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Lincoln News

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M-STEP

3rd, 4th and 5th grade students will be taking the M-STEP (Michigan Student Test of Educational Progress) April 15—May 10. Please limit appointments and absences during this time as much as possible. More details will be coming soon from the classroom teachers.

The Walk Program's "Helping Hands" Update

Lincoln Elementary students donated 188 pounds of food to Harvest Stand Ministries. That is over 150 boxes of cereal. Thank you for your generosity.

Yearbooks

Don't miss out. Yearbooks are being delivered to Lincoln this week. If you did not order a yearbook, it is not too late. If you would like to order a yearbook, please contact the school office and we will get you the necessary information.

Book Fair – April 22–25

The Literati Spring BOGO Book Fair is coming soon. More information will be sent home after Spring Break.

Pajama Day – April 19

ZPS is teaming up with the Child Advocacy Center (CAC) of Ottawa County to host a fundraiser to help CAC in their mission to help ensure every child has a safe and happy childhood. April is Child Abuse Prevention Month and we want to do our part in helping with this cause. Pay \$1 to wear pajamas on April 19.

Student Placement Forms

Parents, if you have information that you think might be relevant to your child's classroom assignment for the upcoming school year, please stop in to pick up a placement form. Our primary responsibility is to create classes that will maximize learning for all students. Each year the teachers and principal give a lot of time and thought to balancing the class lists for the next year. We consider factors such as: balance of boys and girls, friendship patterns, matching teaching style with children's learning styles, class size, avoiding disruptive student combinations, information from parents, distributing and clustering students who need special services. We will use the information you provide to help us make the best possible placement for your child. We ask that you not request a specific teacher, but allow us the discretion to make our best professional judgment. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding in making these important decisions. Deadline to turn in your form is April 24.