



# Lincoln Elementary School



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October 2018

Report to the Board of Education

Lincoln Elementary School

Kelly Millburg, Principal

**Enrollment:**

September 2018		October 2018 (+3)	
3rd Grade	100	3rd Grade	100
4th Grade	86	4th Grade	90
5th Grade	91	5th Grade	90
Total	277	Total	280

**PBIS Assembly:** Lincoln Elementary held the September PBIS Assembly to award students for demonstrating Citizenship (the character trait of the month), good choice behavior and attendance.

**Classrooms Who Had No Majors or Bus Referrals**



**Being silly for a dilly. 98.17% September Attendance award (Mrs. Epley's class)**





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## **Building Meeting on 10/10/18- [Lincolnelementary Pana Principal Millburg](#)**

Teachers worked on team building activities during our building meeting by creating Lego Ducks from the same 6 pieces. No two were the same and there was not ONE correct answer. We all made a duck!!!! How we got their wasn't the point!

The take away was this: \*We know kids don't all learn the same way! We know that standardized test are not the end all measuring tool! Our focus now shifts to engaging and assessing students through a variety of non-traditional teaching styles that support what we know about how children learn best





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**Parent Teacher Conferences:** Where held on 10/4/18 from 12:00 pm - 8:00 pm and teachers were able to meet face to face with 157 different parents during the course of the afternoon and evening. This is another way to stay in contact and communicate with parents.

**Communication: Using the Sign** A third way to communicate with parents.



**Promoting great things going on through social media.**

**Walk Throughs-** During daily walk throughs I am observing some excellent student engaged lessons where groups of kiddos are collaborating and problem solving. Teachers are teaching outside the box and putting into practice some things we are learning in an ROE book study of the book “Teach Like A Pirate” and the flexible seating the 3rd grade team has adopted has proven to be a very successful way of assisting the students to stay focused and engaged.

**Fire Drills:** A second unannounced fire drill with the staff was very successful. I feel like we were well prepared when the Fire Department initiated an alarm-activated drill on October 10th. We exited the building and had all 280 students evacuated in 1 minute and 30 seconds. Additionally, two teachers immediately made me aware of 2 students who had been removed from their line and concealed by a firemen during the evacuation process.

**Bus Evacuation Drill-** was held on October 10th to prepare students how to make a quick exit when needed in the event of an emergency on the bus during transit between home and school and also during any field trip that might occur during the school year.

**Shake Out:** The national earthquake drill will take place on 10/18/18 at 10:18 a.m. and the **LockDown** practice with law enforcement has been scheduled for 10/24/18. All required items on The Life/Safety Verification Form for the ROE will be completed by the end of October.



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**Picture Day-** Lifetouch will be at Lincoln Elementary on October 17th to take school pictures. They are sending 2 photographers to expedite the picture taking process and minimize the amount of time spent outside of the regular day's class time.

**End of 1st Qut/Report Cards-** The grading period for the 1st nine weeks will end on Friday, October 19, 2018 and the report cards will be distributed the following Friday on October 26, 2018.

**National Red Ribbon Week-** is 9/23/18-9/31/18 and a week's worth of fun activities have been planned to enforce the "Real Heroes Don't Do Drugs" theme. This week will incorporate the PBIS Fall Celebration, classroom parties and a visit from the Washington School students' in a Halloween Parade!