



The Tiger Times NEWSLETTER

Lincoln Middle School • Kansas City, Missouri



September



Greetings Lincoln Stakeholders,

I want to take this means to welcome everyone to the 2023-24 school year! We hope that you are healthy and well and were able to enjoy special times with loved ones over the summer break. We have missed our Tigers, and we extend a warm welcome to new students and families joining us for the first time this Fall. I look forward to a productive partnership with our families this year as we believe that a strong home and school connection is paramount to each students' academic and social/emotional success.

Our outstanding team of teachers, paraprofessionals, special/related services personnel, custodians, child nutrition personnel, counselors, school nurse, and administrative office staff have been working tirelessly in preparation for this school year, in order to meet the needs of our student population of almost 660 students. This year, we are delighted to welcome several new staff members to the LMS team. We are grateful to have such a knowledgeable and dedicated team to support our students and mission to help each and every child realize his or her full potential in order to become a responsible and productive citizen of the 21st century who appreciates the multi-cultural society in which they live.

We strive to uphold a school environment that is collaborative in nature and draws on the strengths of all stakeholders. Many of our special events are possible when we have full parent and family involvement. We hope that you will consider joining our school's parent organization so that you can share your ideas and support the mission of our school.

and the world around us, I am confident without a doubt that our Lincoln spirit and positive energy, teamwork, and dedication to excellence for our Lincoln Middle School Tigers will guide us through another successful school year.

With Tiger Pride,

Dr. Mary Bachkora
Principal



Lincoln Middle School

The Tiger Times



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Dr. Mary Bachkora, Principal
Dr. Melvin Brown, Publisher



LCPAMS 2023-24 Bell Schedule

TIGER DAY

(EVERYDAY)

Class Period	Time	Minutes
Period 1 (Advisory)	7:20a - 7:50a	30
Passing Period	7:50a - 7:54a	4
Period 2	7:54a - 8:40a	46
Passing Period	8:40a - 8:44a	4
Period 3	8:44a - 9:30a	46
Passing Period	9:30a - 9:34a	4
Period 4	9:34a - 10:20a	46
Passing Period	10:20 - 10:24a	4
Period 5 (3 Lunch Shifts)	10:24a - 11:50p	
Passing Period	10:24a - 10:25a	1
Lunch 1 - 25min	10:25a - 10:50a	25
Passing Period	10:50a - 10:55a	5
Lunch 2 - 25min	10:55a - 11:20a	25
Passing Period	11:20a - 11:25a	5
Lunch 3 - 25 min	11:25a - 11:50a	25
Passing Period	11:50a - 11:54a	4
Period 6	11:54a - 12:40p	46
Passing Period	12:40p - 12:44p	4
Period 7	12:44p - 1:30p	46
Passing Period	1:30p - 1:34p	4
Period 8	1:34p - 2:20p	46



Access Infinite Campus Parent Portal

Infinite Campus' Parent Portal allows parents/guardians to access academic information and other student records, including schedules, attendance, behavior, assignments, progress reports, grades, school-related fees and school email messages.

- ♦ See your student's current and past grades
- ♦ View attendance and behavior records
- ♦ Update personal information
- ♦ Receive news and information from KCPS

For more information and to watch the training videos, visit:

<https://resources.finalsite.net/images/v1631638703/kcpublicschoolsorg/b79gzjwcqb8utwqhhae2/InfiniteCampusParentPortalGuide.pdf>

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<https://resources.finalsite.net/images/v1628620192/kcpublicschoolsorg/c7eiteqtzdle3i6xulcc/InfiniteCampus-GuaparaPadres.pdf>



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LINCOLN COLLEGE PREPARATORY
ACADEMY MIDDLE SCHOOL

2023-24 Student Handbook

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1C3YBqzUZogGomhDBF_P4Y-bRVEfp-9k6mFPpkxBXE2s/edit



WE ARE MARLBOROUGH
MARLBOROUGH COMMUNITY COALITION
Questions? 816.866.6279

MARLBOROUGH FALL FESTIVAL & RESOURCE FAIR
SEPTEMBER 9, 2023
NOON - 5:00 PM
CENTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
84TH & EUCLID

FOOD TRUCKS

SMALL BIZ & RESOURCE VENDORS

FUN FOR ALL AGES!!

