## **PBIS**

### What is PBIS?

O The Positive Behavior Interventions and Support program is based upon the idea of recognizing positive contributions of students. Our goal is to help each child develop self-discipline. Home and school share the responsibility for developing good citizens. Parents, teachers, and students must work together to maintain a safe learning and positive learning environment. As part of PBIS, teachers, administrators, counselors and support staff will have responsibility to TEACH positive behavior expectations to students. PBIS means students will know exactly what is expected of them. Students who take responsibility will be recognized and rewarded in a variety of ways.

## • Thomson Middle's School-Wide Expectations for students are:

- o To Practice The Tiger Way
- Students are expected to develop powerful relationships, have a positive, give maximum effort; reflecting that greatness is a process.

### • Thomson Middle School's PBIS Mission

o The mission of the Thomson PBIS team is to foster and promote a safe and positive school environment that enhances student learning through teaching and recognizing positive behavior.

# • Thomson Middle School's Matrix

The Tiger Way	Classroom	Restroom	Hallway	Tiger Cafe
"Student Expectation"				
Powerful Relationships  Display teamwork and build positive relationships	1. Invest the time to listen and care for each other 2. Recognize and understand individual differences 3. Communicate with purpose	1. Honor other's privacy 2. Keep hands, feet, and other objects to self 3. Communicate with purpose, refrain from horseplay	1. Invest the time to listen and care for each other using your inside voice  2. Recognize and understand individual differences  3. Communicate with purpose	4. Invest the time to listen and care for each other using your inside voice  5. Recognize and understand individual differences  6. Communicate with purpose
Attitude and Effort  Be positive and give you best effort	<ol> <li>Be a positive influence</li> <li>Focus on solutions</li> <li>Do what is necessary to be successful</li> </ol>	4. Be a positive influence and practice great hygiene. 5. Focus on solutions 6. Hush, Flush, and Wash	7. Be a positive influence 8. Focus on solutions 9. Do what is necessary to be successful by going directly to your next location	<ul> <li>10. Be a positive influence</li> <li>11. Focus on solutions</li> <li>12. Do what is necessary to be successful by cleaning your area.</li> </ul>
Greatness is a Process  Take steps to Grow	1. Be coachable and follow directions 2. Recognize and celebrate excellence 3. Embrace change	1. Be coachable and follow directions 2. Be timely and clean your area 3. Walk directly to your location	1. Be coachable and follow directions 2. Recognize and celebrate excellence in others and yourself 3. Embrace change	<ul> <li>4. Be coachable and follow directions</li> <li>5. Recognize and celebrate excellence</li> <li>6. Embrace change</li> </ul>