

## 2018 Le Mars High School Grand March and Prom

### Dress Code:

1. Students participating in the grand march or dance need to be clothed in formal wear (gown, tuxedo, or suit) throughout the grand march and the dance. You may not change out of your formal attire during the dance. Formal attire must be worn all night. Casual wear will be acceptable for the after prom party.
2. Any student not in formal attire, after the building is locked, will be asked to leave.
3. Students are asked to abide by the formal dress code guidelines. Students dressed in formal wear that does not abide by these guidelines may be asked to leave or change into clothes suitable for the occasion. Administration and chaperones will make the final judgment in regards to appropriateness if a question is raised.

**LCHS Formal Dress Code:** *(Can be viewed, with pictures on LCS Homepage ([www.lemars.k12.ia.us](http://www.lemars.k12.ia.us) under students), or see the reverse side of this handout for images).*

1. Dresses should not be cut below the bust-line. Strapless dresses are permitted.
2. Backless dresses are acceptable as long as the lowest part of the dress does not dip lower than the natural waist line.
3. The length of the dress should be within a few inches of the knee.
4. The slit must not be higher than mid-thigh. This should be fingertip length.
5. Gentlemen are expected to wear the following: A Tux or Suit and dress shoes. Attire that is unacceptable: Any hat that is not considered formal. (Baseball caps)

### Prom Eligibility:

1. Students must be a Junior or Senior at LCHS or a date of a Junior or Senior. The date may be a Sophomore through a Senior.

### The Dinner, Grand March, & Dance:

1. Only Juniors and Seniors and their dates are invited to the dinner, grand march, and prom.
2. Doors open at 6:00 pm for dinner. Students will enter the school through the main entrance.
3. Students who do not attend the dinner but want to go through grand march must be here by 7:00 pm and enter the school through the door by the bulldog statue then proceed to the hallway by the band room to check in. Grand march starts at 7:30pm.
4. Students only attending the dance, enter through Carey Gym Lobby. Doors open at 9:00 pm.
5. Once you have gone through grand march you may sit in the north bleachers and watch the rest of the march, or go into Carey Gym. You will not be allowed to leave. No one will be allowed to enter the dance after 9:30 pm.
6. You DO NOT need to have a date/partner to attend prom, only to be in the grand march. No students will be allowed to walk by themselves.
7. Students not participating in the grand march may be in the bleachers with their peers as long as they follow the rules for the dress code.
8. Any student that leaves the building after the doors have been closed will not be able to re-enter and their wrist band will be removed. (This includes going to a vehicle.) Emergencies will be determined by administration.
9. No students will be allowed in areas other than the gymnasium, concourse, and bathrooms.
10. Parents will be notified of any student leaving the dance prior to 11:45pm.
11. Ticket sales for the dinner and dance will begin March 20th with Mrs. Collins & Mrs. Davis in the Office. Students will need to fill out the "Prom Ticket Purchase Information" form. Students attending the dinner and dance will pay \$12 a person. Students attending just the dance can purchase a ticket for \$7.

### Out of Town Guests:

1. All out of town guests will be required to complete an enrollment/grade verification form at least one week prior to the event.
2. Enrollment/Grade verification forms can be obtained in the principal's office.
3. All out of town guest are expected to follow the rules of LCHS and the guidelines for Prom.

### Food and Drink:

1. No outside food or beverages will be allowed. This includes all forms of pop cans, bottles, chips, etc. Refreshments, cookies, and cupcakes will be provided.

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ATTENDING THE LCHS PROM IS A CHOICE AND A PRIVILEGE – NOT A RIGHT! BY CHOOSING TO ATTEND, YOU ARE CHOOSING TO ABIDE BY THESE RULES AND GUIDELINES. Remember to have fun!!!

## Bust Line

Appropriate



Inappropriate



## Midriff

Appropriate



Inappropriate



## Backless Dress

Appropriate



Inappropriate



## The Slit

Appropriate



Inappropriate



## Men's Attire

Tuxedo



Suit

