



Welcome to the 2019-2020 School Year at Lincoln Avenue Academy!

As we kick off the new year, we are proud to share that Lincoln Academy students, faculty, and staff have again earned the esteemed honors of being 9th elementary school in the State of Florida as well as again being an "A" School! We look forward to another school year filled with success!

Orientation Day is Thursday, August 8th from 9:00 am -11:00 am

Before Arriving to Orientation:

- Update ALL Emergency Information on Parent Portal.
- Print AND Complete the Orientation Information Sheet for EACH of your Lincoln students.
 - Make after school arrangements for your child for the first two weeks of school.
 - Be sure to thoroughly read & sign off on the Lincoln car line and bus safety guidelines.
- Bring your child's postcard to Orientation.
- Bring your child's school supplies to Orientation.
 - If you ordered supplies through PTO, supplies have arrived to Lincoln and are waiting for your child in his/her homeroom class.
- Bring Optional Summer Learning to turn into homeroom teacher.
- Bring Summer Recycling to earn a N.U.T. pass!
- Opt-In to receive messages from Lincoln & stay connected to important information throughout the school year by visiting <https://go.schoolmessenger.com/#/learn>

While Attending Orientation:

1. Parking will be available for Lincoln Families on the PE field as well as in the grassy lot across the street.
2. Before entering the Lincoln Cafeteria, bus riders **MUST** come through the green gates to the Lincoln courtyard in order to learn your child's bus number & work out any busing issues.
3. **ALL** Lincoln families **MUST** enter campus through the outside doors of the Lincoln Cafeteria.
 - Turn in completed Orientation Information Sheet.
 - This is your "ticket out the cafeteria door" to meet your child's teacher.
 - Gather Orientation Day packet with beginning of the year paperwork.
4. Pick Up pre-purchased PTO Spirit Order from Cafeteria Stage.
5. 2019-2020 Agendas
 - Pre-purchased Agendas are waiting in your child's classroom.
 - If you need to purchase an agenda, please visit the Lincoln office to purchase one for \$8.
6. Meet your child's homeroom teacher! 😊
 - Complete front page of your child's agenda.
 - Read and sign the Lincoln Contract in your child's agenda.
7. If you are unable to log into the Parent Portal, **please** visit the Lincoln Computer lab to gain access.

After Attending Orientation:

- Complete all of the beginning of the year paperwork included in the Orientation Day packet & return to your child's teacher on the first day of school.
- Prepare your child for a GREAT 1st Day of School on Monday, August 12th!

Reminders for the Upcoming School Year

- As many of you know construction was completed on both the new Lincoln car line and bus loop this summer. Routes for traffic flow on the Lincoln campus are included within the Orientation Packet.
- All Lincoln Faculty and Staff has chosen and been assigned a designated staff parking spot. We kindly ask that **ALL visitors** to the Lincoln Campus, park in the grassy lot across the street. Thank you!
- Lincoln is now part of the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) for School Year 2018-2019. Schools that participate in the CEP are able to provide **free, healthy breakfasts and lunches each school day for ALL students**. Lincoln students **MUST** be at school by 7:20 a.m. in order to eat breakfast at school. Breakfast ends at 7:40 in order to allow students to be on time to begin class.
- Lincoln students will be permitted to use regular (no rolling) backpacks and lunchboxes this school year.

Thank you for your support as we prepare for a successful 2019-2020 school year! 😊