PROCEDURE FOR STUDENT REGISTRATION

<u>STUDENTS AND PARENTS SHOULD BE ADVISED THAT SOME OF THE CLASSES</u> <u>SELECTED MAY NOT BE OFFERED IF THE NUMBER OF STUDENTS SIGNED UP</u> <u>FOR IT DOESN'T WARRANT OFFERINGTHE CLASS.</u>

- 1. Every student will need to fill out a four-year Personal Learning Plan of classes he/she plans to take during the four years of high school. If you are a freshman, sophomore or junior fill in the classes you have successfully completed. Look at transcript for completed courses. Save a copy of this document in your folder, print a copy for parents to sign, and forward an electronic copy to Mrs. Nelson, and Mr. Schmidt.
- 2. Using the Personal Learning Plan and the Curriculum Guide as a resource, choose the classes you are planning to take. Be sure to involve your parents or legal guardian. Your class advisors, the counselor, or Mr. Casper can assist you if you or your parents have any questions. The Guide is on the website at the "JH/HS" tab.
- 3. Every student should determine whether college is in your future plans. A student planning on attending college should be enrolled in all the math and science possible and should also take as much computer science as possible. Check appropriate South Dakota High School Graduation Requirements.
- 4. All students are required to take at least five academic classes. (5 is the fewest) In addition, students may take band and vocal music. No more than two study halls per day are allowed. On the form, list the classes that you want to take.
- 5. Be sure to check all your required classes; they are already entered for your convenience. To fulfill the fine arts requirement, you must take either a full year of "Introduction to Art, (Art I)" or a year of both vocal & instrumental music. If a student decides to fulfill his/her fine arts requirement by taking only one of the two music classes (vocal or instrumental), two full years will be necessary. You will need to take general math if you do not have two years of math entering your senior year. Basic Math is counted as an elective class.
- 6. Freshmen can choose from classes listed as freshman classes. Sophomores can choose from freshman and sophomore classes. Juniors and seniors can choose from the sophomore, junior and senior selections. Exceptions must have prior approval of the teacher and principal.
- 7. Next year's sophomores, juniors and seniors should already have a four year educational plan, that plan should be used as a basis to make a revised Personal Learning Plan. After the new Personal Learning Plan is written up, it will need a signature from a parent or guardian. Make sure these four-year plans are updated each and every year.
- 8. Students that need to repeat a class should be sure to sign up for the class or classes that are needed for graduation. Example, if a required class was failed, it needs to be taken over with a passing grade. (Semester one or semester two)

All students at LPHS need to pass all required and elective classes and obtain at a minimum of 22 credits.