



WELCOME



Welcome to Parent Info Night!

**Please make sure you signed
in by the door.**



Ms. Entwistle

4th Grade

Lincoln School





FAVORITES:

- Chicken Strips
- Chocolate
- Color- Blue
- Music-Country
- Store-Marshalls
- Flower-Daisy



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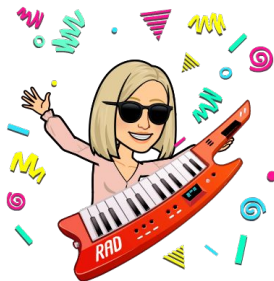
ABOUT ME:

I graduated from ELU and am on my 8th year teaching here at Lincoln. I grew up in Spring Valley, IL and am very close with my family. I currently live in LaSalle with my dog, Tux, and I like to read during my free time.

P.E. - The kids have P.E. every day during the week at 9:15. If they don't come to school with safe shoes to run in, they will need a spare set in their locker to change into. Mrs. Urnikis is their P.E. teacher and you can contact her on Class Dojo. She is connected to our Class Dojo, so she might share announcements on there with you.



Music - We have a new music teacher this year and her name is Ms. Manuk. The students will be seeing her twice a week.



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Learn more about the different curriculum programs we will be utilizing this school year.

READING/ELA

We cover a new story from our *Journeys* Reading book each week. Throughout the week, we cover new story vocabulary, the comprehension skill, fluency practice, additional vocabulary skills, etc. These skills will be checked with a weekly test on Friday, which will probably be done through Google Classroom.

A.R. Points: Your child will be expected to read at least 4 chapter books each trimester and complete a book report with each one.

MATH

We will still be using our IReady curriculum.

Work will be done in class. The only homework for math will be practicing their multiplication cards.

SCIENCE/SOCIAL STUDIES

We have a new Science series this year that we will be experimenting with.

S.S. is also newer this year. It's a program called TCI and it's also online. We will use it along with paper handouts.



Spelling: Typically, we cover a new Spelling list each week. The words can be found in the *Journeys* Practice Book or on the paper copy of the list I send home with them each Monday. Students will have an activity to do as homework each night to make sure they're practicing.

*Tests are on Friday



Writing

Handwriting: We have a D'Nealian workbook to practice proper formation of cursive letters and transitions from one letter to another.

Writing: In 4th grade we work on writing narrative, expository, and persuasive pieces of writing throughout the year.

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Student Planners

Your child received a planner that we will fill out each day with anything I want them to do at home after school.

****Please be checking it daily and signing it so I know you saw it. They get rewarded if it comes back signed!**

Here are some important procedures items to keep in mind as we move through the school year!

*Work will either be done on paper or on Google Classroom. Their Google login is at the front of their student planner if you want to access it at home to see their graded work. TeacherEase will still keep you updated on their grades.

*If work is over three days late, it will be a zero in the gradebook.



We will be using the following websites and apps as part of our learning this year. You should be able to access these easily through clever.com.



Google Classroom

Prodigy-Login is in student planner

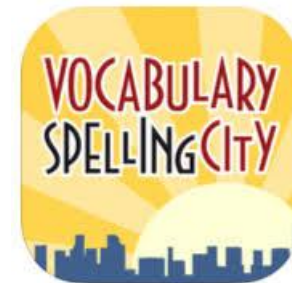
ReadWorks-Login with Google Account

SpellingCity - Search teachers name and find list

Math IReady- Login with Google



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- Fill out the “About Your Child” sheet and return if you haven’t already.
- Please join ClassDojo if you have not as well. Contact me if you need help with this.



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Our students' safety is our number one priority this school year. Please review the following safety guidelines.



- *Kids coming to school need to be wearing their masks, which also should be cleaned frequently.
- *Students coming to school can bring their own sanitizer if they wish, but we do supply them with it.
- *If your child is not feeling well even in the slightest, please keep them home.
- *Water bottles are encouraged since we can't share drinking fountains.

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Behavior

Warnings:

I have a clipboard in the classroom that also goes with the kids to their Specials. It has numbers 1-9 next to their name. I mark a number off when I have to correct behavior repeatedly.

3 warnings = walking at recess

6 warnings = phone call home

9 warnings = Mr. Balestri's office



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Bulldog Bucks

We are back to using Bulldog Bucks this year!

Students earn them for good behavior and can spend them on different prizes at the end of each month.



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ClassDojo:

Even though we won't be using ClassDojo for behavior points this year, it is the best way to contact me and the first way I will try to contact you.

It's also where you will see announcements and reminders from me about events going on.

Remote Learners

- Students should only be remote this year if they end up having to quarantine. They would get sent their work through Google Classroom/Paper copies and attendance would be counted if they are completing it.



Remote

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