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September 8, 2023

We are excited to welcome students to Lincoln High School for the 2023-24 school year!

We have successfully made it through the first four days. Grades will start to be entered into the grade book next week so please check Skyward for grades and Canvas regularly for work that is to be completed.

This upcoming week will be our first Early Release Wednesday. Our schedule for that day is at the end of this update as well as a calendar for all of our early release days this school year.

Thursday during lunch many of our clubs and organizations will have tables encouraging students to join the multitude of clubs and activities at Lincoln. More information on clubs/activities is on our [website here](#).

Students in our Lincoln Virtual School should be at 20% completion in all courses by Friday, September 15th. LVS students not meeting program benchmarks may be removed from the program. Please contact [Mr. Fannin](#) with any questions.

We continue to utilize Canvas, our Learning Management System (LMS). We have many technology learning resources available for students and families.

- [1:1 Home Page](#)
- [Canvas Parent Observer Set-Up](#)
- [Canvas Parent Pointers](#)
- [Student Help Desk Ticket for Hardware or Software Issues](#)

The deadline to order the yearbook at the best rate is Friday, September 15th. If you order by then you get the book for \$63 and earn free icons. To order visit this link <https://www.jostens.com/apps/store/customer/1115997/Wisconsin-Rapids-Lincoln-High-School/>

Cell phones are not allowed to be used in individual classrooms. Cell phones are to be on silent mode and kept in student lockers, backpacks, or classroom cell phone holders according to teacher-classroom policies.

Our September newsletter, Life At Lincoln, was posted this week online at https://www.wrps.org/schools/lincoln/about/lhs_newsletter.cfm. In our newsletter that was originally published, we erroneously stated graduation for the Class of 2024 was on Saturday, June 2nd. Graduation is on SUNDAY, JUNE 2nd.

Juniors will take the PreACT on Thursday, September 21st. A schedule and further information will be sent home next week. Attached to this communication for freshmen through juniors is information about ACT preparation materials/programs we have available for students.

Privileges will be granted for study hall for sophomores through seniors. Seniors may also apply for lunch privileges. We started handing out privileges to Seniors this week and are working toward awarding privileges beginning mid-next week for underclassmen.

If your student plans to drive to school and park in the student parking lot they are required to have a parking hang tag displayed on the rearview mirror no later than Tuesday, September 12th or fines will be issued. Hang tags can be purchased for \$25.00 after all information is completed for parking in Online Enrollment Verification. Once completed, students can pick up their hang tag in Student Services.

Students have the option to purchase Chromecare for \$25.00/year. This care policy will cover accidental damages that may occur at a reduced price. If the care policy is purchased ALL FOUR YEARS of a student's high school career, the student will be given the Chromebook after graduation. The deadline to sign up for the Chromebook Care Program is Friday, September 15th.

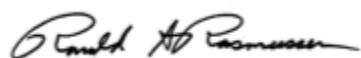
In order to maintain the safety and security of our spectators and athletes, LHS will be implementing a fully clear bag policy at all LHS sporting events. Fans will be allowed to bring in a fully clear plastic bag that does not exceed 12" x 6" x 12 ". NO backpacks, purses, coolers, or stadium seats with zippers will be allowed. Medical bags, diaper bags, and any ADA-specific bags will be allowed. All bags are subject to inspection upon entry or while on school grounds. Thank you for maintaining the safety of our athletic events and respecting our gate staff as we transition to this new entry process to our athletic facilities.

Currently, we post scholarship opportunities on our website at <https://www.wrps.org/schools/lincoln/academics/scholarships.cfm>. Two current opportunities are:

- *Kohl Excellence Scholarship*
 - Graduating senior who intends to enroll in a post-secondary school. Students will be evaluated on leadership, citizenship, school and community involvement, and high academic achievement. *This is a competitive scholarship.* See this additional important information needed to complete the application. Please pay close attention to the letters of recommendation process!
 - [Application information is available here.](#)
 - Due: November 7, 2023
- *Elks Most Valuable Student Scholarships*
 - The Elks organization provides dozens of scholarships at local, regional, state, and national levels for graduating seniors. Applicants will be judged on scholarship, leadership, and financial need. Please select our local Wisconsin Rapids Elks Lodge #693.
 - Application available online at: <https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/mvs.cfm>
 - Due: November 13, 2023

As always, please reach out with any questions or concerns to me at 715-424-6751 ext. 4002 or at ronald.rasmussen@wrps.net

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Ronald A. Rasmussen
Principal

Early Release Bell Schedule

1	7:30 AM	8:39 AM
2	8:46 AM	9:58 AM
3A Lunch	10:00 AM	10:30 AM
3A Class	10:30 AM	11:48 PM
3B Class	10:05 AM	10:39 AM
3B Lunch	10:39 AM	11:09 PM
3B Class	11:09 AM	11:48 AM
3C Class	10:05 AM	11:23 AM
3C Lunch	11:23 AM	11:48 AM
4	11:55 PM	1:04 PM
5	1:11 PM	2:20 PM

PLC Early Release Dates Highlighted

AUGUST 2023					SEPTEMBER 2023					OCTOBER 2023				
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