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Lincoln News

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Kindergarten/Young 5's Enrollment for the 23/24 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.

ZKIDS Registration Dates

ZKIDS Summer Camp Registration will be available online starting February 1. The ZKIDS 24/25 Before and After School Care Registration will be available online March 14. Spots fill up quickly so mark your calendars. Go to [zps.org](https://www.zps.org) for more information.

Summer EBT is Coming to Michigan

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 can be found online at: <https://www.zps.org/about-us/food-service/>.

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.