



Fact Sheet

Lake Forest School District 67

Information about School District 67 and the Lake Forest Community...

The Community

Lake Forest is a residential community located about 30 miles north of Chicago on the shores of Lake Michigan. Established in the 1850's, it has a character and heritage unique to the area. Among its early residents were many prominent business and corporate leaders from Chicago. This legacy continues.

The 20,000 residents of Lake Forest enjoy a wide array of community services including outstanding educational, recreational, and cultural facilities. Beautiful tree-lined parkways enhance gracious homes in this suburb which enjoys nearby major shopping malls and fine restaurants.

Travel to Chicago is available on two commuter train lines, one located in the downtown area, and the other on the southwest side of Lake Forest. Interstate 94/294 and U.S. Rte. 41 provide north-south access.

Lake Forest has an excellent beach and many parks. The suburb and other nearby communities offer extensive cultural and recreational opportunities, including a symphony orchestra and music institute. Just minutes away is the internationally renowned Ravinia, North America's oldest and most diverse summer festival of the performing arts.

Graduates of District 67 attend Lake Forest High School (District 115), which is proud to have over 90% of its graduates enroll in colleges or universities. Lake Forest is home to Lake Forest College, which provides quality liberal arts educational opportunities for their students. Northwestern/Lake Forest Hospital is regarded highly for the personalized attention it provides its patients as well as the caliber of its physicians.

For those seeking an opportunity for advanced education, Northwestern University, The University of Chicago, DePaul University, Loyola University, and The University of Illinois-Chicago are easily accessible.

The community offers a high quality lifestyle with a long history of showing support for its elementary school system.



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The Lake Forest Schools

The mission of the Lake Forest Public Elementary Schools is to provide all students with an excellent, quality education so that they can demonstrate essential skills to become successful, productive citizens.

The school district is recognized both state-wide and nationally for its innovative, instructional practices and solid educational programs. The majority of our students score in the top stanines on standardized achievement tests and also exceed state standards on the Illinois Goals Assessment Program. (Please refer to the state report card on the district website: www.lf67.org - click on "About District 67" and "Report Card.")

The K-8 curriculum includes advanced programs, gifted and talented classes, and special needs support services allowing for the development of the whole child. All educational programs are designed to continuously meet the changing needs of students in our dynamic world. (Please refer to the district website to download a copy of the *K-8 Curriculum Overview & Learning Standards*, www.lf67.org - click on "Curriculum.")

Total operating budget for the 2010-2011 school year was 33.4 million.

Enrollment

The District houses its 2,034 students in three elementary (K-4) schools, and a middle school (5-8). School-by-school enrollment figures are as follows:

- Cherokee School – 354 students
- Everett School – 369 students
- Sheridan School – 272 students
- Deer Path Middle School – 1039 students

Staff

District 67 employs approximately 179 full-time teachers with an average 11.8 years of teaching experience. The average age is 41 years, and 76% hold a Masters Degree or higher.

Class Size

Average elementary class size is 21 students per classroom. There is a ratio of approximately 13 students to every teacher at District 67.

Cost Per Pupil

District 67's cost per pupil is approximately \$14,047.

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District Website – <http://www.lf67.org>

The District's homepage provides a wealth of information including upcoming events, news, and time-sensitive or other key information for parents. We also provide links on left side of each page of our website to the most important information concerning our district. For example, you can click on "About District 67" for an overview of the district, school and district report cards, food services, policies, registration, school hours, etc. The "Curriculum" link will provide access to our curriculum guides, learning standards, and assessment/grading information. The "Finances" link will allow you to review the district budget and other key financial information.