



## Lincoln Middle School

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**Welcome:** Hello students and families! We hope each of you are doing well and enjoying the remainder of your summer! We look forward to working with you as we prepare for the 2021-2022 school year! Whether you are a newcomer to Lincoln Middle School, or a returning student, our priority is to provide our students with a quality education and accomplish this goal in a way that is meaningful and memorable for years to come. We are blessed to have the opportunity to work with your child(ren).

**Chromebooks:** Parents, if your child still has an outstanding device, please contact our office staff (Mr. Brooks (317) 216-5059 or Mrs. Hawk (317-216-5081) to schedule a time to check in your device, return hotspots, or report any damages. Returning students will receive the same device from the previous year; and we hope to remedy any needs before school begins.

**Registration:** Please be sure to enroll your student in Pike Township first, if you are new to the district. On Wednesday, 7/14, we will host registration at Lincoln Middle School to assist families who have yet to register their students. Registration will begin at 1pm and conclude at 7pm. Face masks and social distancing are required.

**Lincoln Launch:** On Wednesday, 7/21, we will host our annual Lincoln Launch Orientation for incoming 6th graders. The orientation will consist of two sessions (10am-12pm and 6pm-8pm). Families may select one session that best aligns with their schedules. Students will meet staff, learn about opportunities and expectations, tour the building, and obtain their schedule/Chromebooks for the year. Families, please [RSVP](#) for this event. Face masks and social distancing are required.

**Schedule Pick Up:** Families may pick up their child's schedules and Chromebooks on Thursday, 7/22 between 8am and 4pm. Facemasks and social distancing are required. Families, please [RSVP](#) for this event. Face masks and social distancing are required.

**Parent Teacher Organization:** Parents, we are searching for new parent representatives for our PTO this school year. If you are interested in serving in this capacity, please contact Monte Tapplar (317-216-5050)

Mr. Monte Tapplar Sr.  
Principal  
(317) 216-5050

Mrs. Cynthia Perkins  
Assistant Principal  
(317) 216-5022

Mrs. Katherine Essig  
Assistant Principal  
(317) 216-5074

### Calendar of Events July/August

7/14 Registration (1pm-7pm)

7/21 Lincoln Launch  
(10am-12 and 6pm-8pm)

7/22 Schedule Pick Up  
(8am-4pm)

8/3 First Day of School

8/19 School Picture Day

8/25 Back to School Night  
(TBA)

### Words of Encouragement

“Develop a passion for learning. If you do, you will never cease to grow.” – Anthony J. D’Angelo

**P**ERSEVERANCE

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# THE LINCOLN WAY

JULY 2021

## Parent Talk

Parents, as we prepare for a new school year, please know that we value your unwavering support for your students. The pandemic has influenced many aspects of our daily lives; and we are still learning and relearning how to navigate through processes that at one time, were routine. As parents, some, if not all of us, are exploring ways to help our children become acclimated to the schooling process. We will work together to teach our children how to “go to school;” and we will help them identify and/or relearn the important components of attending school. Your child’s safety, attendance, social growth, and commitment to learn and obtain new skills, is of the utmost importance. Parents may also reach out to us for guidance on how to implement resources in the home to monitor your student’s academic progress, attendance, and extracurricular involvement in the school building. We will partner with you as we establish a tone and school culture designed to maximize students’ strengths and meet their needs. Our partnership in education will have a positive influence on the growth our students!



## Resources

If you have questions about assignments or grades, please contact your student’s teacher directly. Questions about general academics, course requirements, or class schedules may be directed to their guidance counselor.

### **Bell Schedule**

<https://www.pike.k12.in.us/docs/building/7/lms%20bell%20schedules%202018-19.pdf?id=7543>

### **Canvas Access**

<https://pike.instructure.com/login/ldap>

### **Skyward Access**

<https://skyward.pike.k12.in.us/scripts/wsisa.dll/WService=wsEAplus/seplog01.w>

### **Bus Stop Information**

<http://elink.pike.k12.in.us/Students/BasicTransBoundarySearch.aspx>

### **Lunch Payments**

[https://certifiedpayments.net/PaymentWizard\\_3.aspx](https://certifiedpayments.net/PaymentWizard_3.aspx)

**Social Services:** 2-1-1 or 1-866-211-9966

**Family and Social Services Administration:** 1-800-403-0864

### **Technology Troubleshooting**

(317) 387-2592 Audrey Cope, District Technology Integrator

Thank you for observing the monthly newsletter. Some of the information may be subject to change throughout the month; however, feel free to contact Lincoln Middle School if you have questions or need clarity.