

Lincoln's Hat
Grade Levels: 2-3

Students learn who President Lincoln was, where he came from and some of the beliefs and values of this famous president. Against the background of the book Abe Lincoln's Hat by Martha Brenner, they discover the attributes Lincoln possessed and how they helped him become a great leader. During the program, students roleplay, share their own experiences, and match Lincoln's life experiences to those needed to be a great president. Students also visit our Lincoln exhibit to view one of the president's iconic stovepipe hats.

Common Core State Standards Addressed:

Second Grade

- Speaking & Listening > Comprehension and Collaboration: 2.1, 2.1a, 2.1b, 2.2 & 2.4
Reading: Literature > Key Ideas and Details: 2.1, 2.3
> Integration of Knowledge and Ideas: 2.7

Third Grade

- Speaking & Listening > Comprehension and Collaboration: 3.1, 3.1b, 3.2 & 3.4
Reading: Literature > Key Ideas and Details: 3.1, 3.3
> Integration of Knowledge and Ideas: 3.7