* Parent/Teacher conferences held on October 25th were very well attended. 76% of our students were represented with a parent/guardian attending on the conference evening with additional conferences being held with teachers on other designated convenient times for parents. Our teachers worked diligently to plan for these important meetings and to ensure they met with every guardian.
* Professional Learning Day – November 6th – The LES teachers and staff collaborated in various groupings to review data, determine needs, set goals, and plan strategies to develop our new Comprehensive School Improvement Plan (CSIP). We utilized tools suggested by KDE, which included the Key Core Work Processes document/questions.
* LES Committee Work –Every certified staff member at LES serves on one of the following committees.
* PBIS Team – Under the leadership of Mr. Chenot and Mrs. Minser, this team continues to work to improve and enhance our PBIS structure at LES.
* Curriculum Team – The curriculum team is working with Mr. Wolf to implement our updated writing policy/plan.
* Instructional Strategies Team – Mrs. Dragan continues to work with the team on various initiatives including: peer observations, strategies implementation plans, etc.
* The PTC (Parent Teacher Committee) held a wonderful Fall Festival for our students and families in November and are currently finalizing plans for their December Holiday Family Night to be held on Friday, December 14th. This organization also continues to support school initiatives and the teachers of Lincoln through their volunteering and financial support. Most recently, they have also graciously agreed to serve as members on the 21st Century Grant Advisory Council.
* Extracurricular opportunities continue to be at a premium for our students at Lincoln. The following clubs are currently being offered for students: Wrestling Club, Chorus, Academic Team, Youth Basketball League, Student Council, Chess, STLP, Kind Hearts Club, and Robotics. Our Extracurricular Policy allows more of our students to attend tutoring, be a part of weekly *Contracts to Pass* meetings and grade checks, etc. while still being afforded the opportunity to participate in these important extracurricular activities.
* Student Goal Setting:
* Students in grades 2 – 6 are currently working toward meeting their 2nd quarter AR goals.
* Students will be setting goals for their upcoming CASE assessments set to begin the week of December 10th.
* MAP testing is set to begin in early January. Students will be setting their benchmark goals for this testing as well.