



THE GENERAL DISPATCH

DOUGLAS MACARTHUR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46227

www.perryschools.org/dm/

"BUILDING HEARTS AND MINDS"

"Engagement of Students is our Priority"

#WeGrowKids

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REMINDERS AND NOTES

Spring Picture Day-March 11th

Spring Break-March 17th—
March 28th

PHONE NUMBERS!!!!

MAIN NUMBER 789-2500

CAFETERIA 789-2545

ATTENDANCE 789-2502

TRANSPORTATION 789-6220

MACARTHUR NEWS



The 4th and 5th grade kids will be walking over to Perry Park for tennis during gym class after spring break (weather permitting). If you do not want your child to walk over please email or send a note signed by parent/ guardian to Miss Campbell! Thank you



Ability in Disability Awareness Week at DM starts next week.....

Each day of the week (March 10th - March 15th) will represent a different color which signifies an ability in specific diagnosed disability.

All shirts must be solid color polos please. Thank you.

We look forward to bringing awareness & support with a colorful week ahead:

Monday- Red for heart disease

Tuesday-Blue and Yellow for Down Syndrome

Wednesday-Purple for Epilepsy/ADD/ADHD

Thursday- Rainbow Colors for Autism

Friday-Green for Cerebral Palsy and Mental Health

2025-2026 Kindergarten Registration Information

Kindergarten registration will begin on January 6, 2025 for those students who will be entering Kindergarten in the Fall of 2025. The student must turn **5 years old on or before August 1, 2025** in order to register. There is a waiver process for children with a birthdate after August 1st up to August 15th. Contact the school for information. The Kindergarten Academy your student will attend is determined by your residence only and not where other siblings may be attending. To determine which Kindergarten Academy your child will attend, please go to the Perry Township website at perryschools.org. Go to the For Parents tab, click on Enrollment, and Boundary Map.

SOUTHSIDE INDY AQUATICS SWIM TEAM & SWIM LESSON EVALUATIONS

Come to Southport High School (Door 8) any time between 6-7 pm on Tuesday, April 1 or Thursday, April 3 for a quick evaluation in the water for summer swim lessons or swim team. Please have athletes bring a swim suit and towels, and goggles if they have them. Swim team practices begin Monday, April 7 and Swim Lessons begin Tuesday, April 8. Visit

www.southsideindyaquatics.com for more information or e-mail questions to lcox@southsideindyaquatics.com



2025 Dates

Registration ends	April 1 st
Coaches Meeting	April 13 th
Practice Start	April 15 th
Opening Day	April 26 th
Closing Day	June 21 st

DIVISION/AGE COST

Tee Ball	4-6	\$100
Rookie/Instructional	6-9	\$125
Minors	8-11	\$175
Majors	10-12	\$175
Juniors/Seniors	13-15	\$175



**Little
League**

www.southportlittleleague.com

Player divisions determined by age as well as skill level and team availability

Come out and enjoy a few months of baseball and fun! Each registration comes with jersey and hat, and all divisions, except Junior/Senior, comes with a Knothole Club membership for each player to attend Indianapolis Indians games.



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T-ball (4-6) & Coach Pitch (6-8) \$65—Minor Baseball Player/Coach Pitch (8-10) \$80



Major Baseball (10-12) \$80—Senior Baseball (12-16) \$100

Minor Softball Player/Coach Pitch (8-10) \$80

Major Softball (10-12) \$80



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A fourth grader finds fun in physics with her magnetic penguin pal.



An Instructor empowers a third grader to build creative problem-solving skills while designing her own claw machine.



A second grader gains confidence as he wires his transmitter and sends Morse code messages.

A TYPICAL DAY AT THE ALL-NEW 2025 CAMP INVENTION®

Give your child a summer experience that builds confidence, creativity and imagination! Campers team up with friends to explore open-ended STEM challenges led by qualified educators and guaranteed to be full of hands-on FUN!

A.M. BASE CAMP: Drop off your camper with qualified local educators who start each day with games that ignite creativity.



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Campers unleash nature-inspired creativity to make their own claw machines with unique prizes, then give a confidence-boosting pitch to hook investors!



PENGUIN LAUNCH™

Campers team up for an eco-expedition as they investigate Antarctica with a robotic assistant, then design launchers to propel plush penguins across snowy landscapes!

GAMES & LUNCH: Half the campers head outside to play action-packed games while the others eat lunch — and then they switch.



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Campers take the driver's seat on the ultimate road trip as they design a custom control panel and navigate their journey with help from GPS and AI tools!



ILLUSION WORKSHOP™

When they explore the science behind special effects, campers uncover optical illusions in movies, art and animation before building their own moving props!

P.M. BASE CAMP: The day wraps up as campers wind down with problem-solving games.

All images feature actual campers enjoying our new 2025 program.

SECURE YOUR SPOT TODAY!

Register at [INVENT.ORG/CAMP](https://invent.org/camp) or 800-968-4332

Grades: K - 6th

Location: Abraham Lincoln Elementary School
5241 Brehob Road, Indianapolis, IN 46217

Dates: June 16 - 20, 2025

Time & Cost: 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM | \$275 (before discount) | Less than \$9 per hour!

Sibling Discount (up to \$40 off per child!) and Payment Plans Available at [INVENT.ORG/CAMP](https://invent.org/camp)

Camp Director: Lindsay Compton | lcompton@perryschools.org

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