



ARCHWAY CLASSICAL ACADEMY | LINCOLN

A Great Hearts Academy

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Dear Parents,

We have finished our first week of school and are excited to continue the good work of cultivating the hearts and minds of our students through the pursuit of goodness and beauty.

Our commitment to you is to foster conversation and community through rooted relationship and friendship.

I would love to invite you to join us for the next event in our "Parent Positive Series" led by Mrs. Barksdale, one of our fifth grade lead teachers, on January 17th from 8:15 a.m. to 9:15 a.m. As a school, we are aware that solving word problems is an area in which our students need improvement. We have received a lot of feedback that parents are interested in learning how to provide support for their children in this area. Singapore uses bar models as a strategy for visualizing and solving word problems in math. Mrs. Barksdale's training will include: What bar models are, why we use bar models, types of bar models, and step-by-step instructions on how to solve word problems using different types of bar models. In addition to this, she will model and create opportunities for practice. Please, do not miss this wonderful opportunity to learn and engage in a beautiful conversation with members of our community. I look forward to seeing everyone there. Here are the updates for the upcoming week.

Fingerprinting Event

Lincoln Prep will be sponsoring a Fingerprinting Event on Wednesday, January 24th from 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. We kindly ask for a \$20 Donation fee for Fingerprinting processing. You may pay the \$20 donation on our [website](#).

Class Picture Day

Class picture day is on Thursday, January 25th. Information will be sent home early next week.

Office and School Hours

Normal School Office Hours:

7:30 a.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Daily School Hours:

Drop-off

7:45-8:05 a.m.

Entrance after 8:05 is considered tardy as students need time to prepare for instruction. Instruction begins promptly at 8:10 a.m.

Dismissal

K - 5 M, T, Th, F: 3:10 p.m.

Pick-up ends at 3:40. Parents picking up after pick-up ends will incur a charge of \$2 per minute for child-care.

Wednesday Dismissal K-5 (including Half-Day Kinder): 12:30 p.m.

Pick-up ends at 12:50. Parents picking up after pick-up ends will incur a charge from Athenaeum of \$2 per minute for child-care.

Half-Day Kindergarten Dismissal M, T, Th, F: 12:00 noon

Pick-up ends at 12:15. Parents picking up after dismissal ends will incur a charge from Athenaeum of \$2 per minute for child-care.

From the PSO

We STILL Need YOU to Volunteer

Our Lunch Program and Library Program are run 100% by volunteers. We are in DESPERATE need of volunteers in both areas for January. You must be fingerprinted to volunteer. Please consider helping in one of these areas this month to help PSO and our students.

You can view the [library sign up](#) or [lunchroom sign up](#).

January Parent Positive: Bar Models with Mrs. Barksdale

Join us Wednesday, January 17th at 8:15 a.m. to hear Mrs. Barksdale talk about why we use bar models in math, including a workshop on how to draw and use them, and pointers on how best to help your students.

She will teach parents step-by-step, giving time for practice, demonstrating problems that get progressively more difficult, just as the problems our children do get more challenging as they go from 2nd through 5th grade.

Please note that NO CHILDCARE will be available at this event and no registration is required.

Events Planning Meeting

The Events Committee will meet next Wednesday to continue planning the Daddy Daughter Dance! Please join us if you would like to help with this event!

We'll meet at 8:15 - 9:15 a.m. on Wednesday, January 17th IN THE FRONT OFFICE to look at the gym and floor plan.

Come be a part of this amazing evening!

January Birthday Book Club on 1/18

BBC is on Thursday, January 18th. If your child has a January birthday, we'd love to have you join us! Please note the following start times:

- K-2 will celebrate at 2:30 p.m.

- 3-5 will celebrate at 2:45 p.m.

You can pay for a book on the behalf of your child by clicking [here](#).

If you wish to volunteer for the celebration, sign up [here](#).

Current Volunteer Opportunities

Please consider helping in the lunch room or library. We have many spots still open and we can't run these programs without volunteers! You can see all the volunteer opportunities currently available on our [Volunteer page](#).

Important Dates

- Jan 8 - Science Fair Registration Opens
- Jan 17 - Parent Positive: Bar Models, 8:15 a.m. in MPR
- Jan 17 - Events Team Meeting
- Jan 18 - January BBC, K-2 at 2:30, 3-5 at 2:45
- Feb 16-18 - Great Books Foundation SW Council

M/T/Th/F Office Hours 7:30 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. | W Office Hours 7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

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