

Brenda Montaine
Principal



Welcome Back to School 2009-2010

Welcome Back ! We are very excited for the start of school! Lincoln has a wonderful staff and you should feel assured by the care that all students receive here. Please join Lincoln in giving a warm welcome to Brynn Crisp, our new Office Manager. We are lucky to have someone so talented joining our team. We are ready and know that we will have a successful school year.

Here at Lincoln we value instructional time and ask that students arrive on time to school each day. Attendance is crucial for your child's success. Please make doctor and other appointments outside of the school day. School begins promptly at 8:00 a.m. and please note that each Thursday we have an early dismissal.

School Hours Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday Friday:

Kindergarten 8:00 a.m. - 12:50 p.m. Grades 1-6 8:00 a.m. - 2:29 p.m.

Modified Day Thursday:

Kindergarten 8:00 a.m. - 12:50 p.m. Grades 1-6 8:00 a.m. - **12:55 p.m.**

We ask all parents to take an active role in their child's education by working with them at home and monitoring their progress. Thank you for taking the time to read through school information. Together we can make a difference.

Please remember to keep all valuables, (iPods, cell phones, Game Boys, etc.) at home as they are not allowed at school during school hours. The school is not responsible for lost or stolen items. Students that need to contact parents are always welcome to do so in the office.

For Lincoln, a crossing guard will be posted at:

- Fourth Street and Royal Avenue
- First Street and Arcane Street

Thank you ahead of time for your cooperation with the 2009 Board Adopted Wellness Policy AR 5030. We know the Lincoln community will support these health guidelines and adhere to the following:

- Food will not be used as a reward or withheld as a punishment for individual students
- Food will not be used to celebrate birthdays
- Foods of Minimal Nutritional Value are prohibited (soda, gum, candies, etc.)

For those of you who choose to celebrate your child's birthday at school by sending a "treat" please select non food items that support the learning environment. For example, pencils, paper, books, stickers...

Here at Lincoln we value safety, learning, and personal growth. We are proud to be a California Distinguished School and look forward to a tremendous 2009-2010 school year. Again, welcome or welcome back to Abraham Lincoln. Please consider joining our PTA and getting involved with our school community. We look forward to seeing you here at school.

Sincerely,

Brenda Montaine, Principal 2009-2010

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