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Core Values

Excellence and Innovation in Teaching and Learning

 Respect for Every Individual
 Collaboration and Community

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SUPERINTENDENT'S BULLETIN

of 2016-2017 See Page 7 for Employment Opportunities

The Superintendent's Bulletin is typically posted on the Lincoln Public School website each Wednesday during the school year. It provides timely, relevant information about meetings, professional development opportunities, curriculum and program development, grant awards, and School Committee news.

Dear Faculty and Staff,

Congratulations to our Hanscom Middle School and Lincoln School grade eight students who will graduate tonight and tomorrow night! We wish them all a smooth transition to high school. To our Hanscom families and students who will be moving on to another assignment, and to any Lincoln families leaving the district, we wish you well. It has been a pleasure to educate your children and to get to know you.

The academic year calendar for next school year can be found on page 2. The start date for grades 1-8 is Tuesday, September 5, 2017. Preschoolers and kindergarteners will begin on Wednesday, September 6^{*}.

Thank you to our faculty, staff, and administrators for working diligently to make this a successful year. I hope each of you has an opportunity to relax, reflect, and rest over the summer and that the fall finds you re-energized and excited about the new school year.

All the best,

Becky

August 28 & 29	: New Faculty	Auc	ust/s	Septe	mber	2017	18	days		Feb	uarv	2018	15	davs		Echrup	n <i>r</i>
Orientation 30 & 31: All Faculty Report September		August/September 2017 18 days S M T W T F S							February 2018 15 days S M T W T F S				F	February 19-23: February Recess			
		27	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	M			1	2	3		No School
4:	Labor Day – No School	-	-			7		9	4	-	c	7	8	9			
5:	Gr. 1-8 Students Return; K Visits	3	4	5	6		8	-		5	6		-	-	10		
6 :	Kindergarten and	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	11	12	13	14	15	16	17		
21:	Preschool Begin Rosh Hashanah	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	18	19	20	21	22	23	24		
	No School	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	25	26	27	28					
			Oct	ahar	2017	21	dave			Ma	rch 3	010	21 d	21/2			
Octobe	October 2017 21 days							March 2018 21 days					,	March			
9:	Columbus Day No School	S	M 2	Т 3	W 4	т 5	F 6	S 7	S	М	Т	W	Т 1	F 2	S 3	21 :	Parent Conferences PreK-5, 1:35-4:00 p.m.
25:	Parent Conferences								<u> </u>	-		_				24: 28: 28: 30:	Town Meeting Parent Conferences PreK-5, 1:35-4:00 p.m. 6-8 Report Cards Distributed Good Friday – No School
26:	PreK-8, 1:35–4:00 p.m. PreK-8, 5:00-8:00 p.m.	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		
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		22	23	24	25	26	27	28	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	20.	
		29	30	31					25	26	27	28	29	30	31		
Novem	ber	November 2017 19 days							April 2018 16 days					iys	April		
1:	Parent Conferences	S	М	Т	W	Т	F	S	S	Μ	Т	W	Т	F		4:	Parent Conferences
10 :	PreK-8, 1:35–6:00 p.m. Veterans Day <i>Observed</i>				1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	16-20:	PreK-5, 1:35 – 4:00 p.m. April Recess – No School
	No School	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
11:	State of the Town Meeting	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	15	16	17	18	19	20	21		
23 & 24	 Thanksgiving Recess No School 	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	22	23	24	25	26	27	28		
		26	20	21	22	30	27	25	22	30	27	25	20	27	20		
	20	December 2017 16 days							May 2018 22 days				dave				
Decemb 8:	ber 6-8 Report Cards	S	M	Т	W	, <u>п</u>	F	S	s	М	T	W	T	F	S	May 28:	Memorial Day – No School
	Distributed						1	2			1	2	3	4	5	20.	Memorial Day - No School
25-29 :	December Recess No School	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	6	7	8	9	10	. 11	12		
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		24	25	26	27	28	29	30	27	28	29	30	31				
		31															
lanuar		January 2018 20 days							June 2018 12 days					ys	June		
January 1:	' Y New Year's Day	S	М	Т	W	Т	F	S	S	М	Т	W	Т	F	S	June 25:	Closing Day All Students
15:	No School Martin Luther King, Jr. Day		1	2	3	4	5	6						1	2		<u>1/2 Day</u> (includes 5 snow days)
16:	No School Institute Day	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		K-8 Report Cards Distributed
20.	No School for Students	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	10	11	12	13	14	15	16		on Last Day of School
	<u>Only</u> K-5 Report Cards																
25:		21	22	23	24	25	26	27	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	NOTE:	Teachers work one day after students leave.

