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LAKE BRADDOCK SECONDARY SCHOOL
2021-2022

NATIONAL PTA REFLECTIONS®

2021-2022 CALL FOR ENTRIES!

Learn more and get involved!
[PTA.org/Reflections](https://pta.org/reflections)

I WILL CHANGE THE WORLD BY...

EXPLORE THE ARTS AND EXPRESS YOURSELF!

- DANCE CHOREOGRAPHY
- FILM PRODUCTION
- LITERATURE
- MUSIC COMPOSITION
- PHOTOGRAPHY
- VISUAL ARTS

Reflections Contest: Explore the arts and express yourself!

Judges Wanted! We are looking for judges for our student Reflections submissions. We currently have a need for dance, music, and photography judges. If you or someone you know is interested please email Laura at reflections@lbspspta.org. Thank you!

Students, this year's theme is, I Will Change The World By...

Students should submit their completed works of art digitally in one (or more) arts categories in response to the selected theme: Dance Choreography, Film Production, Visual Arts, Photography, Music Composition, and Literature. Students participate in the appropriate division: Middle School (grades 7-8), High School

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Deadline for entries is **October 18th, 2021** at 4:00 p.m. No entries will be accepted after the deadline. Please follow all instructions when submitting entries.

For specific category rules and requirements, please click on the graphic, then select "Reflections Arts Program Resources". If you have any questions, please contact Laura Key, Reflections@lbspspta.org.

[Submit Entries Here](#)

Spirit Night!



Tomorrow, Tuesday, Sept. 14th is our monthly spirit night at the Kings Park Subway! When you mention LBSS PTSA with your order they will donate 10% back to us to help support the PTSA. Valid at the Kings Park location only, 8960 Burke Lake Rd, from 4 - 9 pm.



Practice Tests: PSAT, SAT, ACT

The LBSS PTSA is partnering with The Princeton Review to offer online, virtual practice exams for the PSAT, SAT and ACT. The exam will be proctored virtually via

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PSAT Saturday, September 25 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m , registration deadline is next Wednesday, Sept. 22!

SAT/ACT Saturday, October 16 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. And/ Or Saturday, November 13 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

[Register for Practice Tests](#)

AND... We are offering a discount off the SAT Prep course! Save \$200 off their SAT Essentials program, which includes classroom time, practice tests, online expert videos, and more.

[Register for SAT Prep Course](#)



Join the LBSS PTSA today

Our first General Membership meeting will be on Wednesday, September 8th at 7 pm on Zoom. Register for the meeting by clicking on the graphic above.

Voting on the budget and other motions is limited to PTSA members, so join now to make sure you can vote at the meeting!

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Upcoming Events

Tuesday, Sept. 14
12th grade College
Planning Night
6:30 pm

Thursday, Sept. 16 and
Friday Sept. 17
Middle School
Picture Days

Monday, Sept. 20
Middle School
After school clubs
and activities start

Wednesday, Sept. 22
Middle School
Back to School Night
6:30- 8:30 pm

Saturday, Sept. 25
PSAT Practice Test
w/ Princeton Review
9 am- 12:30 pm

Wednesday, Sept. 29
High School
Back to School Night
6:30- 8:30 pm

Missing information? Make sure you have signed up for the Lake Braddock News You Choose. The administration sends out updates every Friday.

[Sign up for News You Choose](#)

Late Buses

Late buses have started this week. They will depart LBSS at 4:45 pm on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays. Please check SIS for your bus # and stop location.



From the administration: School Planning Council

LBSS will continue the School Planning Council (SPC) in the 2021-2022 school year. The purpose of the SPC is to bring together various stakeholders to provide input and guidance on the direction of Lake Braddock. Providing an excellent and equitable education for all our students is our primary goal and we recognize the important role our community plays in shaping the direction of our school. Last year's SPC focused on putting Equity at the center of our work. During the 2021-2022 school year, the SPC will focus on our school's theme, Every Bruin Has A Story. We will be exploring how we support the individual needs of our students and celebrate the individuality of all Bruins. The council will meet in person four times during the

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sessions. If you are interested in participating, please complete the application form by September 24th. Returning SPC members should still complete the form to continue their service on the committee.

SPC Application

FAIRFAX COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS & LAKE BRADDOCK SECONDARY PRESENTS:

THE MS AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

Program offered to middle school (7th & 8th grade) students of Lake Braddock Secondary School

Program hours are Monday - Friday from 3:00pm to 5:00pm until the end of the school year (LATE BUS SCHEDULE TBA)

Come and experience a well-balanced mix of academic support, sports and recreational activities (such as arts/crafts), games as well as STEM-related and team building activities

Students will have the opportunity to socialization with friends, meet some of their fellow Bruins and may even learn a new skill or two.

Snack will be provided daily

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED. FOLLOW Q/R CODE FOR REGISTRATION FORM.

Contact Information:
 Jamaal L. Hines - MS After-School Specialist / Building Use Coordinator
 9200 Burke Lake Rd. Burke, VA 22015
 ATTN: Activities Office
 jlhines@fcps.edu
 703-426-1085

REGISTER HERE:

REGISTRATION LINK:
<https://forms.gle/JZ6TtuNgexxesRH8>



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There are openings for Student Monitors, Substitute Teachers, and AVID tutors. More information and links to applications are available in the latest News You Choose [here](#).



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