# Clip It! Preschool Behavior Chart

Our classroom uses a clip chart to monitor behavior. A clip chart is a tool that encourages students to have positive behavior as well as discouraging negative behavior.

Each student has a clip with his or her name on it. Everyone starts on **GREEN** at the beginning of each day, and clips can be moved up and down throughout the day based on behavior.

## **OUTSTANDING**

The outstanding student level is reserved for students that had above and beyond the expected behavior!

#### **GREAT JOB**

Students can move to GREAT JOB for continuing to display good behavior.

#### **GOOD DAY**

Students will move to GOOD DAY for showing that they are making the right behavior choices!

# **READY TO LEARN**

Every student will begin the day on the READY TO LEARN level. As the day goes on, clips can be moved up and down, based on behavior. This level is a good place to be!

## THINK ABOUT IT

A student will be moved to the THINK ABOUT IT level as a warning about his/her behavior, and a reminder to follow the rules.

# **TEACHER'S CHOICE**

Students that continue to display poor behavior can move down to the TEACHER'S CHOICE level. Here, the teacher can decide what action to take. 5 minutes out of recess or center time might be an appropriate choice.

## PARENT CONTACT

When a student moves to the PARENT CONTACT level, the teacher will notify parents via note or phone call. This is for repeatedly poor behavior. Immediate PARENT CONTACT is also for any physical attack on another student or teacher, defacing school property, unruly behavior, or anything the teacher deems inappropriate.