LINCOLN ACADEMY CLASS OF 2029

What incoming 9th graders can expect this summer

Honors students: Students who have applied for honors courses should have received their decision letters. Please read these letters carefully, as they may include summer homework instructions. *Only honors classes have summer homework*.

Math Placement Exam: Wednesday, June 4 (3:30-4:40) or Saturday, June 7 (10:00-11:10)

Students interested in honors or accelerated math must take a placement test. Students selected their test date on their honors math application. Decisions will be mailed in June. Please contact Math Department chair Sue Levesque at levesque@lincolnacademy.org with questions or to change your test date.

Laptop Purchase: Lincoln Academy has a Bring Your Own Device (BYOD) program. Most academic work is completed on laptops or Chromebooks. Families are asked to purchase laptops for their students' use. Contact latech@lincolnacademy.org for more information or visit our website-for-purchase-advice. Assistance is available.

Summer Mailing: The Career & Academic Counseling Office will send a packet this summer that includes letters, orientation information, a supplies list, a calendar, and information about lunch. Please read carefully, as it contains important information about the start of the school year and instructions for completing Annual Registration Forms in PowerSchool.

Summer Programs: LA is offering a high school readiness program called LA Launch, as well as a variety of other summer programs, including sports camps. Find out more on the Summer Camp page of the LA website.

Summer Athletics: All incoming fall athletes are encouraged, but not required, to attend summer clinics. Please contact fall coaches for schedules.

Coaches' Contact information: This information is located on the Athletics page of the Lincoln Academy website

- o Cross Country: Garrett Martin, <u>laxccoachmartin@gmail.com</u>
- o Field Hockey: Lindsey Herring, coachherring2022@gmail.com
- O Golf: Todd Brackett, tbrackett@lincolnso.me
- O Boys Soccer: Jeffrey Burroughs, <u>burroughs@lincolnacademy.org</u>
- o Girls Soccer: Lauren Ober, <u>preseason8@gmail.com</u>

Summer Sports Physicals at the Lincoln Academy Health Center: A sports physical dated within 2 years is required to participate in LA sports. Medical providers will be available on **Wednesday, August 13,** at the Lincoln Academy Campus Health Center. Make your appointment at this link: https://lincolnacademy.org/programs/student-services/health-center/. Contact the LA Health Center at 207-563-3596 ext. 1119 or Lincoln Health at 207-633-1381 with questions. Athletes must be registered in PowerSchool and have a sports physical on file to begin practicing.

Fall Sports: Meet the Coaches Night for parents and students on **Sunday, August 17.** Tryouts/official practices begin on **Monday, August 18.** Look for more information about how to register your student for a fall sport by mail and email.

Busing: Bus routes will be published close to the start of the school year. While the exact routes will be confirmed in late August, families can look at this year's bus routes on the LA website to get a general idea of the bus schedule. If you intend to transport your child, the Dining Commons will be open at 7:00 am, and there are many after-school athletic and extracurricular activities and a bus to the Y. Many students spend their afternoons downtown at cafes and the public library.

Lincoln Academy PowerSchool: PowerSchool is a student information system where student records and contact information are kept. **By August 1**, all parents and students must login to PowerSchool to complete all online forms in the Annual Registration Section. **Any student with incomplete forms will not be considered fully registered.** If you already have a child at Lincoln Academy, log in to your PowerSchool account and fill out the forms for all of your students. For new families, watch your mail for the summer packet and specific instructions.

Student Schedules and Advisor Group Assignments Once you and your child have completed the Annual Registration Forms in PowerSchool, their fall course schedule will be released online at the beginning of August.

Important Dates for Incoming 9th Graders:

- Freshman Parent Night ~ Thursday, August 28: LA gym. Students are welcome but not required to come. Information on what to expect and introductions to people who work closely with freshmen.
- First Day for Freshmen & Transfers ~ Tuesday, September 2: (Half day, depart after lunch) Students should report to the gym and bring a laptop, notebook, and pencil. Buses will run their regular route.
- First Day for all Students ~ Wednesday, September 3: 8:00 am 2:35 pm. Students report to advisor groups. Buses will run their regular route.

Contact Information for Staff during the summer months

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