



Lutheran High School, La Verne

DANCE GUIDELINES

1. These are evening affairs normally starting at 8:00 pm or earlier and concluding by 11:00 pm. Dance times will be clearly posted in advance. Special extensions of time may be granted by Administration. **No admission is granted one hour after the start time of any dance without prior arrangements with school Administration.**
2. Lutheran High School students currently enrolled may be admitted with their student identification card, ticket, and a signed dance agreement turned into the office **forty-eight (48) hours prior** to dance and students. Non-Lutheran High School students must submit a completed guest permit **forty-eight (48) hours** before the dance or activity.
3. One guest per Lutheran High School student is permitted. Guests younger than 9th grade or older than one year removed from high school may not be permitted.
4. Normally tickets are to be purchased on campus prior to the event; however, exceptions may be made for casual dances. Tickets are non-refundable but can be transferred to another student **forty-eight hours** prior to the dance with Administrative approval.
5. Appropriate dress and appearance is expected. Dress is semiformal at special dances such as Homecoming, Winter Formal and Prom. Semiformal means that spaghetti straps or strapless dresses are okay as long as the dress is “tasteful”, which means no more than a credit card above the knee, is not too tight, is not too low, or is not too revealing. The staff reserves the right to determine what is appropriate, and will not allow entry to the dance if deemed inappropriate. When LHS has a theme dance the appropriate theme wear is expected, but students are expected to continue the practice of modesty and dress length and styles must be within the dress guidelines. If there are any questions regarding appropriateness of dress, please clear with Administration prior to event.
6. No lighted bracelets, neck collars, key chains, light sticks or other lighted devices will be allowed at school functions.
7. All regular school guidelines for behavior shall apply. Parents will to be notified immediately should a student refuse to follow established behavior standards. Students may be sent home or parents may be requested to come and get the student from the activity if the circumstances warrant such action.
8. There is no loitering in the immediate vicinity of the parking lot adjoining the dance areas and there will be no re-admission after leaving.
9. **Students are expected to stay for the entire duration of the dance.** LHS is not responsible for students once they have left the event.
10. Students will not be allowed to early from a dance without prior written permission from a parent.



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11. All Tobacco, Alcohol, and Other Drugs policies will be in effect for dances and all extra and co-curricular activities.
12. Where there is reasonable cause to suspect use of tobacco, alcohol or other drugs, the school may request a drug test at parental/guardian expense at a hospital or doctor's office within eight hours.

ANY VIOLATIONS OF THE ABOVE RULES WILL RESULT IN THE FORFEITURE OF THE TICKET COST, LOSS OF ADMISSION TO THE DANCE. FUTURE DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS MAY BE TAKEN IF WARRANTED.

Student Name: _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

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