



The Lincoln Logger

Lincoln School-A Tradition of Excellence Since 1886

February 6, 2025

Cold Weather Gear


After our spell of brutal cold weather, we are now able to get back outside for recesses. **To keep students warm at outside recesses, they still need jackets, hats, gloves, boots and snow pants. Students without the necessary cold weather gear will need to call home for the necessary garments.** Additionally, please be sure to mark your child's outdoor apparel with your child's initials so that lost items can be returned. We have a great many items on our lost and found table in the gym foyer.

We appreciate your help in making sure your child can enjoy recesses safely.

Attendance is Important!

January was a tough month with lots of sickness. Let's all work together to rebound in February!

- Attendance Rate is the rate of attendance for all students over the total number of possible attendance days.
- High Risk Absenteeism is the percentage of students who have been absent 10% or more of possible school days

	Attendance Rate (We want this number to be as high as possible)	High Absenteeism Rate (We want this number to be as low as possible)
September	95.7%	0.4%
October	95.6%	1.1%
November	95.5%	3.9%
December	95.1%	5.0%
January	93.7%	12.8



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ARC Reading Practice

To record February at-home reading time, please use the [February At-Home Reading Log](#). The At-Home Reading Logs will be in English on one side with Spanish on the other. Teachers will either staple the calendar in your child's agenda or put it in their take home folder. Simply record your child's reading minutes each day and initial. **Please remember that students are expected to read (or be read to) 2 steps (30 min) each night.**

Currently, 36.3% of our students are on target for At-Home Reading. This was a drop of 7% over last month! Let's strive work to climb above 50% in February! We can do it!

Popcorn Friday!

Popcorn Friday is Friday, February 7th! Bring your 50 cents to get a delicious bag of popcorn to enjoy at snack break!

February Bulldog Way Positive Behavior Incentive

Our next Bulldog Way Positive Behavior Incentive will be on Friday, February 28th. Students who have no office referrals January 30th-February 28th will be able to participate in Popcorn and Game Day on February 28th. **Remind your child to be Respectful, Responsible and Wise in order to earn this incentive.**

Kindness Week

Kindness Week is February 10-14. There are dress up themes each day as noted in the calendar below. Encourage your child to join in the fun by participating in each day's dress up theme. We will also have a Kindness walk the afternoon of February 12th, weather permitting.

4K in Session-Friday, February 21st

4K parents, please remember that 4K for your child will be in session on Friday, February 21st. The last remaining Friday where 4K will be in session is May 9th.

Lincoln Elementary PTO Little Caesars Pizza Kit Fundraiser

It's time for you, your friends, and your family to stock up with **Little Caesars Pizza Kits!** Have them on hand for quick dinners, parties or entertaining! We are asking that every student sells 2 or more kits to help us reach our goal. The fundraiser begins on Monday, February 24th and ends on Friday, March 14th. Delivery will be the week of March 31st. Please watch for more details and information.



Lincoln Learning Showcase

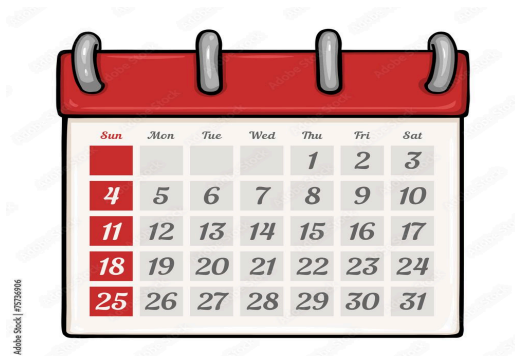
The Lincoln Learning Showcase (formally known as Literacy Night) will take place on Thursday, February 27th from 3:00 until 6:00 p.m. in the gym, gym foyer and library and will feature:

- A Special Presentation by Mr. Tom Pease starting at 4:00 p.m. in the gym
- Student work displays.
- Scholastic Book Fair in the Library.
- PTO concessions for purchase: Pizza, tamales, chips, drinks, baked goods.
- Proceeds to benefit playground upgrades.
- Cash only.

