

LINCOLN HEIGHTS PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Course selection is just around the corner for our Grade 8 students. This letter is to outline the course selection process, so both you and your child know what to expect. We hope to make this as easy as possible, so please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Course Selection Process:

- 1) Students have already received the blue course selection pamphlet from BCI.
- 2) Teacher recommendations and course selection planning page will be sent home the week of February 8th 2016. Please use this page to discuss and plan with your child what elective courses they will be taking. Choosing electives should be based on their goals and the path they want to take through high school.
- 3) Return the teacher recommendations/planning page to your homeroom teacher.
- 4) The week of February 22nd, students will make their course selections in the computer lab. This is done through My Way (online portal). A print out of the course selections will be sent home for you to sign/approve.
- 5) Course selection is only open from February $20^{th} 26^{th}$ 2016. It is a time sensitive process!

Resources for more information on this process:

- 1) Grade 8-9 transition slide show (on Lincolns website) http://lnh.wrdsb.ca/
- 2) Grade 8- 9 transition guide (on Lincoln website) http://lnh.wrdsb.ca/files/2015/11/2015-2016-Transition-Guide.pdf
- 3) My Way Instructions http://wsh.wrdsb.ca/files/2015/01/MyWay-Grade-8-Student-Instructions.pdf

(My way instructions are also available on the Lincoln Website)

4) Please feel free to contact the school for further information.

Thanks,

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