

LINCOLN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
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LINCOLN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER
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Pre-School News:
Ms. Sinclair

Ms. Sinclair's class continues to learn new concepts, and work together. The Pre-K students work so nicely with one another, especially when they share, during center time. We are learning about the letters H, I, and J. With these letters, the Pre-K students are working on tracing, letter sounds, and identifying the upper and lower case. In Math, we are learning about the numbers 7-10, AB patterns, and sorting by colors. This month's unit is on the winter season. We are learning how to dress for the winter, the activities we can do, and special holidays that are celebrated during this time.

Upcoming Events:

December 13:
PTA Vendor Night

December 17:
Pre-K – Grade 3 Holiday Sing-a-Long at 6:00pm

December 20:
1:00pm Dismissal - Pizza lunch will be provided by the PTA

December 23 – January 1:
Winter Recess - No School

January 2:
Schools Reopen



Ms. Husti and Ms. Lascar

Where has the time gone? We are getting ready to ring in 2020. As always, Pre-K has been busy. We've been working hard learning our letters, numbers, shapes, and colors. We have also been practicing our fine motor skills, by coloring holiday themes, and learning holiday traditions. We want to wish everyone a great holiday season and break.



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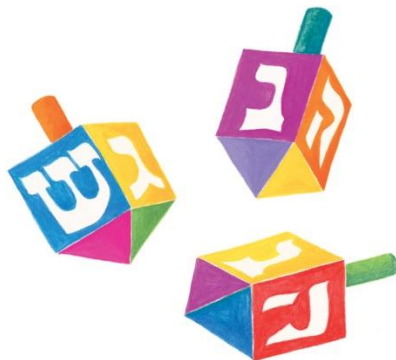
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Primary News: Ms. Capazzi

The students continue to work on developing their reading, spelling, phonics, writing and math skills. All of the students are enjoying learning about various holiday traditions. They especially loved learning how to play the Hanukkah Dreidel Game. Wishing you all a happy, healthy holiday season.



Ms. Latour Bush

December has been a fun and exciting month in room 101! In Math, we have learned about sorting and classifying same vs. different. Snow has been our Science topic this month too. We have learned about cold weather clothes, activities we do in the snow, and lots of new vocabulary words. We are getting very excited for the upcoming holidays too! We've read many books, learned new songs, and created so many fun projects! We are excited for what 2020 will bring!



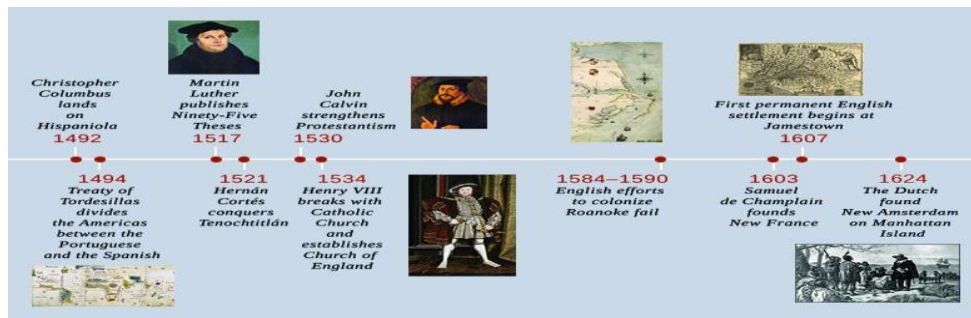
Intermediate News: Ms. Cioffi

Ms. Cioffi's class has had a great start to the month of December. Last week the students went shopping at Walmart. They learned all about buying gifts for others, and how to pay for the items with cash. The class also got a special treat, and got to go out for lunch at Blaze Pizza. The students worked on social skills, navigating stores and restaurants, and money concepts. We look forward to the rest of the month, where we will focus on the holidays in December.



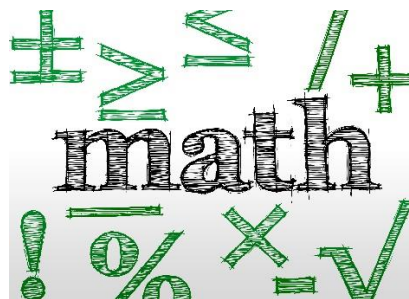
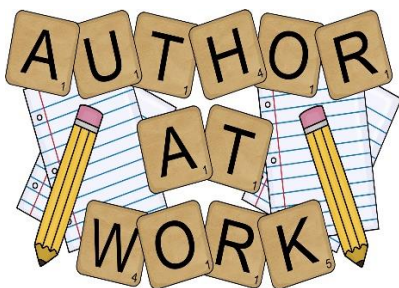
Mr. Hayes

Students in Mr. Hayes' class are learning a great deal about early American History, with their new brand new Social Studies textbooks. The books are accompanied by a website that offers countless excellent materials. Students especially love the hip-hop songs that explain American History in a fun and interesting way. The class has learned about early American exploration and colonization. Projects on central figures in early American History can be viewed outside Room 210, in the upstairs hallway. The artwork, crafted by students in the Artistically Talented class, is worth a look! All of the students are looking forward to their hard-earned winter recess. The class wishes the Lincoln School community a wonderful holiday season!



Ms. Lax

Ms. Lax's class has been working very hard this school year. Some of our students are wrapping up our Reading unit by writing a personal narrative related to our focus question; how do courage and determination help you overcome obstacles? We are all working on reading strategies such as retell, visualize, connect to prior knowledge, and analyze a character. We have been working very hard on our skills, cause and effect, sequencing and WH questions. We are cruising along in our Go Math books. Our Math groups have completed units on multiplying decimals, factors, multiples and number patterns, and two-digit subtraction.



Resource Room News: Ms. Lane and Ms. Morrison

We have been very busy in the Resource Room. In Language Arts, we have been working really hard writing our personal narratives. The students have worked on planning, drafting, editing, and then typing their final drafts. To celebrate our authors, we will be having a publishing party, where each student has the opportunity to present their writing. In Math, some students have been working on all operations of whole numbers and decimals. The First and Second graders are working on their basic addition and subtraction facts. We have been using IXL to help us master these facts. We wish all of the families a happy holiday season.

