



The Links Scoop

Bringing you everything you need to know.

Meet the Team!

The Links Scoop is back! Our dedicated reporters are here to bring you the latest news from around the school! Meet our amazing reporters:



My name is Sophia Acosta. My favorite TV Show is Mira, Royal Detective. I love to eat mac and cheese. I'm really excited to go back to school. This year, I am learning from home. I dislike learning from home because I can't play games with my friends.

Hi, my name is Orlando Llera. I am 14 years old. My favorite food is pizza. What I like to do the most is play on the computer and swim in the pool. I am receiving classes online. The advantage of staying home is that classes start later, and I usually finish my activities earlier.



My name is Jackson Walker. My favorite game is Super Smash Bros. Ultimate. I'm learning from school. To be honest I'm happy and scared to be back in school, I'm happy to see my teachers and friends, but I'm scared to do homework again.

My name is Adrian Jacomino. My favorite book was "Dinosaurs." I like to use my laptop to create movies. I am learning from school this year. I feel happy because the school has a lot of new stuff like a bowling lane and an air hockey machine.



My name is David Guerra. I like playing video games. I also like playing basketball and football. I'm learning from school. I would rather learn from home because of the pandemic.

I am Andres Manzur. I love searching animals because it's fun for me to know about the animals. I love playing video games. I like going on trips and knowing about new places. This year I'm learning from home. I like learning from home because I'm comfortable in my room using my computer on my desk, and my mom helps me when I need it.



I am Angel Leon. I'm 14 years old. I like making videos on youtube. My favorite tv show is SpongeBob. My favorite food is pizza! I was learning from home, but now I'm learning from school. I liked learning from home because it was comfortable, but I missed learning with my teachers.

Staying Safe

By the Newspaper team

Coronavirus is a virus that makes people sick. People might get a fever, headache, cough, and stomachache. They might also get very sick and go to the hospital. It is important to stay safe during the coronavirus pandemic. There are many things you can do. Wear a mask when you go to the grocery store, restaurants, school, or to someone's house. Stay away from each other by keeping 6ft from one another. Wash your hands for 20-30; you can sing happy birthday two times in your head. Make sure to wipe surfaces down with Lysol or Clorox wipes. Staying home is the best way to stay safe.

Schools have had to take safety precautions, too. At Learning Links, all students, teachers, and staff must do a wellness check, take their temperature, and sanitize their hands before entering the building. UV wands are used to sanitize backpacks and clothes before coming in. Everyone wears a mask and keeps their distance from one another. The teachers give us hand sanitizer every hour or when changing classes. At P.E. we have to stand away from each other and Coach OD sanitizes all equipment using a disinfectant spray machine after each class leaves. For STRIDE and PACE who have multiple classes, the students stay in the classroom and the teachers move from class to class with their rolling carts. The teachers also have to step out to teach the virtual students. We are happy to be back in school but want to make sure we are staying safe. Teachers and staff get tested for covid-19 every couple of weeks. We are happy to report that on October 6th the entire Learning Links staff got tested again and everyone's results came back negative!

How to stay safe in school:

Wear a mask correctly.



Keep your distance from others.



Wipe your area.



Wash your hands or use hand sanitizer.



Stay home if you are feeling sick.



Links Sips n' Sweets Smoothies & Coffee

Sips N Sweets

By Adrian Jacomino and Angel Leon

The Smoothie Shop is new this year. Ms. Olga created the shop and said, "I wanted to open the Smoothie Shop so that the teachers and students can have a yummy treat and to give our young adults the opportunity to learn how to run a business." It is called Sips N Sweets Smoothie Bar. The shop is located in room #4 in Learning Links. The shop will be open for all teachers and students. They open at 10:30 a.m. and close at 12:00 p.m. All of the STEPS students take turns working in the shop. Onyx Oyola, Mr. John, and Daniella Puig make the smoothies. There are 3 flavors: BB smoothie, Berry Delicious, and Aloha to Summer. The smoothies have frozen fruit, honey, water, and milk. The smoothies cost \$5. Onyx Oyola says, we sell brownies, cookies, french vanilla or lemon cakes, and cinnamon bread. We are always adding new foods. The shop also sells soda and water.

Learning Links also has a coffee shop that is open everyday at 9:00 a.m. but they close at 10:30 a.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays and at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays. When you come to the coffeeshop, the cashier takes your order. All coffee is \$2. It usually takes 2 to 4 minutes to make the coffee. The coffee comes in flavored pods. They have cappuccino, mocha latte, caramel macchiato, espresso, hot chocolate, regular and breakfast blend. The coffee shop also sells sweets. Come visit our coffee shop right here at Learning Links School.

Labor Day

By Sophia Acosta

Labor Day is celebrated on the 1st Monday of September. Labor Day celebrates the American worker and how hard work has helped this country be great. It is a national federal holiday in the United States, and many people get the day off of work. Labor Day is often the last day that kids have off in the summer and many people treat the day like the last day of summer. They go swimming, to the beach, have barbecues, or take weekend trips.



Welcome Fall

By Sophia Acosta, Orlando Llera, and Andres Manzur

Fall is between September 22nd and December 21st. It is also known as autumn. The weather gets cooler and the trees tend to shed their leaves. There are many different kinds of food eaten during the fall. One student says she enjoys eating macaroni and cheese, turkey, and corn. Most people enjoy pumpkin pie, caramel apples, and pumpkin bread. They also enjoy hot chocolate, apple cider, and pumpkin spice latte. The food we eat in the fall tastes awesome!

