Greetings Lincoln Heights Family,

Happy First Day of Spring! Hope you had an opportunity to enjoy the spring weather this weekend. It looks like a perfect spring week coming up. One day of rain isn't too bad. I only have a few announcements this week, please take a moment to review. Let's make it a great week.

Announcements and updates for the week:

School Updates:

3rd **Quarter Ending:** The 3rd quarter ends on Friday, March 25th. It is hard to believe we are ¾ of the way through the school year. Report cards will go home on Friday, April 1st. If you have not had a conference with your child's teacher, please schedule those now.

3-5 End of Grade Test (EOGs): End of Grade test will begin May 27th and go till June 6th. If you have a 3rd-5th Grader, please plan accordingly. We are aware this falls around the Memorial Day holiday, unfortunately due to the state mandated testing window we have no other choice but to begin on May 27th. Historically, students do best when they take the test on the first opportunity, rather than on a makeup day.

Lost and Found- It seems like some of you were not able to open the pictures from last week, while others could. We will post a series of pictures to our Twitter feed on Monday, please be on the lookout for them. On March 31st any remaining items will be donated to the Guardian Angel.

COVID Testing Continues: Our testing will occur on Wednesday's between 11:45-12:45.

Register now. >

Thank you for helping to keep our school community safe and healthy.

HEALTH AND SAFETY UPDATES (For any illness)

<u>Safe Return to School Plan</u> to ensure the health and safety of all our students, staff, and school community. Review <u>When to Return</u> information in the event you experience **any <u>illness</u>, <u>diagnosis</u>, or <u>exposure</u>.**

PTA Updates:

Fancy Dance: The Fancy Dance is coming April 1st, yes April Fools day for 5-7pm. This will be an outdoor event (weather permitting). Also, parents/guardians are expected to attend with their student(s). It is not a drop off event. Please complete this <u>survey</u> to provide them with information for planning purposes (if you haven't already).

4th **Quarter Carpool VIP Raffle**: The Raffle has kicked off for VIP parking for afternoon carpool. No need to wait in carpool, <u>enter</u> to win VIP parking.

Join the LHECMES PTA!: The LHECMES PTA is accepting new members. Please consider joining.

Educationally,

Scott Gaitan, Principal