Scholastic Book Fair

The Lincoln Book Fair will take place February 24-28 in the Lincoln Library. The Lincoln Book Fair site is currently open, but you will not be able to purchase items until February 24th. You can, however, set up your child's e-wallet, which allows your child to purchase items without the use of cash. Head to the [Lincoln Book Fair Site](#) to set up your child's e-wallet.

Calendar



Lincoln Calendar of Events:

February 7

-Popcorn Friday! Bring your 50 cents!

February 10-14

-Kindness Week Dress Up Days:

Monday-Team up for KINDNESS! Wear your favorite team clothing.

Tuesday-It's no sweat to be KIND! Wear sweatpants/sweatshirts.

Wednesday-Kick KINDNESS into gear! Wear mismatched socks

Thursday-Wake up to KINDNESS! Wear pajamas to school.

Friday-We love KINDNESS! Wear red or pink clothing. Happy Valentine's Day!

February 12

-Wisconsin School Observance Day-Abraham Lincoln's Birthday honoring the 16th president of the United States. Lincoln was born February 12, 1809, in Hardin County, Kentucky; assassinated 1865.

-Regular School Board Mtg., 6:00 p.m. at Dist. Office

February 14

-Wisconsin Public School Observance Day honoring the Feb. 15, 1820, birth of Susan B. Anthony, an early suffragist, who organized campaigns across the United States advocating for women's right to vote, get an education, and own property. In 1872, she voted in a federal election and was arrested, tried, and fined for her action. In 1920, 14 years after her death, the 19th Amendment to the Constitution was ratified by three-fourths of the states and adopted, granting women the right to vote.

February 17

-No School for Students-Professional Development Day for Staff

February 18

-Lincoln PTO Mtg., 4:00 p.m. in the Art Room (Date change)

February 21

-Wisconsin School Observance Day honoring George Washington, the first president of the United States. Washington was born February 22, 1732; died 1799. He is honored for his efforts to create a new nation dedicated to the rights of the people.

February 24

-PTO Little Caesars Pizza Fundraiser Kick Off

February 26

-School Board Mtg., 6:00 p.m. at the District Office

February 27

-Harvest of the Month Sampling- Potato in the afternoon

February 28

-Bulldog Way Positive Behavior Incentive: Popcorn with games

March 5

-Wisconsin Observance Day-Casimir Pulaski Day Commemorates the life of the Poland native who was born in 1747. He came to America in 1777, after fighting for Poland's independence, and joined forces with General George Washington. After saving Washington's life, Pulaski was made brigadier general of the American Cavalry. Wounded in battle, Pulaski died on October 11, 1779.

-Character Assembly, 2:30 p.m. in gym

March 7

-No School for Students-Professional Development Day

March 10-14

-Help the Homeless Food Drive sponsored by Student Council (We are collecting Cereal, Saltine Crackers, and Soup.)

March 11

-Lincoln PTO Mtg., 4:00 p.m. in the Art Room (Date change)

March 12

-Fang from the Wisconsin Timber Rattlers visits to kick off the Fang Reading Program, 2:30 p.m. in the gym

-Regular School Board Mtg., 6:00 p.m. at Dist. Office

March 14

-Popcorn Friday! Bring your 50 cents!

-PTO Little Caesar's Pizza Fundraiser-End Date

March 17

-Wisconsin Observance Day-"The Great Hunger" in Ireland from 1845 to 1850, also known as the Great Famine or Irish Potato Famine, is considered by many to be the most tragic event in Irish history.

