

# Lincoln Park Public Schools

*Preparing Tomorrow's Leaders at Lincoln Park Schools Today*

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

I hope this update finds you well. Here is the weekly Covid-19 update.

## **This Week**

### Students

	Isolation Positive	Close Contact	Travel Advisory	Symptomatic	Total
#	1	8	7	2	18

### Staff

	Isolation Positive	Close Contact	Travel Advisory	Symptomatic	Total
#	0	0	1	0	1

## **Overall**

### Students

	Isolation Positive	Close Contact	Travel Advisory	Symptomatic	Total
#	1	12	10	2	25

### Staff

	Isolation Positive	Close Contact	Travel Advisory	Symptomatic	Total
#	0	1	1	0	2

I'm pleased to report that combining the cohorts this week went very smoothly. Both the elementary and middle school students were so happy to be back. The teachers all expressed joy at seeing nearly all of our students back in school as well. One student at LPMS said, "It's the closest we've been to a normal school day in over a year!" Thank you to everyone, students, parents and teachers, who have been working hard to follow our rules to ensure everyone can learn safely.

I would also like to remind everyone to fill out the daily Covid screening form for their child each and every morning. It makes the check-in process easier for your child and our teachers. As one of the educators checking-in LPES students in the morning, I can tell you how much I appreciate those who take the time to fill out the form. We all forget things on occasion, but please do your best to remember to fill this out each day.

Finally, I hope you had a chance to read my letter about our upcoming referendum. If you haven't had a chance to read it, these are the improvements we hope to undertake with the referendum:

#### Lincoln Park Elementary School

1. Construction of four (4) additional classrooms added to LPES – lack of space caused preschool to be moved to LPMS years ago
2. Replacement of HVAC units – replace the original classroom ventilation units, many of which are over 50 years old, with enhanced ventilation, filtration and air conditioning units
3. Roof section replacement – Replacement of existing foam roof section with new built up roofing system

#### Lincoln Park Middle School

1. STEM lab upgrades – New power, furniture and equipment that will bring our STEM program to the forefront of middle school STEM programs
2. Replacement of HVAC units – replace the original classroom ventilation units, many of which are over 50 years old, with enhanced ventilation, filtration and air conditioning units
3. Front office/lobby renovations to maximize office space and improve security and efficiency
4. New rooftop air conditioning units to be added to the gymnasium and the APR
5. Roof section replacement – Replacement of existing foam roof section with new built up roofing system
6. Window replacement – Half of the 5<sup>th</sup> grade wing had windows replaced approximately ten years ago, but budget constraints prevented the rest of the wing from being replaced
7. Boiler System Replacement - Replace two of the four boilers

Here is the link to ask any questions that you may have: [Ask questions through this link.](#)

Sincerely,

Michael Meyer