

### Upcoming Events



[Click here for more 2025-2026 calendar details](#)

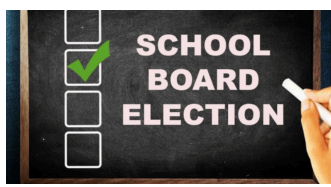
#### Mark Your Calendars!

##### April Events

- 17 Lincoln Art Show 5:00-7:00 pm, Gym TONIGHT!
- 21 PTO Meeting 6:30 pm, Library
- 22 1st Grade Concert 6:00 pm, Gym
- 23 ~~PreK-4 Assessment Day~~ (**assessments postponed due to Jeffco change**)
  - **No school for K-4th**
  - **PreK will still hold their assessments as scheduled**
  - **Regular school day for 5th-8th**
- 24 No School
- 28 Board of Directors Meeting 6:30 pm, Conference Room

##### May Events

- 1 Spirit Day: Wear your Lincoln gear or school colors!  
7/8 Musical Performance 7:00 pm, Gym
- 3 Landscaping Day 9:00-11:30 am, sign up on [Track It Forward](#)
- 4-8 Staff Appreciation Week
- 5 PTO Community Night: Bliss FroYo  
SAC Meeting 6:30 pm, Library
- 7 5-8 Music Performance
- 8 PTO Movie Night: Doors Open 6:00 pm, Movie Starts 6:30 pm, Gym
- 13 Senior Celebration 3:40-4:40 pm, Courtyard
- 14 Kinder Field Day 1:00-2:30 pm, Soccer Field
- 15 PreK Awards 8:15-10:15 am, Gym, Student Center and Classrooms  
8th Grade Awards 11:00 am, Gym  
8th Grade Graduation 6:00 pm, Storyline Church
- 17 Landscaping Day 9:00-11:30 am, sign up on [Track It Forward](#)
- 18 Kindergarten Graduation  
1st/2nd Grade Field Day 12:00-2:30 pm, Soccer Field
- 19 3rd-5th Grade Field Day 8:30-11 am, Soccer Field  
6th/7th Grade Field Day 1:00-3:00 pm, Soccer Field  
Board of Directors Meeting 6:30 pm, Conference Room
- 20 1st-4th Grade Awards  
PTO Community Night: Colorado Tap House
- 21 5th-7th Grade Awards  
Last Day 1st-7th, Noon Dismissal



## Board of Directors Elections

Board of Directors Elections are happening in April. The election will be for a minimum of two and a maximum of three open positions for parents/guardians.

- Board applications are due by **5pm on April 23rd**.
  - The membership requirements and application form can be found [here](#)
  - Please email completed forms to Katie Lehr at [KatieLehr@lincolnacademy.net](mailto:KatieLehr@lincolnacademy.net)
- Qualified applicants will be invited to introduce themselves at the April 28<sup>th</sup> Board of Directors meeting
- Voting will open to the community **April 29th-May 4th** and will occur via email
  - Eligible voters include each parent or legal guardian of currently enrolled students, as well as all employees of Lincoln Academy

## School Information



### Lincoln Academy Art Show TONIGHT!

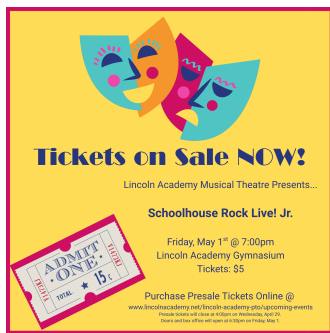
Friday, April 17th: 5:00-7:00 PM

All Lincoln students and their families are invited to this year's Art Show! Enjoy artwork from grades Pre-K through 8. There will be fun interactive exhibits like selfie stations and a blacklight room.



### Donations Needed

As we approach the end of the school year, our supplies have not lasted as long as we had hoped! We have run out of printer paper for copies and tissues for runny noses! If you can spare an extra ream of paper or box of tissues, our school would greatly appreciate it! You can drop off any donations at the front office for distribution.



### Tickets on Sale Now!

Lincoln Academy's 7/8 Musical Theatre class presents...**Schoolhouse Rock Live! Jr.**

The performance is Friday, May 1st at 7:00 pm in the Lincoln gym. Tickets are \$5 each, available [online here](#) through 4:00 pm on Wednesday, April 29, or at the door via cash, Paypal or Venmo. Thank you for your support of our arts program!

\*Click image to enlarge



### 8th Grade Baby/Toddler Pictures Needed

Attention, 8th grade families! We need one baby/toddler picture of your child for the 8th grade graduation video (no newborn pictures, please!). It is much better if the photo of your child **does not** include other family members. Digital photos are preferred and can be emailed to Mr. Nishida at [martin.nishida@jeffco.k12.co.us](mailto:martin.nishida@jeffco.k12.co.us).

