# What is Positive Behavior Intervention & Support (PBIS)?

PBIS is a different approach of handling behavior. In a school setting, it cannot be assumed that students know correct behaviors. Children come from different backgrounds and cultures that view behavior in their own unique ways. When a child misbehaves, the school views it as an opportunity to teach appropriate behaviors and reinforce schoolwide expectations and rules. Students are rewarded when they display expected behavior.

Although the focus is to reward positive behaviors, consequences are still given for repeated inappropriate behavior. These consequences may include:

- A warning
- Telephone Call Home
- Time Out
- Loss of Privilege
- Lunch Detention
- Counseling
- Afterschool Detention
- ISS/OSS Suspension

# How can parents help with Positive Behavior Intervention & Support?

Parents and guardians play a crucial role in the development of a child's behavior. Here are some suggestions you can use at home to help your child embrace PBIS:

- Be a good role model. Children often imitate behaviors they see at home.
- Talk to your child about his/her day.
- Keep communication between you and your child's teacher active throughout the year.
- Focus on the positive choices your child is making and celebrate them.



If you have questions or concerns regarding PBIS at Central Avenue Elementary School, you may call: (407) 343-7330.

# Positive Behavior Intervention & Support

Central Avenue

## Elementary School

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# Central Avenue Expectations

### **P**ositive

• Use appropriate language and actions

## **R**espectful

- Keep hands, feet, objects to yourself
- Use materials appropriately
- Treat others the way you would like to be treated

### **O**wners

- Represent your school in a positive way.
- Take responsibility for your actions

# **W**illing

• Give help where help is needed

#### **L**earners

- Be a positive model for others
- Be ready to take on challenges

#### **Bus Rules**

Positive	Use kind words
Respectful	Stay seated Follow directions
<b>O</b> WNERS	Collect personal belongings before exiting  Keep area clean and functional
WILLING	Enter the bus safely and quickly  Be patient waiting to exit
LEADERS	Sit in your seat, back to back, facing forward



#### Cafeteria Rules

Positive	Maintain appropriate voice level
	Use manners when interacting with Cafeteria staff
Respectful	Stay in assigned order
	Silent in the serving line
	Dispose of food properly
<b>O</b> WNERS	Patiently wait in line
	Clean up your area
WILLING	Work together to keep area clean before leaving
Leaders	Stay seated properly until dis- missed

#### Restroom

Positive	Use appropriate noise level
Respectful	Go quickly  Flush  Wash hands  Leave quietly and clean
<b>O</b> WNERS	Wash- messes made
WILLING	Go in the toilet Flush it away
LEADERS	Immediately notify staff member of concerns

#### Recess/Playground

Positive	Use kind words and appropriate voice levels
RESPECTFUL	Show good sportsmanship
<b>O</b> WNERS	Collect class equipment and personal belongings
WILLING	Be patient
Leaders	Include others who want to play

