K-8 PREP ACADEMY (K-8)

13420 David O. Dodd, 72210 • **447-1700**

### Pinnacle View 9th Grade Academy

5701 Ranch Dr., 72223 • **447-8500**

## + Early Childhood

### ◆ Chicot Early Childhood Center ■

(3- and 4-year-old pre-K)

11100 Chicot Rd., Mabelvale, AR, 72103 • **447-4100**

### ◆ Fair Park Early Childhood Center ■

(4-year-old pre-K only) 616 N. Harrison St., 72205 • **447-4400**

### ◆ Geyer Springs Early Childhood Center ■

(3- and 4-year-old pre-K) 5240 Mabelvale Pike, 72209 • **447-4800**

### ◆ Rockefeller Early Childhood Center ■

(age 6 weeks - 2 years [fee-based]; 3- and 4-year-old pre-K)

700 E. 17th St., 72206 • **447-6200**

### ◆ Romine ■ 3400 Romine Rd., 72204 • **447-6300**

(3- and 4-year-old pre-K)

## + Elementary Schools

### ◆ Bale 6501 W. 32nd St., 72204 • **447-3600**

### ◆ Carver Washington STEAM Magnet Elementary School ★

2700 S. Main St., 72206 • **447-6700**

### ◆ Chicot ■

11100 Chicot Rd., Mabelvale, AR, 72103 • **447-7000**

### Forest Park ■ 1600 N. Tyler St., 72207 • **447-4500**

### Fulbright ■ 300 Pleasant Valley Dr., 72212 • **447-4700**

### Gibbs International Magnet School ■ ★

1115 W. 16th St., 72202 • **447-4900**

### Jefferson 2600 N. McKinley St., 72207 • **447-5000**

### ◆ Dr. Martin King Jr. Leadership and Language

### Magnet Elementary School ■

905 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr., 72202 • **447-5100**

### ◆ Mabelvale

9401 Mabelvale Cut-off • Mabelvale, AR 72103 • **447-5400**

### ◆ McDermott 1200 Reservoir Rd., 72207 • **447-5500**

### ◆ Otter Creek

16000 Otter Creek Pkwy., 72210 • **447-5800**

### Pulaski Heights 319 N. Pine St., 72205 • **447-5900**

### Roberts 16601 La Marche Dr., 72223 • **447-8300**

### ◆ Stephens ■ 3700 W. 18th St., 72204 • **447-6400**

### ◆ Terry ■ 10800 Mara Lynn Rd., 72211 • **447-6500**

### ◆ Wakefield 75 Westminster Dr., 72209 • **447-6600**

### ◆ Watson 7000 Valley Dr., 72209 • **447-6800**

### ◆ Western Hills 4901 Western Hills Ave., 72204 • **447-6900**

### Williams Magnet Elementary School ★

7301 Evergreen St., 72207 • **447-7100**

## + Middle Schools

### ◆ Dunbar Business, Leadership and Entrepreneurship

### Magnet Middle School ★

1100 Wright Ave., 72206 • **447-2600**

### ◆ Mabelvale

10811 Mabelvale West Rd., Mabelvale, 72103 • **447-3000**

### ◆ Mann Multimedia Arts and Digital Innovations

### Magnet Middle School ★

1000 E. Roosevelt Rd., 72206 • **447-3100**

### Pinnacle View 5701 Ranch Dr., 72223 • **447-8500**

### Pulaski Heights 401 N. Pine St., 72205 • **447-3200**

## + High Schools

### Central High School International Studies Magnet ★

1500 S. Park St., 72202 **447-1400**

### ◆ Hall-West High School of Innovation ★

6700 "H" St., 72205 • **447-1900**

### LR Southwest Magnet High School ★

9715 Mabelvale Pike, 72103 • **447-9100**

### Parkview Arts/Science Magnet High School ★

2501 John Barrow Rd., 72204 • **447-2300**

## + Non-traditional Schools

### Accelerated Learning Center (ACC)

7701 Scott Hamilton Dr., 72209 • **447-1350**

### Adult Education Center

4800 W. 26th St., 72204 • **447-1850**

### Hamilton Learning Academy (6-8)

### & Hamilton ACC Paths (9-12)

3301 South Bryant, 72204 • **447-3400**

### Metropolitan Career-Technical Center

7701 Scott Hamilton Dr., 72209 • **447-1200**

### LRSD Virtual Academy • [www.LRSD.org/virtual](http://www.LRSD.org/virtual)

(6-12): **447-1900**

Symbols ■ Pre-K programs ★ Magnet schools

◆ Provision 2 Schools

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