- All digital photos must be in a standard image format - jpg, png, bmp, etc. (no PDFs)
- If a digital photo is not available, please have your child bring in a regular picture to Mr. Nishida to be scanned.
- To ensure the correct resolution and image format, please **do not scan the picture yourself**. All pictures will be scanned and returned to the students to take back home.

All pictures are **due to Mr. Nishida by Friday, April 24th** so that he can begin creating the video. Please email Mr. Nishida if you have any questions.



## Final Call for Yearbooks!

The yearbook order deadline has passed... and only a small number of extra copies are available. Yearbooks are now being sold on a first-come, first-served basis. Order today at <http://jostensyearbooks.com/?REF=A01095807>. Once they're gone - they're gone!

If you can't remember if you already purchased a yearbook, you can check your student fee payment history by going to Infinite Campus, clicking "More," and then "Jeffco Student Fee Payment." The fee statement (a paper icon) will show you your purchases this year.

If you think you bought directly from Jostens, you can [search for your order here](#).



## Staff Changes for 26/27 School Year

### Saying Goodbye

Josh Mathews

Facilities Team Member

### Staff Changing Position Next Year

Amy Jenkins

READ Act Interventionist

### Open Positions for 26/27

[Facilities Team Member](#)

## General Teaching Application

We would like to welcome anyone interested in teaching at Lincoln to submit a general [employment application](#). We will keep these on file and reach out if a suitable position becomes available.



## Enrollment for 2026/2027 School Year

If you know that your student will not be returning to Lincoln Academy next year, please let Maren Nadvornik know ([maren.nadvornik@jeffco.k12.co.us](mailto:maren.nadvornik@jeffco.k12.co.us)). This information helps us plan our class sizes and enrollment for next year.

We currently have spaces open in our **PM PreK class** for next year. If you have or know of a student who will be 4 by October 1, 2026, you can apply on [Enroll Jeffco](#). Students who are 4 are also eligible for tuition assistance through [Universal Preschool Colorado](#). We have more information about our PreK program and enrollment [here](#) or reach out to Barbara Robinson at [barbara.robinson@jeffco.k12.co.us](mailto:barbara.robinson@jeffco.k12.co.us). Please help us spread the word about our wonderful PreK program to any families you know!

We also have spaces available for **2nd Grade** for next school year. If you know of any families who have an incoming 2nd grader and are looking for a quality education and great school community, tell them about Lincoln!

## Summer Information



## Leopard Care Summer Camp

Leopard Care is now enrolling currently attending Lincoln Academy students for summer camp, which will be held on Tuesdays-Thursdays from 7:30AM - 5:30PM in June and July. The registration fee is \$75 per child. The camp fee is \$65 per day, per child. Enrollment is first come, first served, so enroll today! Email [leopardcare@gmail.com](mailto:leopardcare@gmail.com) with any questions.

You do not have to be a current Leopard Care family to participate in Leopard Care Camp, just a **currently attending** Lincoln student.

Sign up form link - <https://forms.gle/PK7tF4Re5v4UmTXG7>



## Band Camps

Mrs. Newsom, our band teacher, is offering two summer band camps this July.

- [Summer Band 2026](#): For any students who played in band during the 25-26 school year
- [Beginning Band Jump Start](#): For incoming 5th or 6th graders who plans to take Beginning Band during the 26-27 school year

Click the linked documents to learn more and to register your student. Contact Mrs. Newsom at [jessie.newsom@jeffcoschools.us](mailto:jessie.newsom@jeffcoschools.us) with any questions.



## Camp Invention 2026

Calling all Innovators for Camp Invention 2026!

- Who: Curious kids entering grades K-6.
- What: A summer day camp filled with fun, hands-on STEM adventures led by qualified local educators, designed to spark creativity, build confidence and ignite a lifelong love for learning.
- Where: 7180 Oak Street, Arvada, CO 80004
- When: 6/1/2026 - 6/5/2026
- Why Choose Us: Kids thrive at camp as they jump into hands-on fun and grow through enriching STEM experiences carefully crafted to spark joy and ensure the development of persistence, adaptability and creative problem-solving skills.

Here is the link for more information and to register for camp:

<https://www.invent.org/program-search/camp-invention/co51/13639>

\*Camp Invention is open to all students, not just those that attend Lincoln. Please feel free to share this opportunity with family, friends, and neighbors in the community!

## Athletics



## Upcoming Games/Meets

Boys Volleyball	Girls Soccer	Cross Country
Games at 4:15, 5:15, 6:15	All games at 4:15 pm	All meets at 4:15 pm
<b>4/21 @ Lincoln</b> <hr/> <b>4/28 @ Evergreen Country Day</b>	<b>4/22 v. Woodrow Wilson @ Stenger Sports Complex</b> <hr/> <b>4/29 v. Excel @ Lincoln</b> <hr/> <b>5/4 Semifinals @ Lincoln</b> <hr/> <b>5/5 Finals @ Lincoln</b>	<b>4/29 @ Woodrow Wilson (Oakhurst Park II)</b> <hr/> <b>5/5 Final Meet @ Standley Lake Regional Park</b>



## Volunteer Opportunities

### Track It Forward

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! Read more about [these volunteer opportunities here](#).