Lincoln Public Schools, Lincoln, MA 2017-2018 Academic Year Calendar

School Committee (SC) Meeting – 7:00 p.m. in Hartwell Building Multipurpose Room. Note: Additional SC meetings may be added as needed.

= Half Days

= No School

= Weekends

School Hours Lincoln Preschool, Lincoln School K-8, Hanscom Primary School, and Hanscom Middle School 8 M, T, Th, F - 8:00-2:50; W - 8:00-12:35 @ Lincoln Mon-Fri - 8:15-12:15 Grades K-8 Preschool @ Lincoln Preschool @ Hanscom Morning Session: M thru F - 8:00-10:30 Afternoon Session: M, T, Th, F - 12:15-2:45

 Curriculum Nights

 9/14
 Hanscom Middle AND Lincoln 5-8

 9/28
 Hanscom Primary AND Lincoln K-4

 10/4
 Lincoln Preschool @ Lincoln

- 10/5 Lincoln Preschool @ Hanscom

District Calendar of Upcoming Events								
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	Wednesday, June 14 Superintendent's Office Hours 8:00 a.m 10:00 a.m.							
	Grade 8 Graduation – Hanscom Middle School, 6:00 p.m.							
	Lincoln School Project Kick-off Workshop Brooks School Gym, 7:30 p.m.							
	Thursday, June 15 Grade 8 Graduation – Lincoln School, 7:00 p.m.							
	Friday, June 16 Last Day of School for Students – Half Day							
	Thursday, June 22 School Committee Meeting Hartwell Multipurpose Room, 7:00 p.m.							
	Student's First Day of School 2017-2018 School Year							
	Grades 1 – 8: Tuesday, September 5, 2017							
	Grades PreK and K: Wednesday, September 6, 2017							
	<mark>New Teachers</mark> Report on Monday, August 28, 2017 <mark>All Teachers</mark> Report on Wednesday, August 30, 2017							

News and Information



We extend condolences to the family and friends of our former colleague Anne Marie Mahoney, who passed away recently at the age of 83. Anne Marie was a nurse's assistant in the Lincoln School.

News and Information, Continued



Great Learning

Sharon Hobbs, Lincoln School 5-8 Principal

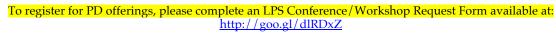
Lincoln School 5-8 held Olympic Day on Monday. The day was planned by 44 eighth graders who served as captains and designed the day's activities. With incredibly flexible help from the teachers, students learned about countries and created small songs or cheers that gave everyone the opportunity to hear the highlights of a country and participated in a variety of games. Groups were designed to be 5th through 8th graders on a team together so students also had the opportunity to meet people they might not have known and to practice helping others to succeed.





Professional Development

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2017 brings EdTech Teacher's <u>http://edtechteacher.org</u> 5th Annual Teaching with Technology Summer Workshops, and we have built an incredible program on a diverse set of NEW topics to compliment many of our favorites from previous summers.

Each summer, we bring together some of the best educators in the country to lead our workshops. All of our instructors have classroom experience and value high-quality professional development.

### **About EdTech Teacher**

We understand teachers because we have all been teachers now we travel the country and the world to deliver hands-on edtech experiences to support teachers to meet the needs of their students' learning environments. Over the past few years, we may have diversified our offerings and expanded our team, but our mission remains the same: to support educators in their quest to enrich student learning experiences through emerging technologies.

## **Boston Summer Work**

• iPads in the Elementary Classroom, July 10-12 http://ettsummer.org/ipads-elementary-classroom/

• Project Based Learning: Integrating Technology to Support Meaningful Student Learning, July 10-12 <u>http://ettsummer.org/project-based-learning/</u>

• The Elementary G-Suite Google Classroom, July 13-14 http://ettsummer.org/elementary-g-suite-google-classroom/

• Enhancing STEM Curriculum with Technology, July 13-14 http://ettsummer.org/enhancing-stem-curriculum-with-technology/

• Teaching Foreign Language with Technology, July 17-19 <u>http://ettsummer.org/teaching-foreign-language-with-technology/</u>

