

# Bobcat Behavior Update

## Staff Ideas for Distributing Tickets

- \* Being prepared
- \* Cleaning up the room
- \* 4 – Catanzariti and DiGiulio give tickets for students taking pride in their work and being neat!
- \* Teaching another student a difficult concept
- \* Using time wisely
- \* Telling the teacher they didn't have their homework because they were irresponsible
- \* Quickly getting started on a "Do Now"
- \* Being on time
- \* Helping a fellow student catch up after being absent. In 3-Saunders/Schmidt said they give tickets out to students work with a student at recess on a rainy day
- \* Asking a student sitting alone to be a part of the group
- \* Sitting quietly while their teacher was on the phone
- \* For finding out assignments on their own when they were absent and turning the assignment in on time
- \* For raising their hand
- \* Working well in a group

## PBSIS Planning:

1. New incentive prize: winners can pick two friends from their grade level to have lunch with them at a special table – Pass it on!!
2. Thinking ahead for next year. What directions do we want to take? Any suggestions?
3. Why are our numbers down? Is it because the teachers' expectations are higher? Is it because of the tickets? Or a combination of both? Share your ideas!

Here is what one colleague said about recognizing expected student behavior:

*"Recognizing students for expected behaviors at the beginning of the class has improved student focus. My students are more motivated to start working and I make fewer corrective statements."*

## January Office Discipline Referrals

### Year to Date Total Referrals:

2005/2006: 142  
2004/2005: 207

### January Comparison

January 2006: 23 referrals  
January 2005: 35 referrals

### Top 4 locations for referrals:

- ◇ Bus = 12
- ◇ Classroom = 3
- ◇ Playground = 3
- ◇ Hallways = 3

### Top 3 times of day for referrals:

- ◇ AM Bus = 6 referrals
- ◇ PM Bus = 6 referrals
- ◇ 11:00-12:00 = 5 referrals

### Top 3 behaviors for referrals:

- ◇ Abusive/Inappropriate Interactions with Peers or staff = 15 referrals
- ◇ Unsafe behavior = 3 referrals
- ◇ Fighting /Physical Aggression = 2 referrals

## Cafeteria/Playground Aide Strategy

Donna Clark keeps a class list with her and checks off students names as she gives them a ticket. She tries to catch every student in her class doing something good so that every student receives at least one ticket a week.

Give a ticket out to the entire class if their floor area is clean!