There are also many holidays in the fall. The first federal holiday is Columbus Day. This celebrates the anniversary of Christopher Columbus's arrival in the Americas on October 12, 1492. On October 31st, we celebrate Halloween. On this day, the children will wear their costumes and they will go trick-or-treating. The next holiday will be Veteran's Day which is celebrated on November 11th. On this day, we honor those that have served in the Armed Forces from the United States. The last holiday we celebrate in fall is Thanksgiving which is celebrated on the fourth Thursday of November. The first Thanksgiving was celebrated in 1621 when the Native Americans shared a feast with the pilgrims. This year, we will celebrate Thanksgiving on November 26th.



By Jackson Walker

Ms. Tali

Q: What is your favorite hobby?
 A: Paint my nails
 Q: What's your favorite ice cream flavor?
 A: Chocolate
 Q: How do you feel about covid-19?
 A: Sad :(
 Q: Do you like smoothies?
 A: No!
 Q: What is your favorite drink?
 A: Water
 Q: What's your favorite animal?
 A: Dog
 Q: What is your thing to do in your free time?
 A: Take naps
 Q: What do you like to eat?
 A: Chicken nuggets
 Q: Do you like the beach?
 A: Yes
 Q: What do you like about Learning Links?
 A: The people I work with



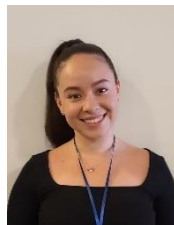
Mr. Kevin

Q: What is your favorite hobby?
 A: Gym
 Q: What's your favorite ice cream flavor?
 A: Chocolate chip cookie dough
 Q: How do you feel about covid-19?
 A: Mad >:(
 Q: Do you like smoothies?
 A: Yes
 Q: What is your favorite drink?
 A: Chocolate milk
 Q: What's your favorite animal?
 A: Shark
 Q: What is your thing to do in your free time?
 A: Listen to music
 Q: What do you like to eat?
 A: Burgers
 Q: Do you like the beach?
 A: Yes, I love it
 Q: What do you like about Learning Links?
 A: Fun to work at



Ms. Debbie

Q: What is your favorite hobby?
 A: Listening to music
 Q: What's your favorite ice cream flavor?
 A: Chocolate
 Q: How do you feel about covid-19?
 A: Ok :I
 Q: Do you like smoothies?
 A: Yes, I love smoothies
 Q: What is your favorite drink?
 A: Acai smoothie
 Q: What's your favorite animal?
 A: Panda or dog
 Q: What is your thing to do in your free time?
 A: Go shopping
 Q: What do you like to eat?
 A: Sushi
 Q: Do you like the beach?
 A: Yes
 Q: What do you like about Learning Links?
 A: Helping students



Mr. Gabriel


Q: What is your favorite hobby?
 A: Basketball
 Q: What's your favorite ice cream flavor?
 A: Chocolate
 Q: How do you feel about covid-19?
 A: Horrible
 Q: Do you like smoothies?
 A: Yes
 Q: What is your favorite drink?
 A: Water
 Q: What's your favorite animal?
 A: Lion
 Q: What is your thing to do in your free time?
 A: Be with my children
 Q: What do you like to eat?
 A: Steak
 Q: Do you like the beach?
 A: Yes, I do not go often
 Q: What do you like about Learning Links?
 A: Students and co-workers





10/1 Francesca Avila
 10/4 Bryana Ruiz
 10/7 Joshua Martinez
 10/11 Andrew Loayza
 10/17 Cristian Vergel
 10/17 Ogechi Ofoleta
 10/22 Brandon Morejon
 10/23 Marcel Morejon
 10/24 Adrian Rivero
 10/25 Michael Serrano
 10/28 Ms.Tali
 10/29 Ms.Lauren
 10/31 Reece Williams
 10/31 Brady Williams

WLLS NEWS

No matter whether you are in school or at home, tune in every morning by searching WLLS News on  YouTube to watch the latest news from Learning Links School.

Links Sips n' Sweets Smoothies & Coffee

The shop is open daily for students and teachers!

Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays
 9:00am – 12:00pm

Tuesdays and Thursdays
 9:00am – 10:00am and 10:30am – 12:00pm

They sell coffee, smoothies, water, soda, juice, and lots of delicious sweets!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

October 7 Miami Children’s Museum Virtual Field Trip
 Primary and Intermediate ONLY
 October 9 Hispanic Heritage Celebration
 October 12 - 23 Book Fair
 October 22 End of Grading Period
 October 23 No School – Teacher Planning Day
 October 26 Beginning of Grading period
 October 26-November 6 Parent Teacher Conferences
 October 29 Early Dismissal

- Primary and Intermediate 12pm
- STRIDE 12:15pm
- PACE and STEPS 12:30pm

October 29 Drive-by Trunk-or-Treat
 October 30 Last day to order school lunch for November
 October 31 Happy Halloween



Virtual Student Reminders:

Please remember you are logging in to class on time. All assignments are due on Sundays.



In-person Student Reminders:

Make sure to check communication folders daily. Please send any money or important papers in this folder as teachers are checking them daily.



Look out every Friday for our Farmer’s market. Our PACE and STEPS students will be out in carpool every Friday selling baked goods, lip balms, and candles. You may also place an order online our school website, your order will be ready for pick up in the afternoon.

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