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THE Lac du Flambeau School, Wisconsin, was founded in 1895 and is located on a beautiful string of lakes in northern Wisconsin. At the present time the plant consists of 33 buildings, with a capacity of 160 pupils. A school farm is maintained for elementary instructions in agriculture.

As this is a reservation boarding school only the primary and prevocational divisions of the Course of Study for Indian schools are maintained. The primary division consists of the first, second and third grades; the prevocational includes the fourth, fifth and sixth grades. The academic work alternates with industrial training, each pupil spending one-half day in academic work and one-half in industrial training.

It is the steadfast purpose of this school to keep constantly before the pupils the importance of character building, self-support and good citizenship



ROSTER OF EMPLOYEES

James W. Balmer.....	Superintendent
Dr. Edward Quinn.....	Physician
Martina Cleveland.....	Principal Teacher
Mary E. Shawnee.....	Teacher
Esther Gunderson.....	Teacher
Hilda Korpi.....	Financial Clerk
Albert Cobe.....	Assistant Disciplinarian
Clara M. Lea	Matron
Susie J. DeBrot.....	Assistant Matron
May E. Goodwin.....	Assistant Matron
Nelly Olson.....	Seamstress
Marie Webster.....	Laundress
Mary Cornelius.....	Cook
Mabel Gauthier.....	Dining Room Matron
Lewis Webster	Farmer
Murphy Baird	Assistant Farmer
George W. Brown.....	Carpenter
Louis Gauthier.....	Engineer
William Potts.....	Assistant Engineer
William Chapman.....	Night Watchman
Walter H. Shawnee.....	Chief Clerk
Ruth I. Balmer.....	Assistant Clerk
Chester H. Goodwin.....	Agency Farmer
Mary E. Spinney.....	Field Matron
Charles Gauthier.....	Interpreter
James Shadamo.....	Chief of Police
Rising Sun.....	Judge
Hiram Cator.....	Forest Guard
Henry Besonigijig.....	Forest Guard



What men want is not talent, it is purpose; in other words, not the power to achieve, but the will to labor.

BULWER



YEARLY EVENTS

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| Monday, Sept. 8..... | Opening of Academic Dept. |
| Friday and Saturday, Aug. 30 and 31..... | Indian Fair |
| Friday, Oct. 31..... | Hallowe'er Party |
| Wednesday, Nov. 26..... | Thanksgiving Entertainment |
| Thursday, Nov. 27..... | Thanksgiving Dinner and Party |
| Friday, Dec. 19..... | Christmas Cantata |
| Wednesday, Dec. 24..... | Christmas Tree and Program |
| Thursday, Dec. 25..... | Christmas Dinner |
| December 25 to January 1..... | Midyear Vacation |
| Tuesday, February 13..... | Open Session
Momaway Literary Society |
| Saturday, Feb. 27..... | Washington's Birthday
Entertainment |
| Sunday, April 20..... | Easter Sunday Program |
| Wednesday, May 12..... | American Indian Day |
| Friday, May 21..... | May Day |
| Monday, May 31..... | Memorial Day |
| Friday, June 4..... | Closing Exercises |
| Monday, June 7 to 11..... | Closing Examinations |
| Tuesday, June 14..... | Annual School Picnic |
| Thursday, June 18..... | Summer Vacation Begins |



'TIS the mind that makes
the body rich. And as
the sun breaks through the
darkest clouds. So honor
peereth in meanest habit.

SHAKESPEARE



DAILY SIGNALS

Rising Signal.....	5:30 A. M
Assembly Signal.....	6:30 A. M.
Breakfast Signal.....	6:45 A. M.
Warning Signal—Industrial Depts.....	7:25 A. M.
Signal for Industrial Depts. to begin work.....	7:30 A. M.
School Signal, Academic—First.....	8:30 A. M.
" " " Second.....	8:45 A. M.
Recall Signal—All Departments	11:30 A. M.
Assembly Signal.....	11:50 A. M.
Dinner Signal.....	12:00 M.
Warning Signal—Industrial Depts.....	12:55 P. M.
Signal for Industrial Depts. to begin work }	1:00 P. M.
First Signal for Academic Work.....	
Second Signal for Academic Work.....	1:15 P. M.
Recall Signal—Academic Division.....	4:00 P. M.
Recall Signal—Industrial Departments.....	5:00 P. M.
Assembly Call—for Supper.....	5:20 P. M.
Signal for Supper	5:30 P. M.
Signal for Evening Hour—First.....	6:50 P. M.
" " " Second.....	7:00 P. M.
Retiring Signal—Small Pupils.....	7:30 P. M.
Retiring Signal—Large pupils.....	9:00 P. M.

DAILY EVENTS

SUNDAY

General Inspection 1st and 3d Sunday
of month.....9:00 A. M.

Instruction and Mass for Catholic
Pupils.....10:00 to 11:30 A. M.

Sunday School and Services for Protestant
Pupils.....10:00 to 12:00 A. M.

