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September 29, 2023

We appreciate everyone's understanding and patience as we navigated through a very difficult situation this week. If there is anything that school staff can do to assist you or your student, please let us know by contacting your child's teacher or the school counselor.

**Homecoming** week concludes with the Dance tomorrow from 7:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. in the Field House.

- Students MUST have their physical student ID to attend and all guests must have a driver's license or another school's ID.
- Tickets are available at the door for \$20.
- Please review the dress code in the LHS handbook.



School pictures that were ordered were distributed to students during their RPT on Tuesday this past week. Our Picture Retake Day is Thursday, October 5th. Seniors will take the Class of 2024 photo in the Field House during RPT. All students must have their picture taken for their student ID.

Our student services department has created a webpage with many resources for

- Community Mental Health and Support Resources,
- Study Skills,
- Improving Focus and Attention,
- Career Planning, and
- College Planning.

Please visit <https://www.wrps.org/schools/lincoln/academics/resources-cfm>

For the 2023-24 school year, all WRPS schools will be completing a teacher survey called the SAEBRS and a student survey called the mySAEBRS to support our students in successful participation throughout the school day. This survey previously was given in our elementary buildings and is now being expanded to secondary schools. This brief survey will be administered on Monday, October 2nd during RPT. More information is below.

We have many colleges and recruiters coming on-site to meet with students. To view college visits, go to <https://www.wrps.org/schools/lincoln/academics/academicandcareerplanning.cfm>

We are nearing the progress report time at LHS as Term 1 is now 40% complete. Parent-Teacher Visitations are on Monday, October 16th from 4:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. To sign up for a seven-minute appointment, sign up on the [appointment link Google doc](#).

Bridging Brighter Smiles will be providing dental care for students right here at LHS. The program is open to students in grades 9-12. Each student that enrolls will receive 2-3 visits per school year. Enrollment information was emailed home earlier today or you can register [online](#).

Bus Passes for Bus Riders ONLY — If your child will be riding a different bus to or from school than the bus they normally ride, they must get a bus pass from the office. If your child will be taking the same bus but will have a different drop-off or pick-up, they must also get a pass. Please send a signed, dated note with your child and a pass will be given to them. If your child does not ride a bus, they will not be given a bus pass to ride with another student. Passes will only be given to students who are assigned a bus route. Walkers and pickups are not allowed to ride the bus home with a bus student.

LHS Class of 2024 Parents - LHS is in search of parents of seniors (Class of 2024) to help coordinate Class Reunion Zero to take place in May 2024. Planning must begin ASAP! It is something VERY rewarding to do for your graduating student before they begin the next chapter of their lives. If you are interested, please contact me. EVERYTHING from prior years is saved to assist you in planning. Please consider volunteering to make it a special night for this year's seniors!

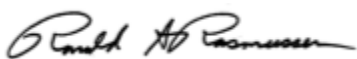
**Senior Pictures** for the yearbook are an important part of Lincoln's history. It is important to include every senior's picture. If you wish to include a different picture than the one taken for the school ID, please submit it by November 30th. There will be NO exceptions to this deadline. Portraits can be submitted by the photographer or parent/guardian. Submit portraits to <https://images.iostens.com/>. Enter Login ID: [Ok1xatuuYJ5e6tQs2tKPXpw](#). Label the file with the student's name. Head and shoulder front view only. No props, paraphernalia, hats, or hands in the photo. JPG or TIF image preferred. We will use color portraits. They must meet these specifications:

- Head and shoulder shot only; no extreme close-ups or full body shots
- No hands in the portrait
- No props such as hats, hobby paraphernalia, sports uniforms, or pets
- Plain or subdued background – outdoor sittings, while popular, often create glare that is distracting
- Appropriate clothing (no deeply-cut necklines, off-shoulder shirts, or inappropriate messages)
- No text or special effects
- No black and white photos—only color photos should be submitted

Should the student select a portrait that does not meet these specifications, we reserve the right to reject it, and the student will be asked to have another portrait taken.

We are soliciting nominations for the Wisconsin Rapids Lincoln High School Alumni Wall of Fame. The Wall of Fame wishes to annually recognize one or more distinguished alumni or friends of education to Wisconsin Rapids Lincoln High School. We believe members of the Wall of Fame are role models who can inspire our students to continue the tradition of excellence that defines the Wisconsin Rapids Lincoln community. For more information or to nominate visit [https://www.wrps.org/schools/lincoln/about/lhs\\_alumni\\_wall\\_of\\_fame.cfm](https://www.wrps.org/schools/lincoln/about/lhs_alumni_wall_of_fame.cfm) Individuals selected will be inducted during the Class of 2024 graduation ceremony.

Proud To Be The Red & White of Rapids!



Ronald A. Rasmussen  
Principal

## SAEBRS Information

For the 2023-24 school year, WRPS schools will be completing a teacher survey called the SAEBRS and a student survey called the mySAEBRS to support our students in successful participation throughout the school day. Teachers will complete surveys for students in grades K through 12, and students in grades 2nd through 12th will also complete a self-rating survey. The self-rating survey for students will only take a few minutes to complete and will be completed two or three times throughout the school year.

The SAEBRS and mySAEBRS are universal screening tools to gather information about student behaviors in the following three domains:

- Social behaviors - students will rate themselves on the following:
  - I argue with others
  - I get along with my peers
  - I lose my temper
  - I disrupt class
  - I am respectful
  - Other people like me
  - I have trouble waiting my turn
- Academic behaviors - students will rate themselves on the following:
  - I like school
  - I am ready for class
  - I get good grades
  - I have trouble working alone
  - It's hard to pay attention in class
  - I participate in class
- Emotional behaviors - students will rate themselves on the following:
  - I feel sad
  - I feel nervous
  - I like to try new things
  - I am happy
  - I am worried
  - When something bad happens, it takes a while for me to feel better
  - I like being alone

The information that we obtain from the teacher and student surveys will allow for classroom teachers and support staff to identify strategies and interventions that may be helpful in the classroom environment to best support learning for all students.

The student survey will be administered to all students unless parents contact the building principal to have them opt out. If you have any questions or concerns about your child's participation in this student survey, please contact the Lincoln grade-level administrator.

# ENGAGE Wisconsin



## What is ENGAGE Wisconsin?

The Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction has partnered with Graduation Alliance to provide an extra layer of support for K-12 students and their families to boost school engagement and academic success during the school year.

Students who choose to participate in the program will be assigned an Academic Success Coach who will answer questions, connect them with resources, and develop a plan to help the student stay on track and engaged with their schooling.

## How does it work?

Coaches reach out to students by phone, email, text message, and more to provide support such as:

- Encouragement and motivation to help students stay on track with their studies
- Organization and study tips
- Educational resources and exercises to help strengthen reading and math skills
- Referrals to local nonprofit organizations that can provide support with life's challenges

## What does it cost?

ENGAGE Wisconsin is state-funded and completely **free to students**.

## How do I sign up?

Go to [RegisterWI.GraduationAlliance.com](https://RegisterWI.GraduationAlliance.com), call **414.207.8960**, or email [EngageWI@GraduationAlliance.com](mailto:EngageWI@GraduationAlliance.com) to get started.