MADISON METROPOLITAN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Lincoln Elementary

Grades: **3rd - 5th Grade** | Enrollment: **393** | Staff: **96**

Madison West Attendance Area: Cherokee Heights/Wright Middle Schools ▶ West High School

Join Lincoln Elementary School and become part of a thriving, supportive community dedicated to the success of every student!

Learn.

Lincoln Elementary proudly earned **4 stars – Exceeds Expectations** on the State Report Card!

Our students demonstrated outstanding academic growth, achieving a **growth score of 79.3, which is significantly higher than the state average**.

Belong.

At Lincoln, students feel a strong sense of connection, trust and engagement with teachers and staff. According to the 2023-24 Climate Survey:

- **93%** of students report having positive relationships with teachers
- **93%** of students feel school staff are willing to help them
- **91%** student engagement
- **91%** of students feel they are treated fairly

Thrive.

Lincoln's Dual Language Immersion (DLI) program helps students become bilingual in Spanish and English and fosters cognitive development and cultural awareness. Our leaners also have opportunities to learn about nature by being immersed in outdoor learning.

The school's club culture offers a variety of activities like arts, sports and science so students to explore interests and build friendships outside the classroom.

Start: 7:35 a.m.
Monday Early Release Dismissal: 1:10 p.m.
Dismissal: 2:30 p.m.

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“Lincoln is a very special place with a strong focus on pride in ourselves, our school and our community.”

– Abby Watson, Principal

Rooted in Community
Lincoln Elementary, home of the Lincoln Lion, serves 4K and grades 3–5. As one half of the Midvale-Lincoln partnership, Lincoln draws students from the Westmorland neighborhood and the richly diverse South Side, creating a vibrant and inclusive school community. Located near key local resources such as Madison College, Centro Hispano, Goodman Library and the future Center of Black Excellence and Culture, Lincoln is uniquely positioned to offer students and families access to rich cultural and educational experiences beyond the classroom.

Learning That Inspires
Lincoln is proud to be a Dual Language Immersion school, offering instruction in Spanish and English. We offer outdoor education for hands-on learning and a robust in-school club culture that includes music, hip hop, yoga, science, art and more. These opportunities are designed to foster curiosity and creativity for all students. Strong community partnerships with organizations like SSM Health, Madison Reading Project and Centro Hispano also provide ongoing support and enrichment for students and families.

Dedicated Staff, Deep Connections
Students are supported by a team of caring, highly qualified educators — including six nationally board-certified teachers and a staff where 95% hold dual certifications. Our classrooms are led by collaborative teaching teams, our principal brings professional and personal experience, having taught and raised her own children in the Midvale-Lincoln schools. For families seeking a school rooted in care, culture and opportunity — Lincoln is a very special place.

Madison Metropolitan School District (MMSD) is the place where your child will truly thrive. We welcome all children and foster a strong sense of belonging, ensuring every student feels valued and supported.

At MMSD, we believe in exploring a wide range of interests and providing opportunities that help students discover their passions, talents and unique potential. From arts to sciences, technology to sports, there’s something for every child to explore and grow!

We’re proud to have the support of our community, with newly renovated high schools, a new elementary school and 10 new buildings coming soon. These modern spaces create an environment for future-ready opportunities that will set your child up for success!

87%
Graduation Rate

43
National Merit Semifinalists (most in Wisconsin)

64%
of students graduate with some college credits

4,200
Advanced Placement Taken in 2025 with 80% scoring 3 or higher

12
State Championships for Career and Technical Student Organizations

190
MMSD Team State Championships (most in Wisconsin)