# LINCOLN NEWS

**Lincoln Elementary School, Zeeland Public Schools** 

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## KINDERGARTEN/YOUNG 5'S ENROLLMENT INFORMATION for the 24/25 SCHOOL YEAR

Enrolling your child in Preschool, Young Fives or Kindergarten is a big step. We are here to help!

\*Monday, January 29—ZPS will host a Parent Information Expo night at Cityside Middle School (320 E. Main Ave) beginning at 5:30pm. Staff will be on hand to answer questions about all of the options for your child at ZPS, including Spanish Immersion, ZQuest, transportation, food service, and more! A general information session will begin at 6 PM, with special sessions about Spanish Immersion and ZQuest to follow.

#### **Other Important Dates:**

\*Monday, February 5—Both Elementary Spanish Immersion and ZQuest participate in an online preadmission process. This link will be available on February 5, 2024, at 12 PM and remain open until February 5 at 9:00 pm. This is a time-stamped numbering process to secure an application order. You must also submit an enrollment packet on Tuesday, February 6, between 9 am and 9 pm.

\*Tuesday, February 6—Open Enrollment for Y5—12th Grade

\*\*\*Please call the office at 616.748.3350 if you have any questions\*\*\*

### **ZKIDS REGISTRATION DATES**



- ZKIDS SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION will be available online starting FEBRUARY 1!
- ZKIDS 24/25 BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE REGISTRATION will be available online MARCH 14!

Spots fill up quickly so mark your calendars!!!

Click <u>here</u> for more information about these great programs!

### IMPORTANT DROP OFF AND PICK UP INFORMATION

When picking up students after school near the crosswalk on Lincoln, please do not park on Lincoln Avenue or near the corner of Elm and Lincoln. Many of our buses use Elm Street to head out on their afternoon routes. When vehicles are parked too close to the corner, this makes using this route difficult and dangerous. We want to ensure that our buses remain safe, along with other vehicles in that area.







#### 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.

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#### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

For the full calendar, please visit our website at www.zps.org

#### **IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR**

Jan 26	1/2 Day of School
Feb 12-13	NO SCHOOL—Winter Break
Feb 16	Popcorn Friday
Feb 23	1/2 Day of School
Feb 29	1/2 Day—Parent Teacher Conferences
Mar 1	1/2 Day—Parent Teacher Conferences
Mar 6	5th Grade—Cityside Visit
Mar 8	Room Rep Meeting—8:45am
Mar 11	4th Grade Field Trip—See Teacher for Details
Mar 15	Popcorn Friday
Mar 21	2nd Grade (DeVisser/DeKleine) Field Trip
Mar 22	1/2 Day of School
Mar 25	2nd Grade (Stalter) Field Trip
Mar 28	5th Grade Field Trip—See Teacher for Details
Mar 29-Apr 5	Spring Break
Apr 12	Room Rep Meeting—8:45am
Apr 16	Room Rep Meeting—7:00pm
Apr 19	Popcorn Friday
Apr 22-25	Spring Book Fair
Apr 23	2nd Grade Music Program—7:00pm
May 7	4th Grade Recorder Concert
May 9 &10	1/2 Days—Tulip Time
May 15-17	5th Grade Camp—See Teacher for Details
May 17	Family Carnival—More Details to Come
May 27	NO SCHOOL—Memorial Day



#### January 22-26

Mon. A. Shredded BBQ Pork Sandwich

B. Fruit & Yogurt Parfait w/ Granola, String Cheese & Cheez-Its

> Baked Beans, Carrot Craisin Salad, Cherry Tomatoes, Dried Strawberry Apples, Banana

Tues. A. Popcorn Chicken w/ Pretzel Stick

B. Fruit & Yogurt Parfait w/ Granola, String Cheese & Cheez-Its

> Tater Tots, Cucumber Slices, Celery & Carrots, Orange Wedges, Warm Cinnamon Apples

Wed. A. Penne w/ Meat Sauce

B. Fruit & Yogurt Parfait w/ Granola, String Cheese & Cheez-Its

> Roasted Broccoli, Romaine Lettuce, Grape Tomatoes, Northwest Apple Salad, Grapes

Thurs. A. Pancake and Sausage Links

B. Fruit & Yogurt Parfait w/ Granola, String Cheese & Cheez-Its

> Steamed Carrots, Cauliflower, Broccoli Florets, Frozen Sidekick Juice Cup, Cinnamon Applesauce

Fri. HALF DAY NO LUNCH

#### SUMMER EBT IS COMING TO MICHIGAN!!!



If you are interested in receiving summer EBT benefits, please make sure that you have submitted an application for the Free/Reduced lunch program through ZPS. These benefits will help to purchase items such as fruits/vegetables, meat/poultry/fish, dairy products, breads/cereals, and other food items that qualify. There are additional benefits such as reduced program fees for summer recreation programs. In order to receive these benefits, families need to have an application submitted.

The application MUST be done by FEBRUARY 13 and is found at:

https://www.zps.org/about-us/food-service/