## **Lincoln High School IB Admissions and Access Policy**

As an open-enrollment public school in the Portland School District, any student living within our neighborhood school boundaries may attend Lincoln High School. Moreover, we believe that IB can be a driver for equity and that all students can and should benefit from an IB education. To that end, Lincoln is in the process of expanding its long standing Diploma Program (DP) in 11th and 12th grades with the addition of the Middle Years Program in 9th and 10th grade. In the process, Lincoln will transition from a school with an IB program into an IB World School in which all students are IB students and all teachers are IB teachers. Already, all Lincoln students take at least three DP classes (IB Literature A SL, IB Literature A HL, or Language and Literature in 11th and 12th grades and IB Individuals and Societies in 11th grade) and many students take more DP classes with 89 full Diploma Candidates last year. With MYP, all 9th and 10th grade classes will be IB classes as well and, as a result, we anticipate all students engaging in more DP classes in 11th and 12th grades in larger numbers and with more confidence.

This policy is reviewed annually. The last review was 10/20/24.