WELCOME FROM THE PRINCIPAL

On behalf of our faculty and staff, I encourage you to explore the curricular and extracurricular opportunities available to students at Lincoln Middle School. Our students have access to a comprehensive program of study that includes courses aligned with state standards, as well as a wide range of elective offerings.

Our teachers are committed to helping students grow academically, socially, and emotionally. They work in small, grade-level teams to ensure the well-being of each student. We offer a variety of programs and services, both in and out of the classroom, to support those efforts.

Please call me if you have any questions regarding our school or if you would just like to come out and visit.

Sincerely,
Genevieve Bertsos
MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission is to teach with respect and expertise in a safe, prejudice-free environment, enabling our students to be active learners and productive members of their community.

We hold that:
- Learning is a lifelong process.
- All children can learn in a safe, caring, and orderly environment.
- The development of human potential is our most important responsibility.
- The recognition and acceptance of diversity are necessary for the development of students as members of a global society.
POINTS OF PRIDE

- Outstanding fine arts department
- Award-winning vocal/instrumental music department
- Peer mediation program
- In-school tutoring program
- Student of the Month recognition
- Student art projects displayed in hallways
- Eighth grade trip to Washington, D.C.
- After-school tutoring
- Honors award recognition for all grade levels
- National Junior Honor Society - sponsored activities at each grade level

DISTRICT ACCREDITATION

Lincoln Consolidated Schools has been granted District Accreditation from the AdvancED Accreditation Commission and is now recognized across the nation as a quality school system.
COMPUTERS & TECHNOLOGY
Lincoln Middle School leverages our resources to take advantage of new and emerging technology in education including iPad & laptop carts, building-wide wireless access, and 3 computer labs, in addition to SMARTBoards and ELMO Document Cameras in every classroom.

LEGO ROBOTICS CLUB
Students learn engineering, computer programming, and teamwork skills in a fun atmosphere using Legos to build programmable robots.

PROJECT LEAD THE WAY
PLTW Gateway to Technology offers an activity-, project-, and problem-based curriculum and catalyzes lifelong interest in science, technology, engineering, and math. Pre-engineering classes include Design and Modeling, Science of Technology, and Automation and Robotics.
CURRICULUM
The academic core curriculum includes English, mathematics, science, and social studies at each grade level. Accelerated and/or advanced classes in English and mathematics are available. We have specific electives for both enrichment and remediation.

Sixth graders have a broad exploratory program, which includes art, band, choir, computer and technology education, reading, and health.

The elective program for seventh and eighth graders offers over thirty-five courses which include:

- Advanced Physical Education
- Concert Band
- Concert Choir
- Graphic Technology
- Information Technology
- Performance Choir
- Physical Education
- Project Lead the Way
- Robotics Technology
- Spanish/French
- Studio Art

ADVANCED COURSES FOR HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT
Lincoln Middle School has opportunities for advanced level students to earn high school credit while still in middle school. Currently classes are available for mathematics and foreign language. Students must meet eligibility requirements and obtain administration approval.
EXTRACURRICULAR SPORTS & ACTIVITIES
Lincoln Middle School students participate in interscholastic sports including basketball, soccer, tennis and track and field for boys and girls. In addition there are intramural sports, activities and clubs to fit the interest of every student including Quiz Bowl, National Junior Honor Society, Spelling Bee, Recycling Club, and many others.

PARENT INVOLVEMENT
The Middle School PS3—Parents Supporting Students and Staff—group is committed to supporting school initiatives. These volunteers are actively involved in our Academic Awards Ceremony. Parents are welcome in the middle school in other voluntary capacities.