Dinner12:30 P. M.

Supper5:30 P. M.

General Assembly.....7:00 P. M.

MONDAY

Industrial Depts. in Session.....{ 7:30 to 11:30 A. M.
1:00 to 5:00 P. M.
Piano Lessons.....8:15 to 8:45 A. M.
Academic Dept. in Session.....{ 8:30 to 11:45 A. M.
1:15 to 4:30 P. M.
Piano Lessons.....4:00 to 5:00 P. M.
Academic Teachers' Meeting4:00 to 5:00 P. M.
Library Hour, Boys.....7:00 to 8:00 P. M.
Music Lessons.....7:00 to 8:00 P. M.
Physical Training and Folk Dancing
for Girls.....7:00 to 9:00 P. M.

TUESDAY

Industrial Depts. in Session.....{ 7:30 to 11:30 A. M.
1:00 to 5:00 P. M.
Piano Lessons.....8:15 to 8:45 A. M.
Academic Dept. in Session.....{ 8:45 to 11:30 A. M.
1:15 to 4:00 P. M.
Folk Dancing—Little Folks.....4:00 to 5:00 P. M.
Piano Lessons.....4:00 to 5:00 P. M.
Piano Lessons.....7:00 to 8:00 P. M.
Library Hour, Girls.....7:00 to 8:00 P. M.
Physical Training and Folk Dancing
for Boys.....7:00 to 9:00 P. M.

WEDNESDAY

Industrial Depts. in Session.....{ 7:30 to 11:30 A. M.
1:00 to 5:00 P. M.
Piano Lessons.....8:15 to 8:45 A. M.
Academic Dept. in Session.....{ 8:45 to 11:30 A. M.
1:15 to 4:00 P. M.
Piano Lessons.....4:00 to 5:00 P. M.
Moving Pictures, (Educational)7:00 to 8:00 P. M.

THURSDAY

Industrial Depts. in Session.....{ 7:30 to 11:30 A. M.
1:00 to 5:00 P. M.
Piano Lessons.....8:15 to 8:45 A. M.
Academic Dept. in Session.....{ 8:45 to 11:30 A. M.
1:15 to 4:00 P. M.
Piano Lessons.....4:00 to 5:00 P. M.
Piano Lessons.....7:00 to 8:00 P. M.

Religious Instructions.....7:15 to 8:15 P. M.

Basket Ball, Girls.....8:15 to 9:15 P. M.

FRIDAY

Industrial Depts. in Session.....{ 7:30 to 11:30 A. M.
1:00 to 5:00 P. M.
Piano Lessons.....8:15 to 8:45 A. M.
Academic Dept. in Session.....{ 8:45 to 11:30 A. M.
1:15 to 4:00 P. M.
Literary Society Meeting alternating with socials:
.....7:00 to 8:00 P. M.
Primary pupils' Social, 1st & 3rd Fridays; upper
grades pupils' social, 2nd & 4th Fridays.....
.....7:00 to 8:00 P. M.

SATURDAY

Industrial Depts. in session, double detail working
.....7:30 to 11:30 A. M.
Basket Ball, Boys.....7:00 to 8:00 P. M.

Employees' Social last Saturday of each
month.....8:00 to 10:00 P. M.

DETAILS

For Church, Catholic.....	{ Miss DeBrot Miss Olson
For Church, Protestant....	{ Miss Cleveland Mrs. Shawee Miss Gunderson.
Small Pupils' Socials.....	{ Mrs. Shawnee Miss Gunderson Miss DeBrot
Large Pupils' Socials.....	{ Mr. Allen Miss Cleveland Mrs. Lea

VISITORS TO MOMAWAY LITERARY SOCIETY

October 4.....	{ Mr. Baird Miss Olson
October 18.....	{ Mr. Allen Mrs. Webster
November 1.....	{ Mr. Goodwin Miss DeBrot
November 15.....	{ Mr. Webster Miss Kopri
November 29.....	{ Mr. Shawnee Mrs. Balmer
December 13.....	{ Mrs. Goodwin Mr. Balmer
January 10.....	{ Mr. Louis Gauhiers Mrs. Lea
January 24.....	{ Miss Korpi Mr. Webster
March 8.....	{ Mr. Brown Miss Gunderson
March 21.....	{ Dr. Quinn Miss Gauhiers
April 4.....	{ Mrs. Shawnee Mrs. Spinney

April 18.....	{ Mr. Baird Miss Olson
May 2.....	{ Mr. Allen Mrs. Webster

INSPECTION COMMITTEE

Superintendent, Chief Clerk, Physician
Engineer, Carpenter

EMPLOYEES MEETING

Employess meeting at the beginning of
the school year and other times at the call
of the Superintendent.

FIRE DRILL

Fire drill twice each month in charge of
the engineer.

