July 2021

Hello Flyers,

I am very excited about the upcoming school year. Last year provided us with many obstacles, but we persevered together. Your flexibility in learning methods and the support from families at home was incredible and meant so much to the staff working with your students. We learned a lot about ourselves and each other last year and know we can handle similar challenges when we work together.

Please know that certain aspects of the 2021-2022 school year may still be subject to change due to the effects of COVID-19. We will continue to make it a priority to maintain a safe environment for learning. Please be assured, if any changes happen, we will keep you updated with phone calls and posts on our school website. Be sure that you are set up to receive automated calls from Lindbergh. This will be used to provide updates on back-to-school activities as well as weekly updates throughout the school year. Your flexibility and positive response to any changes that may occur make a big difference in how your child responds. Please keep in touch with teachers and contact the school with any questions you may have.

School will be back in session on August 18, 2021. Lindbergh’s school hours will be 7:30 – 2:00. We look forward to again having our Unpack Your Backpack event to allow students to come and meet their teachers and place items in lockers. Watch for notifications via e-mail and phone once these are scheduled.

Please remember that students need to have up-to-date health records. By October 15, incoming sixth graders must have a physical exam, proof of 1 Meningococcal shot, proof of 1 Tdap shot, proof of 3 Hepatitis B shots and 2 Varicella shots or past Chicken Pox.

Registration
Returning Students:
Returning families are asked to log in to Skyward Family Access to verify address, contact information, emergency contacts, etc. Changes can be made by calling the school office after August 2. If you need to change your address you may come to the school after August 2 with 2 proofs of residency or attend the registration HUB to be held at Peoria High School on July 28 from 9:00 am to 6:00 PM. Miss Dottie will be back in the office on August 2 and will be happy to take any fees, new or updated address verifications and medical documents between 7:30 and 3:00 daily.

New Student Registration:
New students may register online. Lindbergh’s office will open on August 2 where you can come in to drop off 2 proofs of residency and any other documents. You may also complete the online registration at the school. The office is open daily from 7:30 – 3:00.
School Hours
The first day of school is Wednesday, August 18, 2021. Students will attend 7:30 – 2:00. We ask that students do not arrive before 7:15, as there is no supervision and students will remain outside. Students should be in class by 7:30 to avoid being marked tardy.

Attendance
Regular and timely attendance is important to ensure students have the best learning opportunities possible. The instructional day begins shortly after arriving at school. This makes it even more important for students to arrive on time to school. If your student is ill, please call the school before 7:45. This will ensure your student’s attendance is marked properly (excused/unexcused) and also eliminate the automated call from school.

Uniforms and School Supplies
The Lindbergh Dress Code and school supply lists are included in this packet. Please review dress code and supply information so you purchase the correct uniform clothing and supplies. Uniforms must be worn the first day of school.

Unpack Your Backpack
The date and time for Unpack Your Backpack have not yet been finalized. We do plan to welcome you and your student to meet teachers and place items in lockers. This will help to alleviate some of the stress and challenges of bringing everything on the bus the first day.

Parent Involvement
Throughout the year, please remember the important role you play in your child’s success at school. Support work completion at home, keep in touch with teachers and call the school with questions or concerns. Lindbergh has an outstanding Parent Teach Organization that has provided incredible support over the years. They meet monthly and offer opportunities for parents to be involved, both directly and indirectly. We welcome your support no matter how big or small. Your dedication is greatly appreciated and means so much to your student and the school staff.

Upcoming Important Dates
- **Wednesday, July 28th** - One Day Registration HUB at Peoria High School from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. for families wanting to change their address or update other information.
- **Monday, August 2nd** – Lindbergh office open daily 7:30 – 3:00
- **TBA** – Unpack Your Backpack – watch e-mail and school web page for date and time
- **Wednesday, August 18** – First day of school – 7:30 – 2:00

We look forward to seeing everyone August 18 at 7:30 am to begin another successful year of learning and growing together at Lindbergh. Together we can help our students do great things!

Sue Malahy, Principal