

December 7 **Parent Update**

Lux families,

We have enjoyed some warm temperatures this fall, but as we close out the year and begin a new one, there will be colder days. Please encourage your students to dress appropriately as we will be outside the building as much as possible before school, during recess and for mask breaks.

Also, a reminder about door access in the mornings: Door #1 (the main entrance by the flagpole) is the ONLY door unlocked prior to 7:50am. If students need to enter the building before 7:50, they must enter Door #1 and wait in the foyer area. Students arriving for breakfast will be allowed into the cafeteria at 7:30. All other students waiting in the foyer will be allowed down the hallway at 7:50 when other doors unlock. All doors will lock again at 8:00, except Door #1. Anyone wishing to enter Lux after 8:00 must use Door #1 and check in with our Secured Entrance Monitor.

Here is more important information for the coming weeks:

Tutoring

East High School students will be offering virtual tutoring with Lux students every Wednesday from 3:05-3:45pm. We would like to try this out over the next few weeks before break so that we can really get it rolling for 2nd semester. We will have approximately 15 East High students available via Zoom every Wednesday to offer tutoring in all subjects. If you would like your student to participate in the tutoring please send Caroline Seymour, cseymou@lps.org, an email with you student's name, grade level, subject area they would like to be tutored in, and the date they will be attending.

Girls Basketball resumes

Girls Basketball starts again WEDNESDAY (December 9)!! Please check google classroom for updates.

Lincoln High IB Academy Day

Lincoln High's 2020 IB Academy Day for middle school students in grades 6-8, is scheduled for **Saturday, December 12**, from 9-11 AM. This year our event will be 100% virtual, but we believe we have created an informational session that should give students and parents a better understanding of this outstanding LPS High School program. A link to our [informational flyer can be found here](#). Students or parents interested in attending should use [this registration form](#). By using the registration form you will receive a Zoom link to the program as well as information updates related to our program and event. Additionally, by completing the registration form you will ensure that you will receive a reminder note with the Zoom link the day prior to the event.

Pass/Fail (Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory) Grade

Students taking High School classes (including 8th grade world language and/or Algebra or higher-level math) have until December 22, 2020, to choose to receive S/U grading. There will not be a limit on the number of courses a student can elect S/U grading for the first semester of the 20-21 school year.

- *The LPS Board Regulation regarding Honor Roll qualification still applies: Students with a 3.5 or higher weighted GPA on the previous semester's coursework, including at least 30 graded credits (not included S/U) in a block school and 25 graded credits (not included S/U) in a non-block school are eligible for the Honor Roll.*
- *NCAA qualification still applies.* <http://www.ncaa.org/student-athletes/future/academic-standards-initial-eligibility>
- *NSAA qualification still applies.* <https://nsaa-static.s3.amazonaws.com/textfile/yb/2020-21ConstitutionAndBylaws.pdf>

Students may request S/U by using one of the following forms:

1. [THIS](#) is a fillable PDF and has an electronic signature component. You will need to download the form before you can complete it.
2. [THIS](#) is a hard copy version you can print, fill out and return to your student's counselor.

Library Information

- Please check for any library books that students may have and get them returned to the library.
- Please also check for any extra Chromebook charging cords. Each student should have one, if you find any extras please return them to the Lux Library.
- Reminder that the Lux Library is open everyday at 7:15 AM for students.

Remote/In-person learning

Remember, if you would like to change the status of your student's learning from in-person to remote OR remote to in-person, call the Lux Registrar at 402-436-1220 or email at amabry@lps.org.

LPS Help Desk is available

Is your student having trouble connecting to their classes? The LPS Help Desk is available to help! Call 402-436-1735 between 7:00am-4:30pm [Monday-Friday](#).

Boosters

For all the latest Booster news, meeting times, fundraising and other activities, check out the Booster [website](#) and facebook page.

Important Links

[Lux Website](#)

[Lux Bell/Lunch and X/Y schedule](#)

[Lux-specific Pandemic Procedures](#)

[LPS Pandemic Procedures](#)

[LPS Zoom instructions for students](#)

UPCOMING DATES

- WEDNESDAY - Tutoring begins, Girls Basketball resumes
- December 12 - IB Academy Day
- December 15 - PLC Day, Lux will dismiss at 1:40pm
- December 22 - Last day of first semester, Last day to opt for S/U grade in high school credit classes
- December 23-January 4 - Winter Break
- January 5 - First day of second semester