LIBRARY HOURS

Library hours..... 7:30 to 8:00 A. M.
on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday

Librarian Primary Teacher

Pupils living on the reservation will be
permitted to visit their homes once a month:

Group 1.....the 2d Saturday and Sun-
day of the month

Group 2.....the 4th Saturday and Sun-
day of the month



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PREVOCATIONAL ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Min.	A. M.	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	P. M.
25	8:45-9:10	ASSEMBLY A. M. MUSIC P. M.		ETHICS	CIVICS	CURRENT EVENTS	1:15-1:40
30	9:10-9:40	AR'THMETIC	AR'THMETIC	ARITHMETIC	AR'THMETIC	AR'THMETIC	1:40-2:10
25	9:40-10:05	ORAL ENGLISH READING	ORAL ENGLISH READING	ORAL ENGLISH READING	ORAL ENGLISH READING	ORAL ENGLISH READING	2:10-2:35
10	10:05-10:15	SETTING UP EXERCISES AND DEEP BREATHING					2:35-2:45
30	10:15-10:45	GEOGRAPHY	GEOGRAPHY	GEOGRAPHY	PHYS'LOGY	PHYS'LOGY WRITTEN ENGLISH	2:45-3:15
20	10:45-11:05	SPELLING	SPELLING	SPELLING	WRITTEN ENGLISH		3:15-3:35
25	11:05-11:30	HISTORY	HISTORY	HISTORY	PENM'NSH'P	DRAWING	3:35-4:00

PREVOCATIONAL PROGRAM—BOYS' INDUSTRIES

	A	B	FIRST YEAR	TIME WKS.	A	B	SECOND YEAR	TIME WKS.	A	B	THIRD YEAR	TIME WKS.
1 ST GROUP	FARMING AND STOCK RAISING						GARDENING	10			CARPENTRY	15
							DAIRYING	10			PAINTING	5
							ENGINEERING	10			MASONRY	5
							BLACKSMITH'G	10			SHOE & HARNESS REPAIRING	5
											GENERAL WORK	10
2 ND GROUP			GARDENING	10			CARPENTRY	15				
			DAIRYING	10			PAINTING	5				
			ENGINEERING	10			MASONRY	5			FARMING AND STOCK RAISING	40
			BLACKSMITH'G	10			SHOE & HARNESS REPAIRING	5				
							GENERAL WORK	10				
3 RD GROUP			CARPENTRY	15							GARDENING	10
			PAINTING	5							DAIRYING	10
			MASONRY	5			FARMING AND STOCK RAISING				ENGINEERING	10
			SHOE & HARNESS REPAIRING	5							BLACKSMITH'G	10
			GENERAL WORK*	10								

*Boys detailed to this work are to be assigned for duty wherever they are needed, as the boys' building, kitchen, laundry and such irregular work as is necessary to maintain the institution.

PREVOCATIONAL PROGRAM—GIRLS' INDUSTRIES

	A	B	FIRST YEAR	TIME WKS.	A	B	SECOND YEAR	TIME WKS.	A	B	THIRD YEAR	TIME WKS.
GROUP 1st			SEWING	30			COOKING	20			COOKING	20
			HOME TRAINING AND FOULTRY RAIS'G*	10			HOME NURSING	10			LAUNDERING	20
							GENERAL WORK	10				
2ND GROUP			COOKING	20			COOKING	20			SEWING	30
			HOME NURSING	10			LAUNDERING	20			HOME TRAINING AND FOULTRY RAIS'G	10
			\$GENERAL WORK	10								
3RD GROUP			COOKING	20			SEWING	30			COOKING	20
			LAUNDERING	20			HOME TRAINING AND FOULTRY RAIS'G	10			HOME NURSING	10
											GENERAL WORK	10

Classes in Home Training will be formed at the end of 10, 20 and 30 weeks. Girls from the sewing room shall make up these classes. After 10 weeks they shall return to the sewing room.

*Girls assigned to this work are to be detailed by the matron for duty wherever they are needed.

PRIMARY ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Min.	A. M.	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	P. M.
25	8:45-9:10	ASSEMBLY A. M. MUSIC P. M.		ETHICS	CIVICS	CURRENT EVENTS	1:15-1:40
50	9:10-10:00	AR'THMETIC	AR'THMETIC	AR'THMETIC	AR'THMETIC	AR'THMETIC	1:40-2:30
10	10:00-10:10	SETTING UP EXERCISES AND DEEP BREATHING					2:30-2:40
30	10:10-10:40	READING SPELLING ORAL LANGUAGE	READING SPELLING ORAL LANGUAGE	READING SPELLING ORAL LANGUAGE	READING SPELLING ORAL LANGUAGE	READING SPELLING ORAL LANGUAGE	2:40-3:10
20	10:40-11:00	DRAWING WRITING	WRITING SPELLING	WRITING SPELLING	WRITING SPELLING	WRITING DRAWING	3:10-3:30
30	11:00-11:30	PHYS'OLOGY	NATURE	HISTORY	GEOGRAPHY	SPELLING	3:30-4:00