

Behavior Plan

Licking Heights West has implemented a school wide behavior system. This system works by allowing each student to take responsibility for his/her own behavior in the classroom. Everyone begins each day with a clip on green "Ready for learning". Students who forget to follow the rules will have their clip moved down to yellow, blue or red.

- A clip on Green means "Ready for learning!"
- A clip on Yellow means "Warning! Pay more attention to your behavior!" (Lose 5 minutes of recess time)
- A clip on Blue means "Unacceptable behavior/disrupting learning." (Lose 10 minutes of recess time and note home)
- A clip on Red means "Extremely Disruptive." (a phone call home by either me or your child and student loses all of his/her recess time)
 - Please help your child make good choices in the classroom and while at school. Certain behavior that disrupt the flow of learning and or harm other students will not be tolerated.

Examples of some behaviors that would cause students to move their clip down.

- Being disruptive during learning time
- Hurting a friend
- Being disrespectful
- Not completing work due to not trying

With that being said students have the opportunity to move their clip up to colors that go beyond green for excellent behavior. (Positive extended colors)

- Pink "Good Day"
- Black "Great Day"
- Purple "Outstanding"

Example of some behaviors that would allow your child to move higher than green

- Giving extra effort
- Including someone in an activity
- Helping a friend

Every child starts off on green every day. Clips will be moved based on behavior. On an average day expect your child to be on **green**. This is a good thing! Please, please, please do not expect your child to be on an extended color (pink, black, purple) everyday.

Students will be filling out a behavior paper daily that reveals their color for the day to you. This will not begin until September and I will notify you of what to expect when this begins.