



Lincoln Loop  
September 12, 2025  
[LincolnAcademy.net](http://LincolnAcademy.net)

## Upcoming Events



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2025-2026 calendar details](#)

### Mark Your Calendars!

#### September Events

**16-17** Josten's School Pictures (schedule below)  
**16-19** Book Fair  
**16** PTO Meeting 6:30 pm  
**17** PTO Community Night: Chipotle  
**19** Grandparents' Day Celebration, **Noon Dismissal**  
Community Night at the Rockies Game 6:10 pm  
**23** Board Meeting 6:30 pm  
**29-October 2** Outdoor Lab for 6th Grade

#### October Events

**1** October Count Day  
**3** No School for 6th Grade  
Spirit Day  
Fall Festival 5:00-7:00 pm, Back Field  
**7** SAC Meeting 6:30 pm, Conference Room  
**8** Parent Teacher Conferences 4:15-7:00 pm  
• Full day of school  
**9** No School, Parent Teacher Conferences 8:30 am-7:00 pm  
**10-14** No School, Fall Break  
**15** PTO Community Night: Qdoba (64th Ave)  
**17** Coffee with the Principal 7:30-10:00 am, House of Js Coffee  
Josten's Picture Retakes and Class Picture Day  
**20-24** Spirit Week  
**21** PTO Meeting 6:30 pm  
**22** PTO Community Night: Urban Air 4:00-7:00 pm  
**28** Board Meeting 6:30 pm, Conference Room  
**31** Halloween, No costumes allowed at school

## School Information

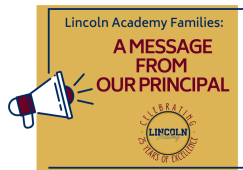


### A Message from the Principal

Thank you all for your care and concern and for so many people reaching out this week as Jeffco faced heartbreaking violence. We know this is very upsetting for our community for many reasons. Please know that we at Lincoln are here to support your students in any way they need. Please reach out to our front office, teachers, or mental health team if your student needs any support.

Please know also that school safety is at the forefront of all we do at Lincoln. We have numerous processes and procedures in place to ensure student and staff safety. Thank you for honoring these procedures. As a reminder, these are some of the important rules we ask families to follow at Lincoln Academy:

- All visitors must check in at the front office. Only adults listed on Infinite Campus will be allowed to interact with students, so please ensure your Infinite Campus is up-to-date with approved contacts.
- Only students are allowed between buildings. All adults must remain in designated drop off/pick up spots near the driveline.
- Students are dismissed by Driveline numbers. When there are weather or safety concerns, all students will dismiss from the classroom, so it is important that all families know their Driveline number, even for older students.
- Students who have been signed up to walk off campus at the end of the day must proceed directly off campus to either walk home or meet their ride in the neighborhood, not on campus.



## A Message from the Principal

Please check out this week's video message from Mr. Hurst!

[Principal Message](#)



## Rockies Fundraiser

The Rockies Lincoln Academy Community Night is Friday, September 19 at 6:10 pm. The Rockies will be playing the Los Angeles Angels. Come join our Lincoln community in a fun night of baseball to raise money for school activities. Fireworks will follow the game. To purchase tickets in our Lincoln Academy section go to [rockies.com/LINCOLNACADEMY](http://rockies.com/LINCOLNACADEMY)



## Picture Day is September 16 and 17!

Please see [this flyer from Jostens](#) regarding how to prepare for picture day and how to order prints. A few days after Picture Day, you will be able to view your images online at [Jostenspix.com](http://Jostenspix.com) using event code: FE7125.

Please remember **not to wear green** on Picture Day. Your green clothes will disappear into the background with Josten's green screen technology.

The schedule for Picture Day is as follows:

Tuesday, September 16	Wednesday, September 17
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PreK AM Class</li> <li>• Kindergarten</li> <li>• 3rd Grade</li> <li>• 5th Grade</li> <li>• 7th Grade</li> <li>• 8th Grade</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PreK Full Day and PM Classes</li> <li>• 1st Grade</li> <li>• 2nd Grade</li> <li>• 4th Grade</li> <li>• 6th Grade</li> </ul>



## Grandparents' and Grand-friends' Day

Next Friday, September 19!

