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PBS

Brantley Bucks: Student reward system

Overall look: small dollar size. Brantley buck remain one color per quarter. At the end of each quarter Brantley bucks are no longer valid and the color changes for easy recognition. Each Brantley buck has a barcode on the back which corresponds to each teacher. This way when bucks are turned in for prizes we can cross reference if they have been reported stolen and who handed out the Brantley Buck

Who can use Brantley Bucks?

♦ Teachers
♦ Substitutes
♦ Bus Drivers
♦ Security
♦ Administrators
♦ Custodians

Purpose: To reward students for positive behavior by following one of the 3 R’s (Respect, Responsibility, and Ready to Learn)

♦ Respect Examples: assisting the teacher without asking, listening and following directions, being quiet and attentive, holding the door for someone in need
♦ Responsible Examples: Picking up trash in or around the school, turning in a lost item such as a cell phone, taking personal responsibility for ones actions.
♦ Ready to Learn: being punctual, having materials out when the bell rings, listening and following directions

The purpose of the Brantley bucks is not to reward academics but behavior achievements.

Brantley Buck Prizes:
A few times a quarter we have Brantley Buck drawings for prizes. Students take their bucks and enter them into any of the prize boxes to win big gifts.

Gift examples:

♦ Magic Tickets: donated from Fairwinds Credit Union and a couple other sources
♦ Disney Tickets: donated from a Disney employee
♦ V.I.P. lunch for the winning student and 3 of their friends- We order food from Chick Fa La, Firehouse subs...etc and serve them lunch with a nice table cloth and flowers
♦ 4 Prom tickets- donated from the senior class and 2 bought from the PBS money
♦ Parking passes
♦ Yearbook-
♦ Gym Uniforms
♦ Gift card of your choice

The Result: Students go out of their way to be nice to try and get Brantley Bucks. This reward system has dramatically lessened the amount of referrals.

Positive Referral: Student reward system

Overall Look: 3 copy referral

Purpose: Student gets called down to the administrator’s office for a positive contribution to our school.

Reward: Once a quarter the PBS committee has something planned for the students with positive referrals during that quarter. Reward Breakfast, Ice cream Party, Cake Party.

Result: Students that might not be recognized academically but are good citizens are rewarded.
**Teacher Drawings:**

**Buy-in:** In order for your students to buy into this program we must first get our teachers to buy into it. So we have quarterly drawing for prizes that our teachers can win. The names of teachers that turn in their Brantley Bucks are put into a drawing for gift cards and dinners.

**Reflection:** At the beginning of each semester teachers are given a writing prompt for the given “R” of the day. Students are expected to respond to the writing prompt. Then teachers are required to hold a class discussion and reflect on the prompt. Each teacher is held accountable for this activity by turning in samples of student writing to administration.