Do you love Bliss Froyo and the joy it brings our students every Friday?! We would love for you to volunteer and help us sell this delicious treat (it's just 2:30-3:30 on Fridays!). Simply click the date link you'd be able to sign up and volunteer. Of course, volunteering is always weather pending -- but our students LOVE it, even when it is cold out! Thank you, Lincoln Families!

- Friday, May 1: <https://www.trackitforward.com/site/423485/event/1183776>
- Friday, May 8: <https://www.trackitforward.com/site/423485/event/1183777>
- Friday, May 15: <https://www.trackitforward.com/site/423485/event/1183778>
- Thursday, May 21: <https://www.trackitforward.com/site/423485/event/1183779>

### Staff Appreciation Planning Committee

If you are interested in helping plan all of the fun and exciting events for Staff Appreciation Week, please email Tara at [ptoleopards.vp@gmail.com](mailto:ptoleopards.vp@gmail.com) and be on the lookout for a sign up on Track It Forward in the coming weeks! Staff Appreciation week is coming up in May, and planning for this to happen begins in April! If you are creative and love planning ways to make others feel cared for and loved - this is for you!

### Help Keep Lincoln Academy Beautiful — Join LA Landscape Workdays!

Join fellow families and neighbors to help care for the Lincoln Academy campus this spring, summer, and fall. LA Landscape Workdays are family-friendly and open to volunteers of all ages. Tasks include clean-up, planting, weeding, watering, small landscaping projects, and more—no experience required. Bring gloves, sturdy shoes, sunscreen, and a water bottle; tools and guidance will be provided. Sign up on [Track It Forward](#) (filter events by Landscape Committee).

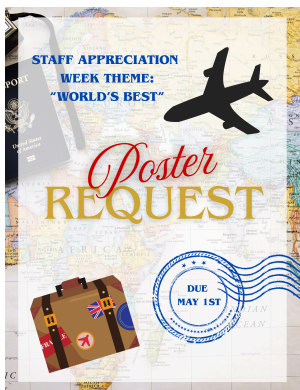
Dates for the LA Landscape Crew are the following:

Sunday, May 3rd, from 9am to 11:30am

Sunday, May 17th, from 9am to 11:30am

Sunday, June 7th, from 9am to 11:30am

*more dates to follow - be sure to check on Track it Forward for details*



### Staff Appreciation Week: Poster Help Needed

Families, we need posters & signs! Please help us create signs that we can hang around campus for Staff Appreciation Week! Our theme for Appreciation week is "World's Best Staff!" Click the image link for theme inspiration. Creativity abounds! Please turn in all signs / posters to the front office by **May 1st** so that we have them in hand to decorate that Friday afternoon & weekend. THANK YOU!



### Watch D.O.G.S. Pizza Picnic

Tuesday, April 21 @ 6:00pm on the Playground

We want to celebrate all of our hardworking Watch D.O.G.S. who have helped keep our campus safe, clean and orderly this year. If you have helped in this way, or want to learn more about the program for next year, please stop by the big playground's picnic tables at 6:00 pm on Tuesday, April 21 for a pizza picnic. We encourage everyone to stay for the PTO meeting at 6:30 pm in the library after the picnic. [See this flier](#) for more information.



### April PTO Meeting

Tuesday, April 21 @ 6:30pm in the Library

We hope you will join us for our last meeting of the year. We will be electing next year's board, discussing Staff Appreciation week plans and getting ready for the summer!



### School Supply Kits - The Store Is Open!

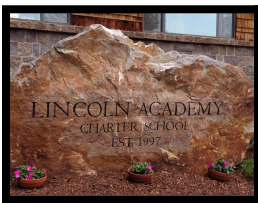
Parents, your 2026/2027 school supply kits are now available! Skip the store lines and start next year stress-free with the exact supplies your child's teacher requested. Ordering now ensures you're ready for back-to-school, no guesswork and no last-minute shopping. Order today and cross one thing off your list! Shop supplies [here](#). Supplies will be available to pick up at school in August before Back to School night.



### PTO Board Leadership Positions

If you are interested in getting more involved with PTO, either on the board or committee, please reach out to Lauren at [ptoleopards@gmail.com](mailto:ptoleopards@gmail.com). We are still in need of a co-event-coordinator as well as other committee leads for the next school year. Our PTO team is a great way to get involved in the school community and support your student's school experience. Meetings are held in the evenings and much of the work is flexible in timing, making it easier for working parents to get involved. We would love to have you on our PTO team for the 2026-2027 school year!

## 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.