Please help your grandparent or grandfriend out by telling them your student(s)' grade and teacher so they can be directed to the right classrooms. You can also give them the invitation that was sent home in Monday folders for grades PreK-5th.

Need a **digital invitation** to send to your student's grandparents? [Download one here.](#)

7:35-7:55	Normal student breakfast available on the blacktop by the Library doors
7:30-7:45	Grandparent Arrival Options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Drop off grandparents with students via the driveline, or</li> <li>- Grandparents will be directed to park in one of several lots on campus where they can walk to the building or wait for a ride with staff in a golf cart, or</li> <li>- Grandparents may park in the neighborhood and walk</li> </ul> <b>Parents should avoid parking during drop off to allow space for grandparents</b>
7:45-8:20	Continental Breakfast for grandparents <u>only</u> in the Student Center
8:25 - 8:35	Administrative Welcoming in the gymnasium
8:45 - 9:10	Session 1 classroom visit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PreK: Only Full day and AM classes open to grandparents</li> <li>• All other grades open to grandparents</li> </ul>
9:20-9:45	Session 2 classroom visit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PreK: Only Full day and PM classes open to grandparents</li> <li>• All other grades open to grandparents</li> </ul>
9:55-10:20	Session 3 classroom visit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No PreK, Kinder or 1st grade this session</li> <li>• 2nd-8th grades open to grandparents</li> </ul>
10:30-11:30	Music Program in the gymnasium (will be streamed on Lincoln's Facebook page for parents and those unable to attend)
11:30-12:00	Dismissal <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grandparents may release their students from their classroom teachers or with Driveline numbers as early as 11:30</li> <li>• Regularly scheduled walkers, remaining students dismissed at 12:00</li> </ul>

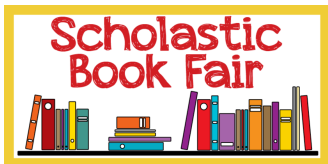


Watch for Spirit Wear sales, our Book Fair, and the Leopard Pledge Drive. In order to host this event, we will need dozens of volunteers to help with preparations. Please see the sign-ups for volunteer help for [preparation](#) and also on the [day of the event](#).

Please note that due to space restrictions, ONLY parents/guardians who are volunteering will be allowed to attend. We are expecting 400-600 attendees, so this is a massive undertaking. We plan to have volunteers as "directors" to make sure that our guests are assisted and directed to the correct locations.

If you have any questions regarding logistics with grandparents who may be attending, please don't hesitate to call the front office.

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We are collecting old newspapers for our Grandparents' Day music performance! If you have any to donate, please send them to the Lincoln office by 9/17/25. Thank you for your support!

	<p>For Grandparents' Day, we invite students to dress in their nicest or "fancy" clothes so they can be a special part of the show. We want our performers to feel festive and ready to celebrate this wonderful occasion with their grandparents and guests.</p>
	<h2>Fall Book Fair</h2> <p>The Fall Book Fair is almost here!</p> <p>Book Fair Hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tuesday 9/16, 2:30-5:00</li> <li>• Wednesday 9/17, 10:30-5:00</li> <li>• Thursday 9/18, 7:30-5:00</li> <li>• Friday 9/19, 7:30-12:00 pm</li> </ul> <p>The <a href="#">online</a> Book Fair is open 9/15-9/28.</p> <p>Go to the online fair to set up eWallet for your student, a safe cashless way for them to shop at the in-person Book Fair. Grandparents can contribute to it too.</p> <h3>Volunteers Needed!</h3> <p>The Fall Book Fair is almost here and we need <b>more volunteers!</b> Spots are still available for Monday set up, and Tuesday-Friday cashier duty. Please go to this link to volunteer: <a href="https://www.trackitforward.com/site/423485/events">https://www.trackitforward.com/site/423485/events</a></p> <p>Please contact Kim McKinney with any questions. <a href="mailto:Kimberly.mckinney@jeffco.k12.co.us">Kimberly.mckinney@jeffco.k12.co.us</a></p>
	<h2>Student Insights</h2> <p>Student Insights is a resourceful tool for our K-8 families to view current and historical assessment data and plans that are applicable to your student. 2024-2025 CMAS student score reports are now available electronically in Student Insights.</p> <p>All families can review the <a href="#">Jeffco Public School Insights Page</a> in your Infinite Campus account (More&gt;Quick Links&gt;Student Insights) at any time to view applicable information such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CMAS Results</li> <li>• MAP Growth results</li> <li>• Acadience results</li> <li>• READ Plan goals and supports</li> <li>• ALP goals</li> </ul>
	<h2>After School Clubs</h2> <p>Lincoln Academy has a variety of fun and educational after-school club options for our students this year. See <a href="#">this page of our website</a> for more information and to sign up.</p> <p><b>STEM Lego Club</b> will start on September 23rd. This club is for students in grades 2-5 and will meet on Tuesdays from 3:15-4:45 pm in Miss Goodman's Art Room. Students will apply real-world concepts in physics, engineering, and architecture through engineer-designed projects and an inquiry-based learning classroom model. Projects are rotated seasonally to ensure that even returning students get a new experience. This club runs for 5-7 week sessions. <a href="#">Click here</a> to register.</p> <p>The <b>Lincoln Academy Mini Choir</b> is an after school choir for any student in Kindergarten through 2nd Grade. Students in Mini Choir will be singing and putting on a performance on November 10. This club will meet two times per week on Monday and Thursday afternoon from 3:00-3:45 pm. The club will run 9/29 through 11/10. Because students will be putting on a performance, attendance at all rehearsals (except in the cases of emergencies or illness) is required. If you would like to sign your child up for Mini Choir please <a href="#">click this link</a> and fill out the Google form.</p>
<h1>Athletics</h1>	