• Differentiation and Personalization with Technology, July 17-18 <u>http://ettsummer.org/differentiation-personalization-with-technology/</u> *Professional Development, EdTech Teacher, Continued* 

• Teaching English and Language Arts with Technology, July 20-21 <u>http://ettsummer.org/teaching-english-and-language-arts-with-technology/</u>

• Creating Innovators with Design Thinking and Makerspaces, July 19-21 <u>http://ettsummer.org/creating-innovators-with-design-thinking-and-makerspaces/</u>

• Leading Innovation in Schools, July 21 <u>http://ettsummer.org/leading-innovation-in-schools/</u>

To register for any of the courses above, click this link: <u>http://ettsummer.org/register/</u>

#### Professional Development, Continued

### For more information on EDCO courses, or to register, go to http://www.edcollab.org/?page\_id=6395



# **Employment Opportunities**

Lincoln Public School District is committed to maintaining a work and learning environment free from discrimination on the basis of age, color, covered veteran status, disability, national origin, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or housing status.

Personnel presently employed by the Lincoln Public Schools <u>are not</u> required to submit a resume or letters of recommendation. Please submit applications online via the District's secure online system at <u>http://www.lincnet.org</u> under Employment Opportunities.

If no job is posted on the website, please contact the administrator listed after each position noted below.

| School                               | Position                                                                                                  | Anticipated<br>Start Date | Hours/Week<br>(If applicable)     | Compensation                                                                                             | Contact<br>Information                                                    |  |  |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|
| HMS                                  | Special Education<br>Tutor<br><b>Two</b> positions open                                                   | 9/5/2017                  | 30                                | \$23.66/hour                                                                                             | Denise Oldham<br>781-274-6178 or X6403<br><u>oldhamd@lincnet.org</u>      |  |  |
| HPS                                  | Grade One Teacher                                                                                         | 8/28/2017                 | 1.0 Position                      | Based on<br>Education and<br>Experience                                                                  | Kristen St. George<br>781-274-7721, X6300<br><u>stgeorgek@lincnet.org</u> |  |  |
| HPS                                  | Grade Three Teacher<br>( <i>Opportunity for IA</i><br><i>position to take over in</i><br><i>January</i> ) | 01/02/2018                | 1.0 Position                      | Based on<br>Education and<br>Experience                                                                  | Kristen St. George<br>781-274-7721, X6300<br><u>stgeorgek@lincnet.org</u> |  |  |
| HPS                                  | Instructional Assistant<br><b>Two</b> positions open<br>Kindergarten<br>Grade 2                           | 9/6/2017<br>9/5/2017      | 32<br>25                          | \$17.86/hour<br>\$17.86/hour                                                                             | Kristen St. George<br>781-274-7721, X6300<br><u>stgeorgek@lincnet.org</u> |  |  |
| Lincoln<br>Preschool                 | Tutor                                                                                                     | 9/6/2017                  | 20                                | \$23.66/hour                                                                                             | Lynn Fagan<br>781-259-9889, X4501<br><u>lfagan@lincnet.org</u>            |  |  |
| Lincoln<br>Preschool<br>@<br>Lincoln | .8 Teacher                                                                                                | 8/28/2017                 |                                   | Based on<br>Education and<br>Experience                                                                  | Lynn Fagan<br>781-259-9889, X4501<br><u>lfagan@lincnet.org</u>            |  |  |
| Lincoln<br>School<br>5-8             | Long-term Substitute<br>Mathematics                                                                       | 8/28/17 –<br>1/5/18       |                                   | Based on<br>Education and<br>Experience                                                                  | Sharon Hobbs<br>781-259-9108, X1300<br><u>shobbs@lincnet.org</u>          |  |  |
| Lincoln<br>School<br>K-8             | METCO Bus Monitor                                                                                         | 9/5/2017                  | 5 days/ week<br>AM and PM<br>Runs | Rate 1: Holds<br>another position<br>\$57.71/day<br>Rate 2: Holds<br>no other<br>position<br>\$90.50/day | Lateefah Franck<br>781-259-9635, X3100<br><u>lfranck@lincnet.org</u>      |  |  |
| Lincoln<br>School<br>K-8             | METCO Academic<br>Assistant                                                                               | 9/5/2017                  | 30 hours/<br>week                 | \$17.86 per hour                                                                                         | Lateefah Franck<br>781-259-9635, X3100<br><u>lfranck@lincnet.org</u>      |  |  |

# 2017 – 2018 Openings