



# LAWRENCE ROAD MIDDLE SCHOOL

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"Educating Scholars,  
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## February 2020 (Second Letter)

### Dear Parents/Guardians:

This letter is to inform you about the upcoming end of the year activities for your 8th grade child(ren). Below you will find the criteria for participation, what the activities are, and the fee schedule.

**All end of the year activities are privileges, not rights, and as such must be earned.**

### **The criteria for a child to be invited to these activities are as follows:**

- ❖ The student must be in an 8<sup>th</sup> grade homeroom
- ❖ Students must have a passing average in **three major** 8<sup>th</sup> grade subjects (Social Studies, English, Math or Science)
- ❖ Students must not have more than 5 discipline reports
- ❖ Students must not be suspended more than 1 time
- ❖ Students must not be absent more than 10 times
- ❖ Students must not have been late more than 10 times.
- ❖ Any student caught with contraband (alcohol, vaping, paraphernalia, etc) will IMMEDIATELY be barred from participating in one or more activities, depending on the offense. THIS IS NOT NEGOTIABLE.
- ❖ **Final attendance policy to all 8<sup>th</sup> grade activities is determined by administration.**

This year's 8<sup>th</sup> grade total fees are \$255. We are offering you two options for payment:

Option 1: Payment plan (see due dates)

Option 2: "a la carte" - You only pay for the activities you want your child to participate in.

**Payments must be made in CASH or by MONEY ORDER.**

**Money orders may be made out to: Lawrence Road M.S. - 8<sup>th</sup> grade class. Please include your child's name on the money order.**

**No CHECKS will be accepted!**

<b>Activity</b>	<b>Fee</b>	<b>Date</b>
8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Picture Day (Cap and Gown yearbook photo)		<b><u>Fri., March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020</u></b>
8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Trip- Lake Compounce	\$75	Thur., June 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Dance- Uniondale Marriott	\$80	Fri., June 19 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
LRMS 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade BBQ	\$30	Tues., June 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2020
LRMS 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Promotional Exercises (Graduation cap and gown)	\$20	<b><u>Fri., June 26<sup>th</sup>, 2020</u></b> At Uniondale HS, 9:00 AM
LRMS 8th grade t-shirt	\$15	
Yearbook	\$35	
<b>Total Fees</b>	<b>\$255</b>	
<b>For those using the payment plan, the dates are:</b>		
<b>1st Installment for 8th Grade Dues</b>	\$40	<b>Friday, November 1, 2019</b>
<b>2nd Installment for 8th Grade Dues</b>	\$40	<b>Friday, December 6, 2019</b>
<b>3rd Installment for 8th Grade Dues</b>	\$40	<b>Friday, January 10, 2020</b>
<b>4th Installment for 8th Grade Dues</b>	\$40	<b>Friday, February 7, 2020</b>
<b>5th Installment for 8th Grade Dues</b>	\$40	<b>Friday, March 6, 2020</b>
<b>6th Installment for 8th Grade Dues</b>	\$40	<b>Friday, April 3, 2020</b>
<b>Final Installment for 8th Grade Dues</b>	\$15	<b>Friday, May 1, 2020</b>

Final payments must be received by Friday, May 1, 2020. **No refunds will be given after Friday, May 15, 2020 because we must meet the payment deadlines of the different venues.**

You must bring your money to either Ms. Stelmach (room 209), Ms. Powell (room 211A), or Ms. Parris (main office). Money will only be collected before school and during the 8th grade lunch period.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate in contacting the 8th grade advisors listed below.

Sincerely,  
 Ms. Stelmach ( [estelmach@uniondaleschools.org](mailto:estelmach@uniondaleschools.org) )  
 Ms. Powell ( [bpowell@uniondaleschools.org](mailto:bpowell@uniondaleschools.org) )