

Welcome to Our School

Our Mission

Lincoln's staff and students will work together to create learning experiences and opportunities (intellectual, social, and emotional) so that students can make meaningful decisions in school, home, and community.



We are a DPS Distinguished School

Lincoln enjoys a "Distinguished" rating under the Denver Public Schools School Performance Framework (SPF). This rating is based on student growth on test scores as well as student and parent satisfaction. Lincoln has been a distinguished school since 2008 and continues to be a distinguished school for the 2014-2015 school year.



How to Enroll

Choice and Enrollment

<http://schoolchoice.dpsk12.org>

Find your neighborhood school

<http://schoolfinder.dpsk12.org>

**Applications accepted from
January 5, 2016 to January 29, 2016
4 p.m.**



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Traditional and Montessori Education

LINCOLN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



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OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY



Educational Programs

Traditional Highlights

- Average class size is 26.
- Serves students grades Kindergarten to grade 5.
- Tuition-based for Kindergarten. No cost thereafter.
- Uses DPS curriculum to teach standards.

Our Traditional and Montessori programs have strong foundations to ensure that each student receives outstanding instruction that focuses on growing the whole child.

Our **Traditional** program uses the DPS curriculum to guide students toward mastery of the Common Core State Standards. Teachers in that program use technology extensively to instruct students in literacy and math. Students enter the Traditional program in ECE at the Knight Center for Early Childhood

Education. Our Traditional Program goes through grade 5 and is open to all prospective students.

Our **Montessori** program uses Montessori materials to guide students toward mastery of the Common Core Standards. Montessori classrooms are multi-age settings with 3 grade levels in one room. Students enter Lincoln's Montessori Program at 3 years of age. Our Montessori program serves students up to grade 6. Students must have prior Montessori experience to enter the program after the age of 5.

Montessori Highlights

- Average class size is 26.
- Serves students age 3 to grade 6.
- Tuition-based for ECE and Kindergarten. No cost thereafter.
- Uses Montessori methods to teach standards.

Both programs use technology and other resources to ensure that students are instructed in 21st century educational strategies.

School Events and Activities

Students expand their creativity and exercise their bodies and minds by participating in a wide selection of **specials classes** that include art, drama, music, physical education, dance, computer instruction and library use.

Lincoln's **Student Council** makes a commitment to community service through student fundraising. Proceeds go to worthy organizations and causes.

5th grade students have a **weekly extended science lesson** with a visiting scientist. Additionally, all 5th grade students go to DPS's **Balarat Outdoor Education Center** in the mountains each year to experience the beautiful Colorado mountains and learn more about Colorado history.

PTSA

Lincoln has a very active PTSA that leads fundraising efforts through various means. They've developed a Business Partner of the Week program, and a Restaurant Nights program. They are also involved in organizing community activities at the school such as fall festival, youth farmer's market, science night, Laps for Lincoln, an annual ice-cream social and more.

Make a Difference— Volunteer

We welcome the participation of parents and offer various volunteer opportunities at the school which provide chances for parents to connect as a community.

Before and After School Care

Kaleidoscope Corner is a fee-based extended day program that provides before and after school care in addition to a half-day program for 3 year olds. For more information call Kaleidoscope Corner at 720.423.1781 or visit their website at <http://kaleidoscope.dpsk12.org>.

After School Enrichment Programs

- Club Amigos - Spanish Instruction
- Science Matters
- Young Rembrandts
- Sticky Fingers Cooking
- Shakespeare Club
- Girl Scouts
- Yearbook club (for upper grades)

