SCHOOL COMMITTEE, LINCOLN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Strategic Objectives:

Educator Growth and Innovation – Educators demonstrate continual growth, professional collaboration, innovation, and risk-taking built on a shared vision of effective teaching

Curriculum – Curriculum is engaging, provides high cognitive demand, and supports the creative, social and emotional development, and academic growth of all students

Instruction – Instruction is student centered and focused on the engagement, achievement, and development of all learners

Assessment and Data – Assessments and data are used in purposeful, meaningful ways to effectively promote and monitor growth

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Innovative Learning Experiences taking place this year include:

Lincoln 6th graders build a chicken coop for a local client in engineering class Lincoln 3rd grade team pilots project-based curriculum focusing on colonial times and Wamponag setllements,

Hanscom Primary School SOS – Service to Our School

Hanscom 5th graders take part in Starlab Stem learning

Hanscom 6th grade team pilots student led parent conferences

Hanscom 8th grade team develops integrated curriculum, Faces of Inequality

METCO office sponsors community book discussion <u>Between the World and Me</u> See more on Twitter, #LincolnLovesLearning

District Enrollment 2016 – 2017

The official enrollment date for all schools in the Commonwealth is October 1, and all state reporting is based upon October 1 enrollment numbers. As of October 1, 2016, the Lincoln Public Schools total enrollment pre-K – 8 was 1,223 students. Enrollment on the Lincoln campus was 639, including 57 pre-K students, 311 students in the Lincoln School grades K - 4, and 271 students in the Lincoln School grades 5 - 8. Enrollment on the Hanscom campus was 584, including 60 pre-K students, 270 students at Hanscom Primary School grades K - 3, and 254 students at Hanscom Middle School grades 4 - 8. Included in these totals, the district has 22 students in Out-of-District placements and 4 students in our CASE classroom.

Accountability and Assessment

The Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) classifies all schools and districts into one of five accountability levels, with the

highest performing in Level 1 and the lowest performing in Level 5. Level designations are based on meeting state set targets for students scoring proficient or above on MCAS. Districts receive an overall level based on the level of their lowest performing school.

Lincoln Public Schools Accountability and Assistance Levels for 2016:

	Lincoln District	Level 2
	Hanscom Primary School	Level 2
	Hanscom Middle School	Level 2
	Lincoln School	Level 1

Additional information about district Key Yearly Measures and MCAS results can be found on the District website under School Committee reports, October 20, 2016. http://www.lincnet.org/Page/4722

School Building Projects

The School Committee and school administration continue to develop plans to ensure that the school district and Town of Lincoln provide school facilities that meet the needs of its student population and provide learning environments that support teaching and learning for the present and the future.

Hanscom Middle School (HMS) – In partnership with the Department of Defense, the newly constructed Hanscom Middle School opened in April of 2016. In our first full school year in the building we are seeing the positive impact that a new building designed for the 21st Century can have on teaching and learning. Teachers and students are fully utilizing the collaborative teaching spaces, are engaging in creative, innovative work in the maker spaces, and are demonstrating high levels of cognitive engagement. <u>http://www.lincnet.org/domain/23</u>

Hanscom Primary School (HPS) – The Hanscom Primary School construction project scheduled to begin in June of 2016 has been delayed. We are hopeful that the move into the temporary facility will occur this spring and demolition and construction will begin. When completed, the Hanscom Primary School and Hanscom Middle School will create a combined preK – 8 school building on the current site of the schools. http://www.lincnet.org/domain/24

Lincoln School – A Statement of Interest for the Lincoln School was submitted to the Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) in April 2016. In December 2016, the MSBA notified the Town leadership that Lincoln School was not invited into the MSBA Eligibility Period for 2016. At Town Meeting 2017, the School Committee will ask the attendees to vote on warrant articles that will determine next steps towards meeting the educational and facilities needs of the Lincoln School. <u>http://www.lincnet.org/domain/26</u> http://www.lincnet.org/domain/27