



Tri-City Elementary Behavioral Expectations

This year our school is promoting PAW PRIDE! We will be reinforcing "PAWS"itive behaviors throughout the school year with monthly reward parties for eligible students!

At Tri-City Elementary we expect:

P... Personal Best

A... Act Responsibly

W... Work as a Team

S... Show Respect

Our school-wide expectations are based on Respect. There are 3 categories: **Respect Ourselves, Respect Others and Respect Property.** Students will be instructed in what respect looks like across all settings of the school. We will explicitly teach these expectations to students and reward them frequently with positive comments, paw stickers and/or stamps for their great behavior. Students will be recognized through both individual and team level incentives for demonstrating our school expectations. Some examples of individual incentives may include: homework pass, fun Friday activities, paw stickers/stamps, lunch with a friend, and change of seat for a day.

In addition, we will be introducing **Character Education** in the classrooms. Teachers will be provided with resources to teach a specific character trait for each month. The monthly character education trait will be displayed on a bulletin board outside of the office.

A **Good Citizenship Activity** will be held monthly for those students who have displayed positive behaviors successfully 85% of days (positive behaviors maintained approximately 17 out of 20 school days on a regular month). We are tentatively scheduling this activity for the 1st Friday of every month. Students needing interventions may receive small group instruction at this time.

Consequences:

1. Verbal Warning (stay on green)
2. Loss of 10 minutes of recess (move to yellow)
3. Loss of entire recess (move to red)
4. Communication form sent home (lose stoplight)
5. Office referral (this may include lunch or after school detention, in-school suspension, out of school suspension, or expulsion.)

******For any extreme or harmful behaviors, students will be sent directly to the office.

