

Kindergarten Parent Information Night

Lincoln Ave. Academy

Message from Mrs. Kirby & Mr. Sumner

Thank you for a great start to the school year. We are looking forward to watching your child grow throughout the year.

Friendly Reminders:

- If your child is feeling unwell, please keep them home. You can send in a green note for up to 3 days of sickness without a doctors note.
- Please follow the flow of traffic for car line drop off. Maps and additional information was in orientation packets.
- Dress uniform is every Monday. Please refer to page 4 in the agenda for attire specifics.
- We encourage you to support our PTO by attending the meeting in the cafeteria at 6:30 to receive your child's NUT pass.

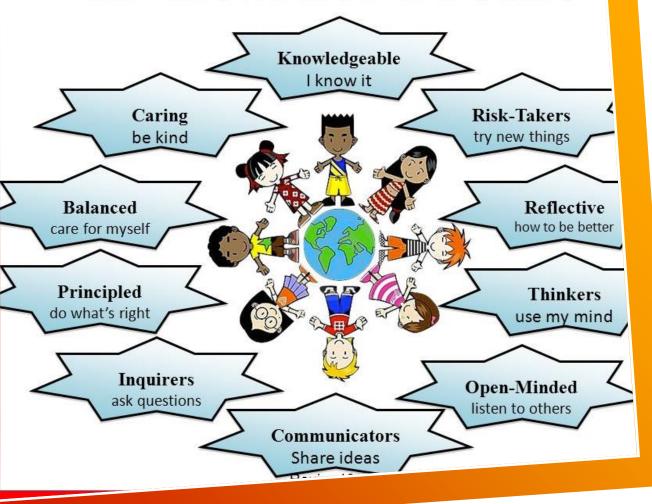




PBIS at LAA

Positive Behavioral Interventions & Supports

IB Learner Profile

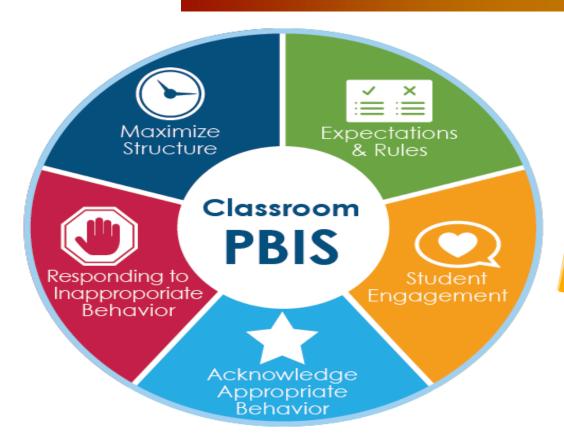


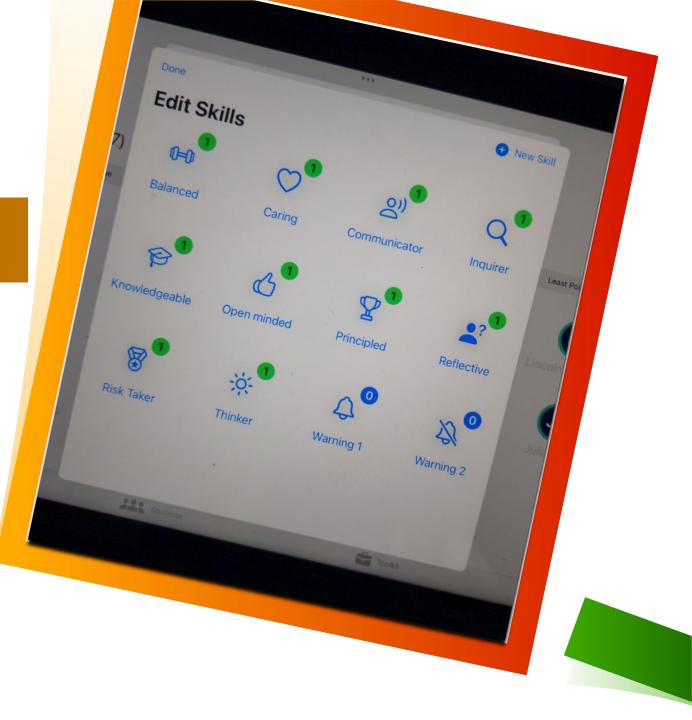
ClassMate & IB Stars

- ClassMate is an Apple iPad app designed by Polk County Public Schools. The app is accessible to Elementary teachers, school administrators and students.
- Students are awarded points, known at Lincoln as IB Stars, for displaying a characteristic of the IB Learner Profile

ClassMate Icons

IB Learner Profile





Viewing Your Student's Points

- Navigate to Focus
- https://polkk12.focusschoolsoftwa re.com/focus/.
- On the left sidebar, click on your student.
- Navigate to Child Info > ClassMate.

The student's total points appear at the top, followed by points by section (which lists each course/period with a point total), and then the complete point history for the student, showing all points earned.



- Parent Portal
- View grades/attendance
- See ClassMate Points

Student Rewards

Classroom Rewards

IB Stars can be redeemed for items in the classroom. This is specific to each grade level. Examples include treasure box, No Shoes Pass and lunch with a friend.



Student Rewards: IB Star Day!

Whole School Celebration

Students who earn IB Stars and minimal infractions get to participate in IB Star Day!

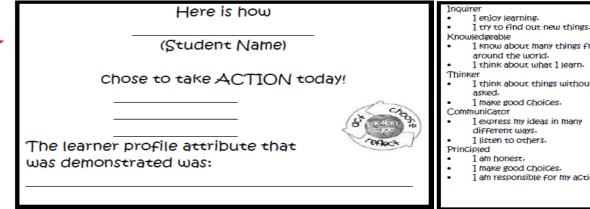
- 4 times a year
- Fun-filled activities all day
- Wear Spirit Shirt



Take Action!



