

**Welcome to Families with New Students for Fall 2019**

We are delighted to welcome you to our school! All of us at Lancaster Country Day School hope that your family’s transition will go smoothly.

This year our **“New Student Packet”** is available on our website.

Please go to www.lancastercountryday.org/new-student-packet to access important information and forms that will aid in your student’s transition to LCDS.

On this webpage you will find:

1. **Welcome Information** (All of which is also included in this hard copy packet for your convenience)
2. **General Information** (Including the LCDS Handbook, the School Calendar, the School Directory Form and information about uniforms/textbooks from the school store)
3. **Health Forms**
4. **Academic Information** (Including how to request records from your current school (**very important**) and info about summer reading and optional prep courses)
5. **Transportation Forms**
6. **Athletic Information**

Please take the time to fill out all necessary forms and read over all of the documents carefully. (If you are unable to download and/or print from the internet, please call the Admission Office for hard copies.)

Do not hesitate to call the Admission Office or your student’s Divisional Office if you have questions.

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| **MAIN SCHOOL NUMBER: 717-392-2916** | |
| **Sandi Abraham**  Director of Admission – x227 | **Jenny Gabriel** Head of Upper School – x234 |
| **Ruby Dhillon**  Assistant Director of Admission – x228 | **Lindsay Deibler-Wallace** Assistant Head of Upper School – x299 |
| **Helen Najarian**  International Student Admission Associate – x247 | **Meg Reed** Head of Middle School – x538 |
|  | **Gail Clauss** Assistant in Middle School – x243 |
|  | **Caroline Badri** Head of Lower School – x526 |
|  | **Lynn Arnold** Assistant in Lower School – x239 |
| Another good source of answers to the many questions you may have can be parents of current children in your child’s grade. The Parents Association will be in touch over the summer to help connect families. | |

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| **ORIENTATION INFORMATION** | | |
| **Grades JK-5** | Tuesday, August 20, 8:30am – 11:15am | (No Uniforms required) |
| **Grades 6-8** | Tuesday, August 21, 8:30am – 10:30am | (No Uniforms required) |
| **Grades 9-12** | Monday, August 20, 6:00pm – 8:00pm | (Parents Only) |
|  | Tuesday, August 21, 9:00am – 12:30pm | (Students Only) |
| JK through 8th grade orientations are intended for the student and one or more parent  Parents of PS students will have their own weekday morning orientation and  will be contacted by Mrs. Krafft to arrange the date and time. | | |

**SAVE THE DATE**

**ALL SCHOOL PICNIC – FRIDAY, SEPT. 6 – 5:30pm-7:30pm**