

High Flying "CARDS"

C-Courteous

A-Accountable

R-Respectful

D-Determined

S-Safe

Cardinal Pledge

*As CARDS, we pledge
to be polite,*

*Treat each other the
way that's right.*

*Respect each other
everyday.*

*Safety first is the
cardinal way!!*



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Positive Behavior Intervention and Support (PBIS)



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What is PBIS?

- The North Carolina Positive Behavior Intervention and Support Initiative is part of the North Carolina State Improvement Program funded through IDEA.
- Positive Behavior Intervention and Support Programs are a way to impact the learning environments in the schools in order to support high student performance and to reduce behavioral problems.
- The North Carolina Positive Behavior Intervention and Support (PBIS) sites are working to integrate their Safe Schools Plans, Character Education efforts and strategies, and discipline efforts in order to make schools caring and safe communities for learning.
- The goal is to help educate all students, even students with challenging behaviors.
- PBIS is also an instructional approach that focuses on systematically teaching social behavior using effective instructional methodology.

PBIS Lessons

- At the beginning of the year all students are taught the behavior expectations and lessons are given throughout the year to remind students of these expectations.
- Students recite the Cardinal Pledge daily and receive character education through guidance lessons.
- Students are encouraged to reflect on their behavior and are provided consequences and additional behavior supports as needed on an individual basis.

High-Flying CARDS

At the end of each week, students are recognized as *High-Flying CARDS* for displaying appropriate behavior throughout our school setting. *High-Flying CARDS* will be presented with a special ticket. A student with 7 tickets at the end of each nine weeks will be invited to a Cardinal Carnival Celebration.

We encourage parents to speak with their children regarding school behavior expectations. In many cases, parents have chosen to incorporate these expectations into their standards for behavior at home. This is a great way to strengthen the school and home connection.

Cardinal Carnival

Face Painting

SNOW CONES

Ice Cream

COOKIE DECORATING

DANCE

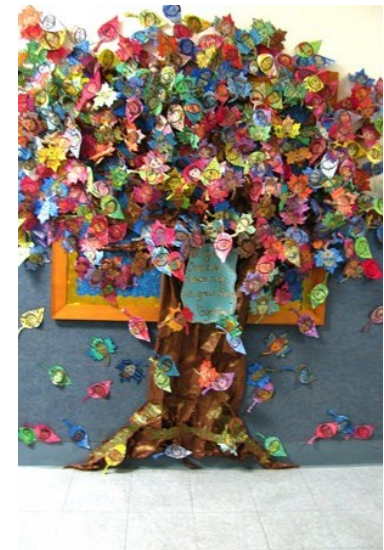
COTTON CANDY

Chalk

BUBBLES

CARDS for Character

A “CARDS for Character” ticket will be given to a student when they go above and beyond their normal behavior expectations. Staff will look for students showing CARDS character. Tickets will be turned into the office and students will be recognized on morning announcements and with weekly prizes. Student tickets will be added to our character tree bulletin board by the office.



CARDS for Character Tree