



# LINCOLN LIONS

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# **SJASD Philosophy of Middle Years**

A Middle Years environment is based upon the needs and characteristics of the adolescent learner. These characteristics must be recognized as being developmental and dynamic. Caring, trained professionals will meet the intellectual, physical, social and emotional needs of the middle years student by offering programs reflecting active learning strategies, integrated curricula, exploratory experiences and opportunities to nurture positive relationships with adults and peers.





# A Typical Day at Lincoln - School Hours

Time	Length	Period
8:20 – 8:35	15 min.	Student Entry, Announcements and Attendance
8:35, 9:15 & 9:55	120 mins.	Instructional Periods 1, 2 and 3
10:35 – 10:40	5 mins.	Nutrition Break
10:40 & 11:20 AM	80 mins.	<i>Instructional Periods 4 and 5</i>
12:00 – 12:55 PM	55 mins.	Lunch and Co-Curricular Activities
12:55 – 1:05 PM	5 mins.	Student Entry and Attendance
1:05 – 1:20	15 mins.	School Wide Literacy
1:20, 2:00, & 2:40	120 mins.	<i>Instructional Periods 6, 7 and 8</i>
3:20		End of Day Dismissal







# Student Transportation and Bussing

- **In-catchment students** in grade 6 who live 1.6 km or further from Lincoln will qualify for bussing.
- All Grade 6 - 8 students who live in **Headingley** will automatically qualify for bussing.
- The opportunity for all other students to apply for purchased bus seats will be made available **after** September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021.





# Mandatory Courses and School Focus

*The staff of Lincoln Middle School work together across all content areas emphasizing the importance of literacy, numeracy, and student engagement. Ultimately, we aim to have all students achieve continuous growth in the areas of:*

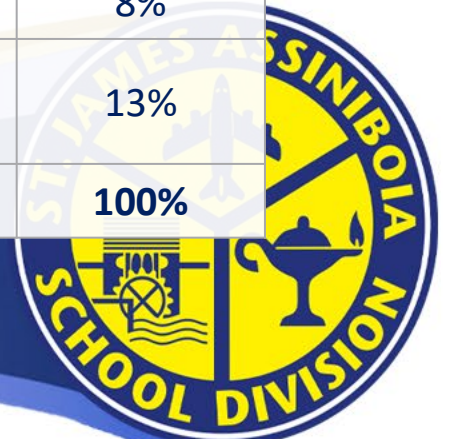
- ***Academics***
- ***Athletics***
- ***Arts***
- ***Attitude - that exemplifies responsibility and care***





# Mandatory Courses for all Middle Years Schools

Manitoba Middle Years Recommended Subject Area Time Allotments			
Subject Areas		Grades 6	Grades 7 and 8
<b>Compulsory</b>	language arts (English)	35%	27%
	mathematics	15%	17%
	science	10%	13%
	social studies	10%	13%
	physical education/health education (mandated time)	11%	9%
	arts education	10%	8%
<b>Optional</b>	e.g., French*, other languages, Aboriginal studies, etc.	9%	13%
<b>Total</b>		<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>







# Experiential Programming

*Throughout the school year, all students will receive all 3 of the practical arts experiences below. Each practical arts term lasts approximately 10 weeks in total.*

- ***Digital Communication/Technology***
- ***Human Ecology (sewing and/or cooking)***
- ***Woodworking***



# Arts Education and Arts Ed. Options

- *All Grade 6 students must choose band or music education for the entire year.*
- *All grade 6 students will also participate in dance, drama, and visual art for 10-week intervals.*
- *Along with the continuation of band, an increased amount of arts education options and student choice are made available to all students in grade 7 and 8 such as pottery, intarsia, animation and more.*





# Extra Curricular and Clubs

## Athletic Teams and Intramurals

- Cross Country and Marathon Running
- Ultimate Frisbee
- Volleyball
- Basketball
- Badminton
- Track and Field
- Floor Hockey
- Dodgeball
- Bowling
- Curling
- Indoor Soccer
- Dodgeball

## Artistic Groups and Various Clubs

- Jazz, Concert and Rock bands
- Lincoln Singers
- Vocal Jazz
- Musical and Drama Productions
- Dance Club and Teams
- Visual Arts Club
- Improv Club and Team
- Knitting Club
- Chess and Games Club
- Gardening Club
- GSA





# Community Connection

Lincoln Middle School sits on Treaty One territory, the traditional territory of the Anishinaabe, Inenew, and Dakota peoples, and homeland of the Métis Nation.

Lincoln has strong ties to the land around us and our surrounding community. We actively seek and create opportunities for our Lions to connect and give back to others, developing their citizenship and character skills.





# Highlights of Lincoln Middle School



- *A well-rounded daily schedule that includes protected time for the integrated arts, and an emphasis on physical and emotional wellness.*
- *Open campus mornings in the foyer and library (7:45 am) that support early morning drop-offs and increased student connections.*
- *Regular “Celebration of Success” assemblies and school wide events that celebrate student’s academic, artistic, athletic and citizenship efforts.*
- **Free lunch program that includes a student run canteen supported by the culinary arts students at Westwood Collegiate.**
- **A strong tradition of parental involvement and a dedicated parent council that works in partnership with the school team.**
- **Continuous communication through weekly email updates, daily online agendas, and an active Instagram account [follow us @SJASD\\_Lincoln\\_Lions](https://www.instagram.com/SJASD_Lincoln_Lions)**



# School Registration



***For SJASD students that currently live in the Lincoln catchment area:***

- Registration Forms will be given to in-catchment grade 5 students at their current SJASD elementary school on January 29<sup>th</sup>.
- Please complete and return these forms to your child's elementary school as soon as possible (no later than Friday, February 12<sup>th</sup>.)

***For students who live outside of our Lincoln catchment area or beyond the SJASD school division:***

- Please log onto the St. James Assiniboia School Division website ([www.sjasd.ca](http://www.sjasd.ca)). There will be a registration link there for you to follow to submit your child's name, contact information and school of choice.







# Questions?

Do you still have questions or feeling unsure about the registration process? Call the school during our office hours (7:45 am – 3:45 pm) or enter your question(s) in the survey link below.

[Lincoln Registration Questions – Survey Link](#)





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