Bus Expectations

- Be in control of yourself
- Follow directions from adults
- Secure belongings before exiting the bus
- Help others
- Listen to the bus driver
- Maintain personal space
- Use kind words
- Use quiet voices
- Wait your turn
- Sit on your bottom
- Face the front
- Stay in your seat

Rewards

When a student is caught displaying appropriate expectations, they are praised and rewarded with a "paws" itive ticket. Part of the ticket is brought home. The other part of the ticket is used to enter a weekly raffle for special incentives. Students also have the opportunity to earn class tickets, if the whole class is demonstrating our school expectations!



- 1. Expectations are displayed throughout the school.
- 2. Students, staff and parents are taught the expectations throughout the school year.
- 3. Students and staff are able to state the expectations.
- 4. Staff members model Positive Behavior expectations for students.
- 5. Students are rewarded for displaying appropriate behavior in school.

How Can Parents Help with Positive Behavior Support?

- Be a good role model. Children often imitate behaviors they see at home.
- Talk to your child about their school day.
- Ask your child about "Paws"itive tickets they have received.
- Keep communication between you and your child's teacher active throughout the school year.
- Focus on the positive choices your child is making.

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School Wide Positive Behavior Support

What is School Wide Positive Behavior Support?

Positive Behavior Support is a different way of handling discipline. 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 a skill deficit. Therefore, students are taught appropriate behaviors and expectations. Students are rewarded when they display expected behavior.

Consequences are still given for inappropriate behavior. These consequences may include:

- Conference with the student
- Warning issued
- Parent contacted
- Time in office
- Lunch in office
- Student/Teacher Conference
- Loss of privilege
- Out of school suspension

Mount Nittany Elementary **Expectations**

We Are...

- Responsible
- Respectful
- Safe



• We are....Ready to Learn

Classroom Expectations

- Be attentive
- Be on time
- Have supplies ready
- Follow directions first time given
- Use materials properly
- Accept responsibility for your actions
- Finish work on time
- Use your time wisely
- Clean up your work space
- Be honest
- Have a positive attitude
- Try your best
- Be organized
- Return homework on time
- Help others
- Listen to all adults and speakers
- Maintain personal space
- Raise your hand
- Use kind words
- Use quiet voices
- Be a good group member
- Wait your turn
- Walk where you need to go

Cafeteria Expectations

- Clean up after yourself
- Get supplies before sitting down
- Access and use utensils and condiments appropriately
- Follow cafeteria routines
- Follow directions from all adults
- Eat only your food
- Help others
- Maintain personal space
- Raise your hand
- Use good manners
- Use kind words
- Use quiet voices
- Walk where you need to go

Hallway Expectations

- Stay quiet in the hall
- Smile and wave to others
- Have adult approval to be in hallway
- Respect materials and displays in the hallway
- Move to destination without lingering
- Follow directions from adults
- Be in control of yourself
- Hang up belongings on hooks
- Walk in a single file line
- Stay to the right side of the hallway
- Follow directions from adults
- Listen to all adults