GAMES & CRAFTS

DRILL TEAMS

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NorthPoint DEVELOPMENT

SCHOOL CENTER DISTRICT

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MD AUTO REPAIR

Rain or Shine!

Dorothy SORRELLS

FOOD PANTRY



FOOD PANTRY EVERY TUESDAY

5:30PM - 7:00PM

IN THE VLC FELLOWSHIP HALL
(ENTER ON 34TH STREET SIDE)

3400 PASEO BLVD. KANSAS CITY, MO 64109

ECOS NATURE CLUB

Unplug and connect with nature!

Who 4th - 7th Graders

What Nature hikes, music, art, bird watching, new friends, and its **FREE!**

When Saturdays, Sept 23 - Nov 11
9:30 am - 12:30 pm

Where Discovery Center at 4750 Troost



Register
greenworkskc.org/programs
Questions? Contact
Gina@greenworkskc.org



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Lincoln Middle reestablishes school's parent organization

What is the School Advisory Committee?

The School Advisory Committee (SAC) at Lincoln Middle School is a collaborative team that works to improve student achievement, effective teaching in the classroom, and family and community engagement in the educational process. It is a school-based volunteer group made up of students' family members, school staff and community members. SAC helps to ensure that our students have the resources and support they need to succeed.

SAC will help our students by:

- Getting the word out about our successes
- Discussing our challenges
- Volunteering to support success and address challenges
- Organizing and/or helping with activities and events
- Staying updated on KCPS news and activities

What is the role of the School Advisory Committee?

SAC is responsible for final decision making at the school relating to the implementation of the provisions of the annual School Improvement Plan (SIP). It assists in the annual preparation and evaluation of both the SIP and the school's annual budget.

Among the functions of SAC are:

- Support Academic Achievement
- Improve School Climate
- Strengthen Family and Community Engagement

What topics are typically covered during SAC meetings?

Topics generally covered during SAC meetings include, but are not limited to:

- Structure, Purpose, and Roles
- Family Involvement
- Needs Assessments
- Data collection and analysis
- School Climate Surveys
- Review of the Improvement/Accountability Plan
- School Events

When are SAC meetings held?

SAC meetings are held the second Wednesday of the month from 6:00pm until 7:30pm in-person and via Teams. **The first meeting will be Wednesday, September 13th.**

How can SAC be contacted?

Email the School Advisory Committee at lcpamssac@gmail.com.

Join Lincoln Middle School for a

PARENTS MEETING

Wednesday, September 13, 2023
6:00pm - 7:30pm

IN-PERSON:
Lincoln Middle School
2012 East 23rd Street ~ Kansas City, MO 64127

VIRTUAL:
(via Microsoft Teams)
Meeting ID: 287 768 431 038
Passcode: XrEnFd

Light refreshments will be served.

For more information, contact Mr. Melvin Brown, Family and Community Engagement Liaison, at (816) 418-1557 or email mbrown1@kcpublicschools.org.





Parents provide treats for LMS teachers and staff

During the first week of school, there were quite a few parents at Lincoln Middle School who requested the opportunity to stock the conference room with sweets, treats and beverages to kick off the school year. This was an act of appreciation for teachers and staff. Everyone has so far been enjoying all the goodies provided by our parents and they truly appreciate the contributions. "We appreciate parent support," said Dr. Bachkora.

Special thanks to Danielle Dispenza, Director of School Navigation with Show Me KC Schools, for leading out in this effort.



THANK
YOU
TEACHERS
AND STAFF

MUST SAY LINCOLN COLLEGE
PREPARATORY ACADEMY MIDDLE
SCHOOL

YEARBOOK COVER CONTEST

Help us design the yearbook cover!