## Upcoming Games/Meets

Girls Volleyball	Boys Soccer	Cross Country
B at 4:15, A at 5:15 pm unless otherwise noted	All games at 4:15 pm	All meets at 4:15 pm
<b>9/16 @ Boulder Country Day</b> , A Team at 4:15 pm, B Team at 5:15 pm <b>9/22 @ Jefferson Academy</b> , A Team at 4 pm, B Team at 5 pm <b>9/23 @ Excel Academy</b>	<b>9/18 @ Boulder Country Day</b> at 4:30 pm <b>9/23 @ Lincoln vs. Woodrow Wilson</b> <b>9/25 @ Stenger vs. Excel</b>	<b>9/25 @ Boulder Country Day</b>

## Board of Directors



### Board Blast

The Lincoln Academy Board of Directors invites you to view the first [Board Blast](#) of the year. These postings will provide quick meeting highlights and useful information to our community. If you'd like to learn more, we encourage you to listen to our meetings, join a committee, and check out our webpage.

We hope you're off to a great year!

## PTO News



### September Meeting

September 16th at 6:30 pm

Our September meeting is coming up this Tuesday at 6:30pm. We will meet in the Student Center this month to discuss final plans for Grandparents' Day and the Fall Festival. Child care for school age children will be provided.

### Grandparents Day



### Grandparents' Day Volunteering

September 18th & 19th

We still have many volunteer opportunities on Track It Forward for **Grandparents' Day!** This event brings together hundreds of Lincoln Academy's finest, so we need "All Hands on Deck!" As a reminder -- only those parents who volunteer are able to attend. We simply don't have space for all our parents since we usually have more than 600 attendees! Our volunteering opportunities range from donations and preparations leading up to the event as well as day of spaces like parking attendants, coffee & kitchen helpers, greeters, seating attendants & more. Please join us as we come together to create an amazing day for our Lincoln community.

- Volunteer Opportunities including Food Donations, Item Collection, Kitchen Prep, & many more leading up to the event: <https://www.trackitforward.com/site/423485/event/1098837>
- Volunteer Opportunities DAY OF Grandparents' Day, Friday September 19th: <https://www.trackitforward.com/site/423485/event/1098842>
- **WatchDOGS on Campus** -This volunteer position is a high need to ensure safety and flow for our special guests. We will need extra hands early morning to help our facilities team with set-up, parking, and on campus support. If you are able to come in earlier, we would really appreciate it! For Grandparents' and Grand-Grand-friends day, the shifts list 6:00am-12:30pm, but the timing is flexible. Please list your available



