THIRD GRADE BEHAVIOR POLICY

Behavior is a priority for success! We have high expectations and look forward to ensuring each student reaches their full potential. It is our goal that each student will gain heightened academic knowledge as well as important life skills and attributes through a safe and welcoming environment. We believe that effective discipline is most effective by looking at individual and whole class successes. This is a high-expectation, high praise, and high energy classroom. Below you will find a description of my behavior policy for this school year.

Individual Behavior Plan:

We believe in rewarding positive behavior, but when inappropriate behaviors persist, they will be addressed. Some examples of inappropriate behavior that might result in consequences are being disrespectful or disruptive, off task, breaking rules, and being unprepared. Possible consequences include verbal redirection or warning, loss of privileges (i.e. silent lunch, computer time, etc.), a natural consequence (i.e. A student did not complete a study guide, then the student may not do as well on the test.), a note or phone call home, change of location, conference with the teacher, reflection time/sheet, or a visit to the principal/assistant principal.

Whole Class Behavior Policy:

The entire class will have the opportunity to earn "brownie points" for class compliments from other teachers and administrators, lining up quietly, transitioning smoothly, getting a good report from a substitute, etc. Once the class earned a full tray of "Brownie points", the entire class will receive a reward! We hope that the whole class reward system makes your child aware that they are part of a community, and their individual behavior affects everyone.

School-Wide Expectations:

At Sara Collins Elementary, we will all focus on CARING about our school. We will show this by meeting our school-wide expectations using the letters, C - A - R - E. At Sara Collins we CARE about school-wide expectations!

- C Control yourself
- A Act appropriately
- R Respect yourself and others
- E Engage in learning