

# LINCOLN NEWS

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## Dressing For The Weather!

We all know that Michigan has very unpredictable weather. Be sure your child is ready for the changes. Students will be outside for two recesses a day and they should be prepared with coats, hats and footwear that are appropriate!

We do expect that children will go outside during recess periods, unless the temperature is an actual 10 or below or the wind chill is -10 or below.

Being dressed appropriately makes the recess periods a pleasant time to get some fresh air and "recharge the batteries" for another round of classroom learning.

We have already received notes to have students stay in during recess or noon hour. Our policy states that we believe it is very important that students have their outside recess time. There might be an unusual situation where a student needs to stay inside, but being outside does not cause illness.

When considering a request to allow a student to stay in for health reasons, please consider whether your child should really be in school or not. It might be better to stay home to avoid spreading the illness to the students.

**PARENTS: PLEASE LABEL YOUR CHILD'S COATS, SNOWPANTS, ETC. IT MAKES IT SO MUCH EASIER TO IDENTIFY IN THE LOST AND FOUND! WE HAVE OVER 400 STUDENTS AND LOTS OF CHILDREN HAVE THE SAME HATS, SNOWPANTS AND COATS!**



NO SCHOOL

December 25-  
January 2

School Resumes  
January 3, 2018

Enjoy your  
Holiday Break!!



Lincoln students raised \$1614.90 during our annual penny war and collected 192 toys for Toys For Tots!

Because of your generosity, we were able to bless many local Zeeland families!

## PARENTS!

Remember to ask your child about how the class is doing earning CHIX TIX and what area they are focusing on this week.

## WAYS TO SUPPORT LINCOLN SCHOOL!

### FAMILY FARE / SPARTAN STORE SHOPPERS!

We will be collecting grocery receipts from Family Fare or any other Spartan Store this school year! Once we collect \$150,000.00 in receipts our school will receive \$1000.00! A collection box is in the office under the check in table.

### BOX TOPS

We are once again collecting Box Tops. Collection sheets are available in the office and on Lincoln's website. Return the full collection sheets to your Teacher with your name on it.

### AMAZON

If you are an Amazon Shopper, go to [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com) and follow the links. A percentage of your purchase will go to Lincoln Elementary.



## LUNCH MONEY

When turning in lunch money, please make sure the students **first & last name** is on the envelope along with the **amount** of money. We are not allowed to open the envelope, so without the amount written on the outside, the credit to the account will be delayed until it is sent to Food Service at the High School. Thanks!

## **Lincoln's Mission Statement**

**Promoting learning as a lifelong process by challenging students in a positive, secure, and success-orientated environment based upon mutual respect among children, parents, and school personnel**

DISCOVER.....

EMPOWER.....

IMPACT.....

## LINCOLN'S CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**For the full calendar, please visit our website at [www.zps.org](http://www.zps.org)  
Lincoln's calendar of events is online!**



### Next Week's Menu January 1 - 5 2018

|                    |           |   |
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| Dec 25 - Jan 2     |           | Holiday Break   |
| Jan 3              |           | School Resumes  |
| Jan 5              |           | Popcorn Friday!   |
| Jan 9              |           | 3rd Grade Fieldtrip ( Linderman) - See Teacher for Details                    |
| Jan 10             |           | 3rd Grade Fieldtrip ( Berghorst & Siereveld) - See Teacher for Details        |
| Jan 12             |           | 3rd Grade Fieldtrip - See Teacher For Details                                 |
| Jan 22             |           | No School - Records Day   |
| Feb 2              |           | Popcorn Day!  |
| Feb 9              |           | 1/2 Day of School - Staff Professional Development Day. Dismissal at 12:00pm! |
| Feb 13             | Lunchtime | Walk Program Begins   |
| Feb 20             |           | 5th Grade Fieldtrip - See Teacher for Details                                 |
| Feb 23             |           | Box Top Collection Day!   |
| March 2            |           | Popcorn Friday!   |
| March 5            |           | 1/2 Day of School - Parent/Teacher Conference Dismissal at 12:00pm!           |
| March 6            |           | Kids Hope Skating Party - See Your Mentor for Details                         |
| March 21           |           | Stalter & Inman Fieldtrip - See Teacher For Details                           |
| March 22           |           | DeVisser Fieldtrip - See Teacher For Details                                  |
| March 23           | TBA       | 3rd Grade Field Trip - See Teacher for Details<br>Fun Night                   |
| March 29           |           | Box Top Collection Day!   |
| March 30 - April 6 |           | Spring Break  |
| April 13           |           | Popcorn Friday!   |
| April 24           | TBA       | Book Fair   |
| April 26           | TBA       | Book Fair   |
| May 4              |           | Popcorn Friday!   |
| May 9 & 10         |           | TULIP TIME!<br>1/2 Day of School - Dismissal at 12:00pm!                      |
| May 11             |           | 1/2 Day of School - Staff Professional Development Day. Dismissal at 12:00pm! |
| May 18             |           | 2nd Grade Field Trip - See Teacher For Details                                |
| May 23             |           | 4th Grade Field Trip - See Teacher For Details                                |
| May 25             | TBA       | Field Day (Rain Day June 1)   |
| May 28             |           | No School - Memorial Day  |

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| Mon.   | HOLIDAY BREAK<br>NO SCHOOL   |
| Tues.  | HOLIDAY BREAK<br>NO SCHOOL   |
| Wed.   | A. Blueberry Pancakes & Sausage Links<br>B. Baked Mozzarella Cheese Sticks & Marinara<br>C. Soybutter & Jelly Sandwich<br><br>Carrot Sticks<br>Pineapple Tidbits |
| Thurs. | A. Sloppy Joe on a Bun<br>B. Hot Dog on a Bun<br>C. Yogurt, String Cheese, & Tortilla Chips<br><br>Hashbrown Starz,<br>Applesauce Cup                            |
| Fri.   | A. Pepperoni Pizza<br>B. Chicken Fries & Cheddar Pretzel Bosco<br>C. Soybutter & Jelly Sandwich<br><br>Baked Beans & Mixed Fruit                                 |

REMINDER: LUNCH ACCOUNTS CAN BE PAID AT SCHOOL WITH CASH OR CHECK IN AN ENVELOPE WITH THE AMOUNT AND THE STUDENTS FIRST AND LAST NAME ON IT OR ONLINE AT [www.sendmoneytoschool.com](http://www.sendmoneytoschool.com). FREE & REDUCED LUNCH APPLICATIONS CAN BE SUBMITTED ONLINE AT [www.lunchapp.com](http://www.lunchapp.com) OR YOU CAN REQUEST A PRINTED APPLICATION FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE.

THANK-YOU!

[For student opportunities and events in the area click here.](#)