	<p>time in the Notes/Comments when you sign up! If you want to come for the entire day, please feel free to stay. Sign up here: <a href="https://www.trackitforward.com/site/423485/event/1098843">https://www.trackitforward.com/site/423485/event/1098843</a></p>
	<h2>Additional Volunteer Opportunities</h2> <h3>Track It Forward</h3> <p>There are tons of volunteer opportunities available on Track-It-Forward. From in the classroom to at-home, middle school sports, FROYO sales, WatchDOGS, snacks for the mental health team - there is something for everyone!</p> <p>Questions about Track it Forward? Email <a href="mailto:ptoleopards.volunteer@gmail.com">ptoleopards.volunteer@gmail.com</a></p>
	<h2>Froyo Fridays</h2> <p>FroYo Friday is now located at both the north and south pickup areas. Cups are \$3 each and flavors vary each Friday. <a href="#">Purchase a punch card</a> for \$15 and you get the 6th cup FREE! We need volunteers from our LA community to make FroYo Friday continue to happen this year. Volunteering simply means an hour of your time on a Friday to set up, sell, and put away leftovers at the end of your shift. Please see opportunities to help and continue this Friday tradition going: <a href="#">Sign Up Here</a>.</p>
	<h2>Community Night: Chipotle</h2> <p>Wednesday, 9/17 4-8 pm</p> <p>Join us at the 64th Ave location for taco WEDNESDAY! Mention Lincoln Academy at checkout and a percentage of proceeds will be donated back to Lincoln.</p>
	<h2>American Furniture Warehouse Fundraising</h2> <p>Did you know, your purchases at American Furniture Warehouse can help support Lincoln Academy? Any purchase made can earn up to 4% back for our school. Just mention Lincoln Academy any time you make a purchase and they will automatically make a contribution.</p>
<h2>Area School Information</h2>	
	<h2>Ralston Valley Poms Mini Mustangs</h2> <p>Ralston Valley Poms Team is hosting dance clinics and performances for PreK-5th Graders. The clinics will be September 23 and 24 from 4-5:30 pm at Ralston Valley, with a performance on September 25 at 5:00 pm at the RV Varsity soccer game. <a href="#">See this flier</a> for more information and the QR code to sign up!</p>
	<h2>Parent Academy: Helping Parents of Teens</h2> <p>The Arvada Police Department, in partnership with Jeffco Public Schools, is hosting a free two-part event designed to give parents and guardians the tools and confidence to support their children through the challenges of adolescence.</p> <p>Join us on <b>Sept. 10 and 17, from 5:30 to 9 p.m.</b> at Arvada West High School (11595 Allendale Drive) to learn about important topics from officers, educators and health professionals. Registration is required. <a href="#">To learn more or sign up, please visit the Parent Academy webpage</a>, or contact School Resource Officer Craig Smith at 303-435-4179 or <a href="mailto:crsmith@arvada.org">crsmith@arvada.org</a>.</p>
	<h2>Forge Christian High School</h2> <p>Forge Christian High School is having a Preview Day on Friday, September 19 from 12:30-2:30 pm for any current 7th or 8th graders interested in enrollment for high school. Students will enjoy hands-on activities while parents engage in a Q&amp;A session with school leadership. <a href="#">See this flier</a> for more information and the QR code to RSVP.</p>



## Arvada West

The **Arvada West Wildcat Dance Team** is hosting a Mini Wildcat Cheer and Dance Camp for K-6th graders! The clinic is on October 3 from 5:30-8 pm at Arvada West High School with a performance during the Arvada West boys soccer game at the NAAC on October 7 at 5 pm. Please visit our Instagram page "arvadawestdanceteam" for more information or [click here](#) to sign up!

**Arvada West Youth Wrestling** season will start October 13. Anybody interested should attend a parent meeting on Tuesday, September 16 at Arvada West High School in the Library at 6:30 pm. Please see the flyer for more information: [Wildcats Youth Wrestling](#)



## Lakewood High School IB Meeting

Lakewood High School will be hosting informational meetings about their International Baccalaureate (IB) program on Wednesday, October 15 and Thursday, October 16 at 6:30 pm. Please [see this letter](#) to learn more about the IB program and application process.

## Mission and Vision



The **Mission** of Lincoln Academy Charter School is to help students attain their highest social and academic potential through an academically rigorous, content-rich educational program in a safe, orderly, and caring environment.

Our **Vision** is to prepare all students for their future endeavors by providing a comprehensive Core Knowledge education.