

The Lincoln Tiger Times

October 14, 2019 – October 18, 2019

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Mission

It is our mission to graduate students through a supportive and challenging academic environment, allowing students to explore possibilities, take risks and learn how to be successful in college and career.

Vision

It is our vision at Lincoln High School to empower students to become articulate, thoughtful and creative problem solvers and active contributors in their communities.



WASC Critical Learner Needs

1. Aligning tasks to grade level standards.
2. Effectively communicating the purpose of the lesson.
3. Increasing active student engagement to be monitored by classroom observations.

October is College Awareness Month!

This summary of the original article appeared in the Marshall Memo 805 dated September 30, 2019.

Which College Majors Earn the Most Over Time?

In this New York Times article, David Deming (Kennedy School at Harvard University) reports that computer science and engineering majors earn an average of \$61,744 right out of college, compared to \$45,032 for history and social science majors. But liberal-arts majors who graduated twenty years ago now average \$131,154 annual income in careers like business, law, and management, compared to \$124,458 for STEM majors. The story was slightly different for women: applied STEM graduates make 50 percent more than liberal-arts majors right out of college and 10 percent more by age 38-40. What's going on here?

First, technical skills that are "hot" today can become obsolete as technology evolves. "Skill obsolescence and increased competition from younger graduates work together to lower the earnings advantage for STEM degree-holders as they age," says Deming.

Second, at its best, a liberal-arts education prepares young people with "soft" skills like problem-solving, critical thinking, collaboration, and adaptability that may not land a high-paying first job, but pay off over time in a wide variety of careers.

"To be clear," Deming concludes, "I am not suggesting that students should avoid majoring in STEM fields. STEM graduates still tend to have high earnings throughout their careers, and most colleges require all students – including STEM majors – to take liberal-arts courses. But I do think we should be wary of the impulse to make college curriculums ever more technical and career focused. Rapid technological change makes the case for breadth even stronger. A four-year college degree should prepare students for the next 40 years of working life, and for a future that none of us can imagine."

"In the Salary Race, Engineers Spring but English Majors Endure" by David Deming in The New York Times, September 20, 2019, <https://nyti.ms/2krRGgR>; Deming can be reached at david_deming@harvard.edu.

LAUSD Teaching and Learning Framework

Over the next few weeks we will focus on Standard 3: Delivery of Instruction, Element 3c2 Purposeful and Productive Instructional Groups

Purposeful instructional groups can be a powerful tool. In the **Educational Leadership** article “*Making Group Work Productive,*” Dough Fisher and Nancy Frey assert that productive group work occurs when students have developed the content knowledge and skills necessary to complete tasks in a group setting. Groups can also be used to provide targeted and strategic instruction to students who may need an extra scoop of support. As you prepare your lessons over the next few weeks, consider the following questions:

- What are the prerequisite skills that my students need to be productive group members?
- What types of assignments and tasks are most appropriate for a group setting?
- What are some ways that I can use instructional groups to provide targeted supports to students who need it most?

Quote of the Week

“Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world” – Nelson Mandela

Monday 10/14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Odd Periods • Book Fair • Recruitment Visit- Glen Alta Elementary School • Go East LA Kick Off 9:50-11:00 a.m. Auditorium • School Site Council 3:30 p.m.
Tuesday 10/15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Even Periods • Book Fair • SWPBIS and Crisis Team Meeting 8:30-10:00 a.m. • Conference Period Meeting- Testing • PD: WASC 1:45 p.m.
Wednesday 10/16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Odd Periods • PSAT School Day (Special Bell Schedule) • Book Fair • ELAC Health 11 Class 3:15-6:50 p.m.
Thursday 10/17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Even Periods • College Gear Day- Represent your college or university! • Book Fair • SSPT 9:45 -11:00 a.m. • The Great Shake Out 10:15 a.m. • Parent Conference Night 5:00-7:00 p.m. • ELAC Political Science 1 Class 3:15-7:05 p.m.
Friday 10/18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Odd Periods • Book Fair • Minimum Day- 12:30 p.m. Dismissal • Lincoln Gear Day- Tiger Pride! • Mini College Fair • Homecoming Game 7:00 p.m.
Saturday 10/19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homecoming Dance

Important Information

Conference Period Meeting Tuesday, October 15

On Tuesday, October 15, 2019 we are asking that all teachers attend a brief meeting to review the security requirements for administering the Interim Assessments. We want to make sure that all teachers have clearance to administer and score the Interim Assessments, even if you teach a subject that is not required to take the IABs. Make sure that you have a fully charged laptop. Please see Ms. Hailey if you have any questions.

Lincoln HS Vision and Mission Statements

Our vision represents our goal as a school community. It makes our aspirations for our students public. The mission statement outlines how we plan to achieve our goal. It is important that our work embodies the vision and mission that we have established for our school. Please make sure that you have updated copies of the vision and mission posted in your classroom. We are also asking that you include the vision and mission statement in your LAUSD email signature and on the syllabus for your course.

Athletic Events

Date	Day	Sport	Time	Opponent	Site
10/14	Monday	Girls Volleyball	2:30/4:00	Wilson	Wilson
10/17	Thursday	Girls Volleyball	2:30/4:00	Sotomayor	Sotomayor
10/17	Thursday	Cross Country	2:30/4:00	Sotomayor	LA State Historic Park
10/18	Friday	JV Football	4:00	Wilson	Home
10/18	Friday	Varsity Football	7:00	Wilson	Home

Looking Ahead

Event	Date/Time
IAB ELA	October 21-November 1
IAB Math	November 4- November 15
Suicide Prevention and Awareness Training Due	October 31, 2019

Tiger Pride!