

PBIS

Positive Behavior Intervention and Support Newsletter
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Focus



Our Shining Stars

Students were rewarded for their excellent behavior on October 9, 2009 by receiving a special visit from Ms. Bee Right. Ms Bee Right acknowledged all students for their continuous effort in showing leadership, being respectful, responsible and safe but gave special attention to those students who have 0 behavior referrals. These celebrations are to encourage students to use positive behaviors in order to create a safe, healthy, and fun learning environment.
Great Job Students!

Homework Help Websites

We were glad to see so many parents attend the Medgar Evers Open House. We enjoyed meeting you and are having a wonderful time working with your student(s) this year. We enjoyed reading your comments and suggestions. Some parents asked for websites that will help them assist their student(s) with their homework assignments. As a result, here are some fun and interactive homework help websites that you and your student(s) can visit!

Math Help

http://school.discoveryeducation.com/homeworkhelp/homework_help_home.html
<http://www.funbrain.com/>

Science Help

http://school.discoveryeducation.com/homeworkhelp/science/science_homework_help.html

English/Language Arts Help

http://school.discoveryeducation.com/homeworkhelp/english/english_homework_help.html
<http://www.spellingconnectionsonline.com/#>

Phonics Help

<http://www.starfall.com/>

Social Studies Help

http://school.discoveryeducation.com/homeworkhelp/socialstudies/social_studies_homework_help.html

Horseplay

is considered rough play that can easily be mistaken for or evolve into fighting and other forms of physical aggression that are highly discouraged at your school. At Medgar Evers, we take horse playing as serious as we would any other office managed behavior because we want to maintain the safety of all students. Horseplay can range from a student tapping another on the head or another part of the body, chasing in the hallways and bathrooms, or playfully tripping someone as they walk in the halls and classrooms. To be *respectful* and *safe* we encourage our students to maintain their own personal space and remember to adhere to the classroom, hallway, bathroom and lunchroom rules. Please talk with your student(s) about the seriousness of horseplay and support our efforts to maintain a safe learning environment.

Bee Trivia Questions for Parents

What are the Four Bees?

What are Bee Bucks and how can your student(s) earn them?

Please write your answers on a sheet of paper and return it to Ms. Summers **by Monday, October 26, 2009**

Medgar Evers Primary Academic Center • Marilyn Barnes, Principal • Anne Summers, Assistant Principal

Tip of the Month

Students: If you keep trying, eventually you will get it!

Parents and Teachers: Acknowledging the small changes will open your eyes to see the larger ones!

Parents Circle

Parents we invite you to attend and participate in the PBIS Universal Meetings, where we examine the behaviors of our students and make decisions on how to promote and acknowledge positive behavior. Mark your calendars!

October 28, 2009 – PBIS Meeting
(2:45 p.m. – 3:45p.m.)

October 30, 2009 – BEE Store
(1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.)