Lincoln Lowdown 2019

Home of the Pre-K, Kindergarten, and First grade Vikings!
“Getting Involved & Establishing Friendships” Edition
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Don’t Forget!
Lincoln Elementary collects Best Choice labels and Box Tops for education. Please download the Box Tops® for Education app in the App Store, it is compatible with iPhones and Androids.

Lost & Found
Lincoln Elementary has a Lost & Found that is located inside the gym in the southeast corner. If your child has lost an item please remind them to check here. Please write your child’s name in their belongings like coats, hats, and lunchboxes so their items may be returned to them.

Blue & Gold Fridays
Show your Viking Pride by wearing your Blue & Gold on Fridays during the school year! Let’s show some spirit! GO VIKINGS!

Parent Teacher Conferences
Parent Teacher Conferences will be held on Tuesday, October 22nd and Thursday, October 24th from 4:00 to 7:30 p.m. The AM Preschool classes will NOT meet on Tuesday the 22nd to allow for additional preschool conferences. You will be notified of your conference time a week prior to conferences. If you are unable to make your scheduled time or need to schedule a specific time please call the office as we are the ones who make the schedules. Please make every attempt to come to conferences as it is an important part of your child’s education. Your child is excited to show you what they have learned.
The Faces of Lincoln

This is my first year at Lincoln as a Kindergarten aide. I spend my free time with my husband and three kids. The thing I love most about working at Lincoln is seeing all the kids’ faces every day. -Ms. Jaqi Viramontez, Kindergarten Aide in Mrs. Hansen’s Classroom

This is my first year with USD 503 and I am a preschool aide in Mrs. Hansen's class. I enjoy kids and so far I am enjoying my job tremendously. For years I have been working with kids, foster parents, day care, and helping out at the schools. Any time I have free is spent with my children and grandchildren. -Ms. Toni, Pre-K Aide in Mrs. Hansen’s Classroom.

This is my first year with the Title team at this lovely school! I was previously at the middle school in special education. I loved it but I am so happy to be apart of the Lincoln family now! Waking up and coming to a job you love this much is not super common these days, so I consider myself VERY fortunate! I have two kids, Jayleigh, 7 years old, and Kaine, 6 years old. We love to be outdoors or having family movie nights in our free time! Some might think it's a little chaotic to be surrounded by small children 24/7, and they would be right, but it is so much fun and constantly entertaining and fulfilling!
-Mrs. Hadyn Gross, Title I Aide

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**PTO - Parent/Teacher Organization**

The PTO is for ALL parents of students to attend. The PTO helps with school events, organizes fundraisers, and is a great way to get involved in your child’s school experience. There are monthly meetings in which parents meet to plan, organize, and socialize. October’s meeting will be held in the Lincoln Library on October 8th from 5:50 to 6:30. Please come join the fun!

**Kansas School Violence Hotline**
The Kansas School Safety Hotline Number: **1-877-626-8203**
The Kansas Bullying Prevention Program

**Website:**
http://www.stopbullying.kansas.org/kansas_hotline.html

**PTO Meetings/Event Schedule**
- October 15 - RedWheel Fundraiser Distribution @ Lincoln Gym from 2:30-5:30
- November 5 - @ Lincoln Library from 5:30-6:30
- January 7 - @ Garfield Lobby from 5:30-6:30
- February 4 - @ Garfield Lobby from 5:30-6:30
- March 3 - @ Guthridge Safe Room from 5:30-6:30
- April 7 - @ Guthridge Safe Room from 5:30-6:30
- May 5 - @ Guthridge Safe Room from 5:30-6:30

**Snacks & Party Treats**
All snacks and party treats brought to school must be store bought and/or pre-packaged. It’s a good idea to ask your child’s teacher if there are any allergies you should be mindful of when purchasing snacks/treats for the room. Thank you for helping keep our children safe!
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- **October 2019**
- Monday, October 7: PTO Meeting @ Lincoln Library 5:30
- Tuesday, October 8: Kindergarten trip to the Pumpkin Patch. 2:30-5:30. Fundraiser pick up @ Lincoln Gym.
- Wednesday, October 9: End of 1st Quarter.
- Thursday, October 10:
- Friday, October 11: No School.
- Saturday, October 12: No School - Professional Development.
- Sunday, October 13: No AM Pre-K.
- Monday, October 14: 4:00-7:30 Parent/Teacher Conferences.
- Tuesday, October 15: 4:00-7:30 Parent/Teacher Conferences.
- Wednesday, October 16: Early Out @ 1pm Professional Development for staff.
- Thursday, October 17:
- Friday, October 18:
- Saturday, October 19:
- Sunday, October 20: No School.
- Tuesday, October 22: No School.
- Wednesday, October 23: No School.
- Thursday, October 24: No School.
- Friday, October 25: No School.
- Saturday, October 26: No School.
- Sunday, October 27: No School.
- Tuesday, October 29: No School.
- Wednesday, October 30: No School.
- Thursday, October 31: No School.
**Upcoming Events**

**October 2nd**—Immunization clinic.

Only students enrolled for immunizations will receive a vaccine.

**October 4th**—Last day to turn in proof of current immunizations.

**October 7th**—Exclusion begins for those without UTD Immunization records.

**September 30th—October 17th**—Preventative Dental Treatments.

Only students enrolled for these services will be getting treatments.

**October 22nd**—Flu Immunization Clinics.

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**Say BOO to the Flu!!!**

We have extended the deadline for students and their immediate families to sign up for the flu vaccine! You may request a consent packet from any school office. Please complete and return by October 18th.

Please include all insurance information and numbers on the paperwork. Insurance will be billed, but there will be **NO OUT OF POCKET COST TO FAMILIES!**

Student vaccinations will take place on **October 22nd** at each school.

**Immunization Exclusion Day**

The cut-off for providing proof of current immunizations is October 4th. Please let us know if there is anything we can do to help you get your child up to date.

Unfortunately, children without proof of current immunizations will be excluded from school beginning October 7th, and remain excluded until documentation of current immunizations are submitted.
DENTAL INFORMATION
Dental Teams will come to the schools to provide dental treatments to students enrolled in services September 30th through October 17th.

FLU IMMUNIZATION CLINIC
During enrollment over 150 students were signed up for the flu vaccine! These immunizations will be administered at school on October 22nd.

THE DEADLINE HAS BEEN EXTENDED TO OCTOBER 17TH!
Request a Flu Consent Packet from the Office!
Please make sure to complete all areas, including insurance name and number. Insurance will be billed, but there will be NO OUT OF POCKET COST TO FAMILIES!

Hearing and Vision
Hearing and Vision screenings took place at each school in September. Letters with results will be sent out the first part of October.
Students who fail screenings will be rescreened in November.

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