March 17-21

-No School-Spring Break

March 26

-Bulldog Way Positive Behavior Incentive: Bunny Hop

-School Board Mtg., 6:00 p.m. at the District Office

March 27

-Harvest of the Month Sampling- Sweet Peas in the afternoon

March 31

-PTO Little Caesar's Pizza Fundraiser-Delivery Date



Principal's Pride

Kindergarten

Noah McCormick

Fourth Grade

Tyler Hicks

Birthdays



2-7 Maleah Owens
2-7 Joseph Rhode
2-7 Parker Rhode
2-8 Finnlee Gagnow
2-9 Lilly Furman
2-10 Killian McHugh
2-12 Ethan Hilleman
2-13 Arianna Luciano Maldonado

From Our Specialists



Art:

3rd and 4th graders will be starting the clay projects and getting reminders on how to work with clay. 2nd graders are continuing with their Picasso projects and will be moving on to their next artist soon. 1st graders are wrapping up their final elements of art. Kindergarteners are wrapping up their Poppy Project and will be moving on to their first elements of art!

Guidance:

In the month of January guidance lessons will focus on goal setting and hygiene. Harbor House will be presenting on safety in all grades on January 14th and 15th.

Physical Education

The students have completed their bowling unit and did a fantastic job with their rolling skills. They have now begun to work on different kicking skills. Participating in team oriented activities such as indoor soccer. The Kids Heart Challenge fundraiser is also approaching quickly. I will be sending more information describing the process in the near future. Hopefully temperatures will begin to rise to levels that are safe to be back outside! Please continue to encourage your child/children to exercise as much as possible when they are outside of school.

Music

Hello Everyone and Welcome Back to Music Class!!

February is a loud and interesting month. Kinder and First Grade are starting their piano training and continuing to learn about rhythm notes. Second grade will be having their final review of piano skills. They will be learning to play a C scale forward and backward. Third grade already received their new recorders. They have been learning how to make a good tone and how to use their tongues to play various rhythms. Finally, fourth graders are working diligently on learning their "Recorder Karate" pieces. Hopefully it is not too bad at home.

Tech Time

Welcome to the exciting world of ones and zeros! This quarter marks the start of our journey into Computer Science. Kindergarten and first-grade students will dive into the engaging world of coding using Code Spark, an interactive app designed to introduce them to fundamental coding skills and techniques. For students in second through fourth grade, we will explore coding through Code.org, a robust web application that challenges them at their respective grade levels. Introducing computer science to elementary students is crucial because it cultivates essential skills early on. It teaches logical thinking, problem-solving, and creativity, preparing them for future academic and career opportunities in our increasingly digital world. These foundational skills not only enhance their understanding of technology but also foster innovation and adaptability, setting them up for success!

Community Corner



Little Bulldogs Community Connection

Future events held on:

February 7
March 7
April 4
May 2

Questions?
Please call us at:
(920) 982-8447

January 3, 2025

9:00a.m.

New London Public Library
406 South Pearl Street
New London WI 54951

A free screening opportunity for children ages 3-4 who reside within the School District of New London.

**Is your child younger than 5? Please reach out and we will set up a screening with Early Intervention Services (Birth-5).

Screening will look at all areas of child development, including:

- how your child talks
- how your child listens
- how your child thinks
- how your child moves
- how your child uses their hands

Screening will take about 1 hour.

**Previously School District of New London Child Development Days

Children will be screened in a relaxed and friendly setting. Screening is designed to:

- assess children's developmental progress
- provide parents and families with awareness of child growth and/or development concerns



Conexión comunitaria de los pequeños bulldogs “Little Bulldogs Community Connection”

Los próximos eventos se
celebrarán el:

7 de febrero
7 de marzo
4 de abril
2 de mayo

¿Tiene preguntas?
Llámenos al:
(920) 538-5371

3 de enero de 2025

9:00a.m.