MUST BE SENT IN BY SEPT.30,2023
NAME:YEAR OF THE TIGER 2023-2024

MUST HAVES:
YEARBOOK NAME LISTED ABOVE
2023-2024
SCHOOL NAME LISTED ABOVE
SEND IN DIGITALLY



Join us every 3rd Saturday at Carol's Laundromat
Time: 9:00 am to 3:00 pm
55th and Paseo

Sponsored by St. James and St. Andrews Episcopal Church

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KCMO EMERGENCY RENT & UTILITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

RENT/UTILITY ASSISTANCE

- **CHES, Inc.** - (816) 533-7417
- **Mattie Rhodes** - (816) 471-2536
- **Community Assistance Council (CAC)**
(816) 763-3277 ext. 108
- **Metro Lutheran Ministries**
(816) 285-3137 (North)
(816) 285-3139 (South)
- **Link to online application:**
www.mlmkc.org/rent---utility.html
- **Community Linc** - (816) 531-3727
- **Greater KC Housing Information Center** - (816) 931-0443
- **Reconciliation Services** - (816) 931-4751
- **Guadalupe Center** - (816) 421-1015
- **reStart, Inc.** - (816) 472-5664 or rentassistance@restartinc.org
- **Hope Faith** - (816) 540-6915
- **Journey to New Life**
(816) 960-4808 or agrove@jtnl.org
- **Save, Inc.** - (816) 531-8340
- **United Way of Greater Kansas City**
Call 211

LEGAL SERVICES FOR EVICTIONS

- **Heartland Center for Jobs & Freedom**
(816) 278-1092
- **Legal Aid of Western Missouri**
(816) 474-6750

OTHER SERVICES

- **Mid America Assistance Coalition (MAAC Link)** –
Utility assistance only - (816) 474-5112
- **Community Capital Fund**
<https://www.ccfkansascity.org/essential-services>

NOTE: Residents of the CCED Sales Tax District in Kansas City, Missouri—the area bounded by Ninth Street on the north, Gregory Boulevard on the south, The Paseo Boulevard on the west, and Indiana Avenue on the east— may apply for up to \$3,000 through the Essential Services Fund, to help cover rent, mortgage, utility, grocery, transportation, or quarantine-related hotel expenses.

Information regarding rent/utility assistance and legal services for evictions. Call (816) 513-3026 or Contact Tiffany Drummer

APPLY FOR ASSISTANCE

<https://gkcassistanceprogram.org/>

For more info and other neighborhood services visit:
KCMO.GOV/RentHelp





STUDENT and PARENT SUPPORT SERVICES





A - K Counselor

- Individual & Group Counseling
- Academic Guidance
- Social Emotional Support
- Career Development
- Safe & Responsive Environment
- Make Class Schedules
- Develop Coping Skills
- Problem-Solving
- Study Skills
- Time Management



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MS. JARVIS

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TRAUMA SENSITIVE SCHOOL CLINICIAN

As a Clinician, I provide brief crisis intervention, psychoeducation to families, school leadership, and staff, clinical support to teachers, consult on trauma sensitive strategies/interventions for student success and referrals for mental health intervention.



MS. BROWN

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SCHOOL NURSE

My job is to keep the whole building safe, give medications when needed, handle emergencies and I make sure our students are up to date on their immunizations. I keep our school in compliance with the State of Missouri and our District's mandates for public schools.



MS. LONG

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FAMILY & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT LIAISON

I am responsible for connecting families to District and community supports, as well as developing:

- 1) Relationships with families that foster trust between families and the school,
- 1) Leadership, advocacy, and involvement among parent/caregiver community, and
- 2) Opportunities for families to support their student's education.

In addition, I develop and foster strong community relationships that build capacity for families and support school communities.



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WORD SEARCH PUZZLE

E	E	S	N	I	K	P	M	U	P	T	V	L	M
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R	L	H	R	S	W	E	A	T	E	R	U	C	H

The words appear UP, DOWN, BACKWARDS, and DIAGONALLY.
Find and circle each word.

BIRDS
BRISK
CHANGING
CLOUDS
COAT
COLD
COLORS
CORN
CROPS
FOOTBALL
FROST
GOURD
HARVEST

HEATER
JACKET
LEAVES
MIGRATE
NOVEMBER
OCTOBER
PUMPKINS
RAKE
SCARECROW
SEASON
SWEATER
TREES
WIND