I would like to thank everyone for their patience and understanding as we began our school year. Like every year, it takes a few days to get things running smoothly. After a few days, our drop-off and pick-up procedures seem to be improving every day. Students are becoming more accustomed to getting back in a routine of being at school all day. Teachers are establishing relationships with their students, along with getting to know their students’ academic strengths and areas for improvement. On a safety note, we have held numerous drills (bus evacuation, fire, severe weather, and lockdown) to help better prepare our students in case of an emergency.

PTO
Lincoln Elementary PTO is always looking for additional support when it comes to members and volunteers. They meet on the first Tuesday of every month at 6pm in the Lincoln Elementary School Library. This month’s meeting will be on September 6th.

Sept. 16th Early Dismissal Day - School Improvement
Car Riders Dismissed - 12:25
Bus Riders Dismissed - 12:30
Walkers Dismissed - 12:40
For students who normally ride the Crossing bus after school or attend the after-school YMCA program, those will not occur on Early Dismissals. Please make sure there is a plan in place for these students and that our school staff know in advance. Your assistance with this is greatly appreciated.

Reminders:
• Breakfast & Lunch will be free for all Lincoln Elementary Students
• Main Office hours 7:30-3:30
• Please call the office before 1:30 with any after-school transportation changes.
• School begins at 8am. Anyone who arrives after that will be considered tardy unless they have an excuse from medical personnel.

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Establish a Culture for Literacy
Any parent wanting to impact their child’s education I have one simple suggestion: Reading at home
Whether it is an adult reading to a child, a child reading to an adult, or a child reading independently. The more opportunities we can provide where books are in our students’ hands, the better!

IMPORTANT DATES:

Monday, Sept. 5th
NO SCHOOL – Labor Day

Friday, Sept. 9th
Football Day – Wear something football related to school

Friday, Sept. 16th
Early Dismissal – SIP Day
Bomber Pride Day – wear orange/black

Friday, Sept. 23rd
Wear crazy socks to school

Friday, Sept. 30th
School Pictures

Family Fun Night
Thursday, September 8th 5-7pm
Outside at Lincoln Elementary School Field
(rain date Sept. 15th)

Macomb Pride...It is a Great Day to be a Bomber!