

Lincolnway Elementary School
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"Every Student, Every Day"

Our Office

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Upcoming Dates:

Aug. 24: 1st Day of School –
Only 2nd Grade
Aug. 25: 2nd & 3rd Grade
Sept. 2: Distance Learning Day
Sept. 7: No School-Labor
Day

August Character Trait:
Friendship

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Lincolnway Elementary School West York Area School District Back to School 2020-2021

Dear Lincolnway Families,

It is my pleasure to welcome you to Lincolnway for the 2020-2021 school year! It is my sincerest hope that you are smiling with anticipation for a great school year!

Our first day of school is Monday August 24th. Only 2nd graders will attend this first day, and then both 2nd and 3rd graders will attend on Tuesday August 25th.

Please note that our car rider procedures have changed for this school year. If you are dropping off/picking up your child, you should enter Clarke Ave. off of Fayette St. Then turn right onto John St. and pull up along the front of Lincolnway. Buses will be utilizing our side parking lot for student arrival and dismissal.

Much of the other information you need for a successful start to our school year can be found on our [District Website](#). You will find information such as lunch menus, district calendars, and contact information for faculty and staff. Please make sure we have your updated email address and phone number so we can keep you updated with Lincolnway news! All newsletters will also be shared on Class Dojo – please check information sent home from your child's teacher on how to join our school's Class Dojo group. As always, you are always welcome to call Lincolnway if you have any specific questions.

We look forward to working with you this year. **Please visit our website for the Elementary Student Handbook.** Take special care to view areas such as dress code, attendance, and discipline policies. We will provide your child with the necessary tools and materials for a successful school year; please send them to school with a face mask, backpack and lunchbox (if packing lunch), and their district-issued Chromebook. Thank you so much for giving us the opportunity to be a part of your child's growth and development. We will learn so much from each other this year,

and I look forward to building relationships with both you and your child!

As a building focused on West York's 2nd and 3rd graders, I am thrilled to share in your child's education. It is my philosophy that every moment is an opportunity: an opportunity to learn, grow, celebrate, and reflect...and we have some great opportunities ahead of us!

With Bulldog Pride,

Mrs. Kveragas



Title 1 Designation/Notification

Dear Parents/Guardians:

As a parent/guardian of a student attending a school that is receiving Federal Title I dollars, you have the right to know the professional qualifications of the teacher(s) and instructional paraprofessional(s) who instruct your child.

Federal law requires every Title I school district to comply and to provide you with the requested information in a timely manner.

We are happy to provide this information to you. At any time, you may ask:

- Whether the teacher met state qualifications and certification requirements for the grade level and subject he/she is teaching,
- Whether the teacher received an emergency or conditional certificate through which state qualifications were waived, and
- What undergraduate or graduate degrees the teacher holds, including graduate certificates and additional degrees, and major(s) or area(s) of concentration.

You may also ask whether your child receives help from a paraprofessional. If your child receives this assistance, we can provide you with information about the paraprofessional's qualifications.

The Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) which was signed into law in December 2015 and reauthorizes the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1956 (ESEA) includes additionally right to know requests. At any time, parents and family members can request:

- Information on policies regarding student participation in assessments and procedures for opting out,
- and
- Information on required assessments that include
 - o subject matter tested,
 - o purpose of the test,
 - o source of the requirement (if applicable),
 - o amount of time it takes students to complete the test, and
 - o time and format of disseminating results.

Our staff is committed to helping your child develop the academic knowledge and critical thinking he/she needs to succeed in school and beyond. That commitment includes making sure that all of our teachers and paraprofessionals meet applicable Pennsylvania state requirements.

If you have any questions about your child's assignment to a teacher or an assistant, please feel free to contact me at 717-792-3902 or email me at cmkveragas@wyasd.org. We look forward to the upcoming school year, and together we will make a difference in your child's life.

Sincerely,

Catherine M. Kveragas

Ms. Catherine M. Kveragas
Principal