

Abbott Middle School Warrior Weekly

Sunday, November 13, 2022



Principal's Message

Good evening, Abbott families, friends, and staff members!

I hope this message finds you all well. Believe it or not, there are only six short weeks left in first semester. Please log into Infinite Campus this week with your student to view your child's in progress grades. If students are missing assignments or need to make up or retake a summative assessment now is the time for students to reach out to their teachers to take advantage of these

opportunities. Please continue reading this newsletter for information about our learning labs, MAPS testing, and information for our rising high school freshman.

Sincerely,
Principal Zugel

Learning Labs Have Started

For the last two weeks, our support staff team, our counselors and social workers, have started running learning labs twice a week during lunch periods. During learning lab time, students have the opportunity to complete missing assignments or summative work for their classes. Students are given a letter letting them know what missing work they still to complete so that they are able to use their time wisely during learning lab time. When students finish eating their lunch, they are able to go to the learning lab. While this is voluntary, we hope that our students take advantage of this opportunity and resource time. Please speak to you child about making use of this time, so that they are academically successful! As a parent, you can log into Infinite Campus to see if your students have any missing work or zeros for their summative assignments or tests. Please email your child's teachers if you have any questions about their grades. Teacher emails can be found on our Abbott website: www.u-46.org/abbott.

MAPS Testing

7th and 8th graders at Abbott will MAPS test when we return from Fall Break during the winter testing window. MAP is a test that adapts to your child's ability level. As students respond correctly, the questions become more difficult, and students will receive easier questions when answers are incorrect. The objective of this assessment is not to get all of the questions correct; the test is actually designed for students to get 50% of questions correct. While your child is responding, the test is determining their instructional level. This is important information for the teacher and your child. Knowing what your child already knows, as well as what they are ready to learn is an essential part of the learning process; an authentic test experience from your child will provide that for all of us. Abbott students will take the MAP Test on November 29th and 30th with makeups occurring on December 1st and 2nd.

Attention 8th Grade Parents of Rising Freshman

Information meetings/open house will be held at the high schools for parents about registering their children for high school. Please see the flyers below for information.

Larkin High School

invites our rising freshman families to our **Parent Night** about:



Course Selection for 2022-23

THIS EVENT HIGHLIGHTS THE GENERAL REGISTRATION PROCESS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 2022-23 AND SHOWCASE OUR ELECTIVES. THIS EVENT WILL BE IN-PERSON ON DECEMBER 1ST FROM 6:30-7:30PM AT LARKIN HIGH SCHOOL.

At this event, parents will:

- ★ Meet our Principal, Associate Principal, Assistant Principal of Freshman Success and our School Counselors.
- ★ Understand the registration process for the school year 2022-23.
- ★ Receive an overview of High School Graduation Courses.
- ★ Understand the typical freshman schedule.
- ★ Learn the expectations for the course selection process in middle school.
- ★ Explore elective courses that students can choose based on their interest.

How do I participate?

Parents will park in the front of the building by the flagpole. Please enter Larkin High School through Door 42 and proceed to the Auditorium.

We will start with a brief presentation in the Auditorium at 6:30pm on December 1st. After that, parents will head to the Commons where they can explore the different course options their students can enroll in for the upcoming school year.



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La Escuela Secundaria de Larkin

invita a nuestros padres entrantes de primer año a nuestra **Noche de Padres** acerca:



Selección de Cursos para el año 22-23

ESTE EVENTO DESTACA EL PROCESO DE REGISTRO GENERAL PARA EL AÑO ESCOLAR 2022-23 Y MOSTRARA LOS CURSOS DE ELECTIVOS. ESTE EVENTO SERA EN PERSONA EL DIA DE DICIEMBRE DE 6:30-7:30PM EN LA ESCUELA SUPERIOR DE LARKIN.

En este evento, los padres podrán:

- Conocer a nuestro director, director asociado, subdirector de primer año y nuestros consejeros.
- Comprender el proceso general de inscripción para el año escolar 2022-23.
- Entender los cursos generales de graduación de la escuela secundaria.
- Comprender el horario típico de un estudiante de noveno grado.
- Conocer las expectativas del proceso de selección de cursos para este año en su escuela intermedia.
- Explorar las electivas que los estudiantes pueden elegir de acuerdo a su interés.

¿Cómo puede participar?

Los padres estacionaran en frente del edificio y entrarán a la Escuela Superior de Larkin a través de la puerta 42 y procederán al auditorio.

Comenzaremos la presentación en el auditorio a las 6:30pm el 1ero de diciembre. Después, padres serán dirigidos al comedor en donde explorarán las diferentes opciones de cursos que podrán elegir para el siguiente año escolar.



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Welcome Class of 2027!







OUR HIGH SCHOOLS

Join at the school you plan on attending:

- Bartlett High School (12/6) - 6:00pm
- Elgin High School (12/7) - 6:30pm
- Larkin High School (12/7) - 6:30pm
- South Elgin High School (12/8) - 5:00pm
- Streamwood High School (11/29) - 7:00pm

WHAT TO EXPECT

- Meet Administration, Staff & fellow students
- Learn about a typical high school schedule
- Receive an overview of the course selection process
- Learn about elective course options
- Preview activities & athletics

HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

Join us for an informative evening to learn more about your future high school. Graduation requirements, expectations, course selection and more.

NEW TO U-46?

[Click here](#) to learn more (scroll to the bottom) or contact the school you will attend to start the enrollment process.

Abbott Activities and Sports Calendar

Please visit our Abbott Website for this week's activities and events!

www.u-46.org/abbott

Upcoming Dates

- Nov. 23- U46 District Holiday- No classes
- Nov. 24, 25 Thanksgiving Recess - No classes
- Nov. 29 & 30-MAP Testing at Abbott
- Dec. 1-Thursday Night Out After School Activity
- Dec 16-Winter Dance
- Dec. 22- End of 1st semester
- Dec. 22 -Holiday Recess begins at close of school day



Christine Zugel

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