Biblioteca Pública de New London
406 South Pearl Street
New London WI 54961

Los niños serán examinados
en un ambiente relajado y
agradable. La evaluación
está diseñada para:

- evaluar el progreso del
desarrollo de los niños
- proporcionar a los
padres y a las familias
conciencia sobre las
preocupaciones sobre el
crecimiento y/o
desarrollo de los niños

Una oportunidad de
evaluación gratuita
para niños de 3 a 4 años
que residen dentro del
Distrito Escolar de New
London.

***Si su hijo tiene menos de 3 años?
Comuníquese con nosotros y
programaremos una evaluación con los
servicios de intervención temprana
(desde el nacimiento hasta los 3 años).

La evaluación examinará
todas las áreas del
desarrollo infantil,
incluyendo:

- cómo habla su hijo
- cómo escucha su hijo
- cómo piensa su hijo
- cómo se mueve su hijo
- cómo usa su hijo sus
manos

La evaluación durará
aproximadamente 1 hora.

**Anteriormente Días de Desarrollo Infantil del
Distrito Escolar de New London.



Please join us for

Lincoln's Learning Showcase

When: Thursday, February 27, 2025

3:00 to 6:00 PM

Where: Lincoln Elementary
(enter by gymnasium)

Special Presentation by Tom Pease,
musical artist, from 4 to 5 PM

Also Featuring:

- Student work displays.
- Scholastic Book Fair in the Library.
- PTO sponsored concessions: Pizza, tamales, chips, drinks, baked goods. Proceeds to benefit playground upgrades. Cash only.



Connexion communautaire des petits bouledogues “Little Bulldogs Community Connection”

Les prochains événements
auront lieu :

7 février
7 mars
4 avril
2 mai

Avez-vous des questions?
Appelez-nous au:
(920) 538-5371

3 janvier 2025

9:00a.m.

Bibliothèque Publique de New London
406 South Pearl Street
New London WI 54961

Les enfants seront examinés
dans un environnement
détendu et agréable.
L'évaluation est conçue pour:

- évaluer les progrès de
développement des enfants
- sensibiliser les parents et
les familles aux
préoccupations concernant
la croissance et/ou le
développement des enfants

Une opportunité de
dépistage gratuite pour
les enfants âgés de 3 à
4 ans résidant dans le
district scolaire de New
London.

***Votre enfant a moins de 3 ans ?
Contactez-nous et nous planifions une
évaluation avec les services
d'intervention précoce (de la naissance
à 3 ans).

L'évaluation examinera tous les
domaines du développement de
l'enfant, notamment:

- comment votre enfant parle
- comment votre enfant écoute
- comment votre enfant bouge
- comment votre enfant utilise
ses mains

L'évaluation durera environ 1
heure.

**Anciennement Journées du développement de
l'enfant du district scolaire de New London.



Por favor únete a nosotros para el

Escaparate de Aprendizaje de Lincoln

Cuándo: Jueves 27 de febrero de 2025

3:00 a 6:00 PM

Donde: Escuela Primaria
Lincoln (entrada por el gimnasio)

Presentación especial de Tom Pease,
artista musical, de 4 a 5 p.m.

También se presentan exhibiciones de

- Trabajos de estudiantes.
- Feria del libro Scholastic en la biblioteca.
- Concesiones patrocinadas por la PTO: pizza, tamales, papas fritas, bebidas, productos horneados. Las ganancias se destinarán a la renovación del patio de juegos. Solo se aceptan pagos en efectivo.





Rejoignez-nous pour la

Vitrine de l'Apprentissage de Lincoln

Quand: Jeudi 27 février 2025

3:00 à 6:00 PM

Où: École Élémentaire Lincoln
(entrée par le gymnase)

Présentation spéciale de Tom Pease,
artiste musical, de 4 à 5 PM



Présentant également des:

- Expositions de travaux d'étudiants.
- Foire du livre Scholastic à la bibliothèque.
- Concessions sponsorisées par le PTO : pizzas, tamales, chips, boissons, produits de boulangerie. Les bénéfices seront reversés aux rénovations de l'aire de jeux. Paiement en espèces uniquement.