

# Lowell Leopard News

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## Parent safety tip

Six ways your student can protect their online identities:

1. Share carefully – don't give out any personal information to unknown sites or strangers
2. Go private – keep privacy settings high and limit location services when possible
3. Log out – especially after using shared computers
4. Mix up passwords – use different passwords for different apps and websites
5. Avoid clickbait – avoid quizzes and random questionnaires
6. Choose wisely – pick an appropriate username



Learn more about online safety, digital wellness, cell phones and learning with technology with age-specific tips and tools on [www.common sense media.org](http://www.common sense media.org).

## Kindergarten registration begins in

## March

Do you have a child who will be 5 years old by Aug. 31, 2021? Registration begins on March 1, 2021. During school building closure, you can complete enrollment forms for kindergarten [online!](#) A [step-by-step parent walkthrough video](#) is also available as a resource.



**Cindy Foster**  
Principal

### **Feb. 5th**

Learning Improvement Friday Release at 1:35

### **Feb. 10th**

1<sup>st</sup> Learning Improvement Wednesday! Release at 1:35

### **Feb. 15<sup>th</sup> & 16th**

No School – Mid Winter Break

### **Feb. 17th**

Learning Improvement Wednesday Release at 1:35

### **Feb. 24th**

Learning Improvement Wednesday Release at 1:35



## Did you know?

Every year OSPI publishes a report card for each district and each school within the district. You can [access the 2019-20 data](#) on the OSPI website.

To review the data for the school district or a school, start typing in the name and a drop box will appear with choices. Click on your

choice to view the report card.

Optionally you can click on 'See all schools and districts' and navigate to the district or school you want to select.

## Free meals continue through the end of the school year!

Breakfast and lunch will be available at no charge for students learning on-site. Five-day meal kits will continue to be available for pick up each Wednesday for all kids; both remote learners and on-site learners. Meals include; fruit, veggies, whole grains, lean protein and milk. This program is available for all kids age 1-18, no qualification necessary. Follow @eps\_cafe on [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#) and [Twitter](#) for the most up to date information.



## Free internet access

The Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI) has announced a K-12 Internet Access Program and we invite our families who qualify for this support to apply. Reliable connectivity in remote learning is key and in partnership with OSPI, Everett Public Schools can connect qualifying families to local internet providers including Comcast/Xfinity, Presidio and Ziplly. Please visit the [family tech page](#) on the district's website for eligibility and application instructions or <https://www.everettsd.org/freeinternet>.



## Frequently Asked Questions



This is a reminder the [COVID 2020-21 Frequently Asked Questions](#) page is updated regularly. If you have a question that is not answered on the page, please fill out the form located on the page. We value your input as many of our families will benefit as we navigate this remote learning scenario together.



## Do you have a student in special education?

Did you know there is a Special Education PTSA in the district? The Special Education PTSA serves students, families, and educators involved in Special Education. They encourage students, families, educators and community members to work collaboratively to provide programs and activities recognizing each student's potential and enhancing the educational opportunities of children receiving and/or seeking special services in our district. Connect with the SEPTSA on [their Facebook page](#).



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