



Monthly Monday Message

Lois E. Borchardt Elementary

November 2018

Lifeskill of the month

Empathy:

Understanding how others feel.

Upcoming Minimum Days

Wednesday, November 14th

Wednesday, December 5th

Wednesday, December 12th

Friday, December 21st

(Last day of 2nd quarter)

Upcoming Holidays

Nov. 12th – Veteran's Day

Nov. 21st – 23rd – Thanksgiving

Dec. 24th – Jan. 4th Winter Break

Wear your Kindness Ninja Shirt

First & last Wednesday of every
Month

For the safety of our students...

Borchardt Bears wear tennis
shoes every day!

Morning Supervision

Adult supervision begins at
7:55 AM for students eating
breakfast and 8:10 on the
playground for students not
joining us for breakfast. For the
safety of our Borchardt Bears,
please do not drop students
off before 7:50 AM.

A Healthy Start

Breakfast is served to all
Borchardt students at no cost
every day from 7:55-8:25 AM.

Borchardt Website

Keep up with school events and
information

<http://borchardt.lodiUSD.net>

Office Hours: 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

Phone 331-8212

Our Series of Parenting Partners Workshops are Beginning!

Workshop 1 & 2: Positive Parenting & Creating Confident Kids

Friday, November 16, 2018 from 8:30-11:00 AM

Workshop 3: Communication that Works

Friday, December 7, 2018 from 8:30-11:00 AM

Workshop 4: Creating Structure for Achievement

Friday, January 18, 2019 from 8:30-11:00 AM

Workshop 5: Discipline-Practice for Success

Friday, February 22, 2019 from 8:30-11:00 AM

Workshop 6 & 7: What Children and Teens Need to Succeed & Parents Engaging for Academic Success

Friday, March 1, 2019 from 8:30-11:00 AM

A note will be sent home for parents to sign up for the offered
Parenting Partner sessions. If you are unable to commit in advance to
the workshop dates, please feel free to drop by for any session you
can attend.



Our Kindness Challenge Continues at Borchardt! Join in with your child to encourage and model small acts of kindness.

1. **Start Small** – Smile at someone because it looks like they need it; pick up garbage instead of stepping over it; or write a kind note to someone.
2. **Be Brave** – Step out of your comfort zone to help, encourage, or support someone.
3. **Be Kind** – commit a random act of kindness. Even a small act like opening a door for someone can be contagious and encourage others to spread the kindness.



How is your Child's Lunch Balance?

It is about this time of year when many of our students begin to run short of funds on their prepaid lunch cards. You can view or add funds to your child's lunch account by going to www.myschoolbucks.com. You can also add funds through sending in a check or cash with your child. Prepaid meal accounts help the lunch lines go faster and give students more time to eat, relax, and enjoy their lunch.

There is an option to complete an application for the Free & Reduced Meal Benefit program at <https://www.school lunchchapp.com>. If you do not have internet access or prefer to complete a written form, you may request a paper copy of the application at the front office.

Please Join Our Borchardt PTA! Support your child's field trips, school events, and assemblies by joining our PTA. Stop by the front office to pick up a membership envelope. It is our goal to get 200 memberships by the end of November. Membership fee is only \$5.00.

Have a wonderful November and enjoy the fall season with your family!