- Students can be acknowledged at home or school for taking action with an Action Ticket!
- Tickets go into monthly drawings for a No Uniform Today (NUT) Pass!
- Action tickets will go home in September



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- I am responsible for my actions.

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- I am respectful of other's needs
- I take action to help others.

- I try new things.
- I defend my beliefs.

I am Confident.

- I take Care of myself.
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Agendas



Lincoln Report for the Week of September 4 - 8, 2023

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Lincoln Report for the Week of September 11 - 15, 2023

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Lincoln Report for the Week of September 18 - 22, 2023

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Behavior* Infraction	on Codes
DR(T/C) = Disrespectful to teacher/classmate DLE = Disrupting the learning environment	Responsibility* DC = Dress code violation
- Choosing not to obey	HW = Missing homework/assignments MM = Missing materials/forms/books/etc.

The aim of all IB programmes is to develop internationally-minded people who, recognizing their common humanity and shared guardianship of the planet, help to create a better and more peaceful world. IB Learners strive to be: Inquirers, Knowledgeable, Thinkers, Communicators, Principled, Open-minded, Caring, Risk-takers, Balanced, and Reflective.

- . Inquirers: Nurture curiosity, developing skills for inquiry & research. Learn independently & with others. Learn with enthusiasm & sustain our love of learning throughout life.
- Knowledgeable: Develop & use conceptual understanding, exploring knowledge across a range of disciplines. Thinkers: Use critical & creative thinking skills to analyze & take responsible action on complex problems.
- Communicators: Collaborate effectively, listening carefully to the perspectives of other individuals & groups.
- Principled: Act with integrity & honesty, with a strong sense of justice.
- . Open-minded: Critically appreciate our own cultures & personal histories, as well as the values & traditions of others.
- Caring: Show empathy, compassion & respect.
- · Risk-takers: Approach uncertainty with forethought & determination.
- . Balanced: Understand the importance of balancing different aspect of our lives-intellectual, physical, emotional to achieve well-being for ourselves & others.
- . Reflective: Thoughtfully consider the world & our own ideas & experiences.



I have read and understand the grade level expectations provided at Orientation

I have read and discussed the LAA handbook including the LAA contract with my child. We understand that parents and students must follow the stated guidelines in order to promote a heality learning environment. Our signatures below indicate that we agree to abde by these rules

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- : Please fill out the first page
- : Sign the contract on pg.7
- : Sign the agenda nightly, verifying you have checked behavior & the agenda
- : Sign the weekly contract each Friday.
- :Move the clip each week so its ready for Monday

In my backpack...

: A book to "read"

: A spill-proof water bottle with water ONLY

:No single use water bottles

: Agenda stored in a 1" binder with pockets.





In my classroom...

: a full uniform for a change of clothes

: headphones for use while at school

: lunchbox (if wanted) with items they can open themselves

All Lincoln homework will be in a homework journal this year.

Homework will begin after portfolio conferences (September 18th)

Homework is posted weekly on the newsletter and is due back each Friday.

Homework may include pages from the Reveal & Reading Wonders at orientation. Please keep these some place safe.

Reading log is to be completed nightly in the agenda.



Homework

SMAD/AR

We will begin AR the second nine weeks. You will receive more information in the first report card.

October 13- Deadline #1

October 20: AR Celebration

"Rock Star"

December 8- Deadline #2

December 13: AR Celebration

"Holiday Hoopla"

March 6- Deadline #3

March 8: AR Celebration

"Twin Day"

May 8- Deadline #4

May 10: AR Celebration

"Color Wars"

★ SMAD

- ★ A leveled program encouraging mastery of subtraction, multiplication, addition and division facts.
- ★ We will start with a pre-SMAD level of counting.
- ★ Kindergarten includes 4 levels. Each level has 30 problems given in 15 minutes.
- Students need 100% accuracy to proceed to next level.
- We test for SMAD on different days each week to eliminate the testing anxiety.

Please Practice

- Belts
- Shoes (tying, putting on & off)
- Pants/buckles
- Following multi-step directions
- Cleaning up own messes
- Opening water bottle (if they will want a refill)
- Writing name
- Writing letters/numbers
- Sight words nightly when they begin

Some Fine Motor Ideas

- Playdough
- Legos
- Puzzles
- Crafts
- Blocks

Volunteer

In order to attend any events, field trips, parties, etc. you must be an approved volunteer.

Your badge is valid for five years if you're satisfying your 20 volunteer hours per family.

You can apply to be a volunteer https://polkschoolsfl.com/getinvolved/

Tentative Dates

September 18th-Portfolio Conferences

October 19- Florida Children's Museum Field Trip (only 5 chaperones per classroom)

November 3rd- Community Helper Day (WE NEED YOU!)

November 16th-Turkey Day

December 14th- Winter Celebrations

April 19th- Kindergarten Farmers Market ...BEST DAY EVER!!!

May 9th- IB Portfolio Showcase

May 20th- End of the Year Awards

May 24th- End of the Year Celebration

Add. Information

- Please put your child's FIRST name and teacher on the car tag
- Be on the look out for a Field Trip form coming home
- Birthday treats are limited to mini cupcakes or cookies
- Breakfast is no longer served in the classrooms starting Monday. Students can go straight to cafeteria upon arrival for

breakfast then come to media center.

Sign Up Genius for September snack



Apps to download

Message Teachers

Check Behavior/Parent Portal







Thank You!

Welcome to Lincoln!