South Elementary

Universal Expectations & Procedures



"Kindergarteners Learning and Caring for a Bright Future"

What Is MBI?

MBI (Montana Behavioral Initiative) is a proactive approach in Creating behavioral supports and a social culture that establishes social, emotional, and academic success for all students.

MBI uses the Response to Intervention model, which is a 3-

tiered system of support and a problem solving process to assist

schools in meeting the needs of all students.



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Universal Expectations

Be Respectful

-Listen and follow directions

-Take turns and share

-Be helpful

Be Responsible

-Listen and follow directions

-Finish Classroom papers and homework

-Take Care of Classroom and supplies

Be Safe

-Keep your hands and feet to yourself

-Keep Chairs pushed in

-Walk in the Classroom and hallways

-Follow playground rules



	Be Safe 🧕	Be Responsible	Be Respectful
Bathroom	 Walking feet Feet on floor Enter & exit quietly 	 Wash hands One pump of soap Turn off water Keep bathroom clean 	 Level one voice Hands and feet to self Respect others' privacy
Hallway	 Walking feet Stay on the right Walk in a straight line 	 Go directly where you need to go Keep hallways clean Bubbles & duck tails 	 Hands and feet to self Bubbles in Allow personal space
Playground	 Rocks stay on the ground Slides are for going down Be gentle and play with others 	 Bring it out bring it in Be honest Be patient and wait your turn Line up quickly & quietly 	 Be kind and helpful Care for your playground and environment Play fair and include others Listen to adults & follow the rules
Lunchroom	 Walking feet Face forward feet under table Clean your hands 	 Stay seated Clean up after yourself Be patient Only eat your lunch 	 Be polite to all students and staff Level one voice Quiet on signal
Assembly/Field Trips	 Sit on bottom Walking feet Follow directions when entering and exiting 	 Sit in assigned seat area Keep track of personal items Keep hands and feet to self 	 Give your full attention to presenter Wait until the speaker asks for questions Raise your hand to talk Respect others' property and space
Transportation	 Sit on your bottom Walking feet Backpacks stay on your back 	 Go straight to your line Follow directions when bus is called 	 Level one voice Respect others' personal space and property

Addressing Positive Behaviors



When does a student receive a GOTCHA slip?

When a student is recognized for being safe, being responsible, and/or being respectful

Colors of our GOTCHA tickets:

- 1. Purple-playground
- 2. White-Classroom
- 3. Gold-Common areas
- 4. Tan-bus

Use a Classroom GOTCHA for an entire class doing it correctly. Classes will earn a class reward for every 15 classroom GOTCHAS.

	Stays at school	Goes home
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Positive awards:

- 1. Positive Office Referral
 - a. Students can be recognized for being positive role models and good friends. If a student is given a Positive Office Referral, they will get their award along with a prize from the principal.
- 2. Perfect Attendance (This includes your child not having a tardy)
 - a. Students who receive the Perfect Attendance award will get to sit at a special table at lunch to honor their hard work.
- 3. Citizen of the Quarter
 - a. One student from each class will be chosen each quarter for this award. Students who exhibit Citizenship like qualities will be picked. For example: being a good friend, helpful, hardworking, kind, etc.

What are Blitz Days?

Blitz days will take place twice a month on Wednesdays. If students are following the 3 Be rules at South Elementary, they will earn their Blitz Day. We will be doing a Craft, game, movie, etc. on this day.

Check In Check Out (CICO)

The Check-In, Check-Out (CICO) program is a positive intervention that allows students to start their day by Checking in with an adult to promote positive behavior throughout the day. The team will set weekly goals for the student to meet. Students will spend a few minutes at the beginning and the end of each day with an adult reviewing their progress. The Daily Behavior Point Sheet will be sent home on Fridays for parents/guardians to review, sign and send back the following Monday.

See flowchart for how students qualify for CICO.



Addressing Negative Behaviors



Minor Tickets:

Students may receive a color-coded Minor Behavior ticket for behaviors that do not follow the 3 Be rules at South Elementary. Slips will be sent home on the day the behavior takes place for parent/guardians to review.

