

# Constructive Classroom Rewards:

## Be Active in Protecting our Students Health and Promote Good Habits!

Recess is a benefit for children's emotional, physical, and social well being.

Research has proven that if a child has time to rest, play, imagine, think, move, and socialize they will be more attentive and better able to perform their daily school task.

### SOCIAL REWARDS

- Attention, praise, or a simple thank you
- Simple gestures like pats on the shoulder, verbal praises(including in front of others), nods



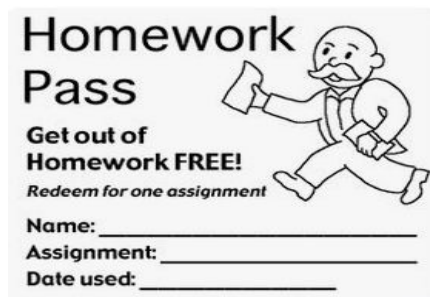
### RECOGNITION

- Trophy, plaque, ribbon, or certificate in recognition of achievement or a sticker with an affirming message
- Recognizing a child's achievement on the school-wide morning announcements and/or the school's website
- A phone call, email, or letter sent home to parents or guardians commending a child's accomplishment
- A photo recognition board in a prominent location in the school
- A note from a teacher to the student



### PRIVILEGES

- Going first
- Sitting by friends or in a special seat in the classroom
- Having extra time with a friend at recess
- Listening to a headset to an e-book
- Helping the teacher
- "No homework" pass
- Teaching the class
- Making deliveries to the office
- Designing a call or hall bulletin board
- Taking care of the class animal for a day
- Eating lunch with a teacher/principal
- Allowing a child to choose and extra recess activity for the class on birthday
- Reading the school-wide morning announcements



## REWARDS FOR CLASS

- A field trip
- A song, dance or performance by the teacher or students
- Free time at the end of the day
- Listening to music while working
- Dancing to music
- Extras art, music, PE or reading time
- Holding class outdoors
- Going to the lunchroom first
- Eating lunch outside
- Extra recess



## SCHOOL SUPPLIES

- MCS Pencils
- Pens
- Erasers
- Notepads/folder
- Box of crayons
- Rulers
- Glitter
- Pencil box
- Plastic scissors
- Markers
- Gift Certificate to school (classroom) store



## RECOGNITION

- Stickers
- Small dolls/actions figures
- Slinky, Silly putty
- Finger puppets, Stuffed animals
- Toy cars, trucks, helicopters or airplanes
- Puzzles
- Rubber balls
- Bubble fluid with wand
- Inflatable toys
- Capsules that become sponges of figurines when placed in water



## SMALLS SPORTS EQUIPMENT AND ATHLETIC GEAR

- Paddle Balls
- Frisbees
- Water bottles
- Hula Hoops
- Jump Rope



## ACCESSORIES OR FASHION WEAR

- Hair accessories(elastics, ribbons, or barrettes)
- Bracelets
- Sunglasses
- Eyeglasses with nose
- Hat
- MCS shirt or other t-shirt
- Head bands



## OTHER

- Books
- Key chains
- Cups
- Magnets
- Backscratchers
- Crazy straws
- A plant/seeds and pot for growing a plant
- Token or Point System
  - Gift certificate to bookstore or sporting goods store
  - Movie pass or rental gift card
  - Ticket to sporting event
  - Puzzle
  - Book
  - Magazine subscription
  - Board game
  - Step counter
  - Small sports equipment
- Reserved VIP Seat for Student with good behavior (<http://www.mrsbarnettfirstgrade.com>)