Slips are color-coded for the following common areas:

-Green for Playground -Turquoise for Classroom -Dark Blue for Bathroom -Pink for Hallway -Orange for Cafeteria



When does a student receive a refocus?

When a Child is asked to refocus, he/she will be asked to visit the "Refocus Chair" in the Classroom. There, the student will be seated in a quiet area and asked to think about the inappropriate behavior. The teacher will then visit quietly with the student <u>WITHIN 10 MINUTES</u> of refocus time and discuss the behavior and what changes will need to be made.

Lunchroom:

Students will start each lunch with a green cone on their table. If the table gets too loud or they are not following the lunchroom rules, their cone will be turned to yellow as a warning. If the behaviors continue then the cone will be moved to red.

If a Class ends lunch with their green cone, they will earn a smiley face on the lunchroom Chart. The Class with the most smiley faces at the end of each week will earn a Classroom GOTCHA. If a class ends lunch with a red cone, they will be the last class dismissed from the lunchroom. Their behaviors will be discussed at this time.

South Elementary Classroom Behavior Procedure

1. Verbal/nonverbal warning

a. Verbal warning explained to student. Use this time to reteach the appropriate behavior.

2. Refocus

a. Student to refocus if the behavior continues. Use this time to reteach the appropriate behavior.

3. Minor Ticket

a. Student is given 2nd refocus (teacher's choice to use the buddy room) and a minor ticket is given. This results in student missing Blitz Day. Parents notified and ticket sent home.

4. Pink Refocus

a. If student behavior continues and they refocus for a 3rd refocus (teacher's choice to use the buddy room), the pink refocus form will be filled out with the teacher. Parents will be notified and the form sent home for a parent/guardian signature. Student loses a privilege.

5. Office Referral

- a. If the behavior continues, student needs to be refocused (4th refocus). Teacher fills out the ODR on infinite campus & the principal takes further action.
- b. ODR's filled out immediately following a critical infraction.

<u>Minor</u> <u>Behaviors</u>

These infractions will be addressed by the teacher and/or paraprofessional.

Not following the behaviors listed in the 3 Be's of Student Behaviors table will result in the following consequences:



<u>Consequences for</u> <u>Minor Behaviors</u>

- Verbal/Non-Verbal Reminder. Use this time to reteach the behavior
- 2. Refocus if the behavior continues. Use this time to reteach the appropriate behavior.
- 3. If behavior continues, and the student is refocused for the 2nd time, a minor ticket is given. Parent needs to be notified and the student misses the Blitz Day.
 - 4. If behavior continues, and the student is refocused for the 3rd time, a pink refocus needs to be filled out. This results in a missed privilege. The pink refocus form needs to be sent home and signed by the parent.

**If the student receives 3 minor slips for the same behavior within a Blitz Day period, a problem solving form will be filled out and the MBI team will meet to discuss interventions. If the behavior continues, an Office referral will be issued.

<u>CriticalBehaviors</u>

Bypass the Minor Behavior

refocus process

Examples:

- Fighting
- Damage to property
- Threats
- Bullying
- Theft
- Excessive behaviors in the hallway, Cafeteria, assembly, transportation, bathroom, and on the playground (see the 3 Be's of Student Behaviors table for behavior expectations)
- Excessive disruptions in Class

<u>Consequencesfor</u> <u>CriticalBehaviors</u>

1. A pink Refocus Form will be filled out

with the student and sent home for

a parent signature

2. Student will lose Blitz Day in addition to another privilege.

3. If behavior continues, an Office

Referral will be issued.



Absolute Behaviors

No Tolerance!

<u>Examples:</u>

- Weapons
- Endangering self
- Endangering others
- Verbal/physical abuse
- Insubordination



<u>Consequencesfor</u> <u>Absolute Behaviors</u>

- 1. If safety is a concern, student is immediately removed
- 2. Parent/guardian will be notified by the teacher
- 3. Office referral will be issued
- 4. Parent/guardian will be notified by the principal and a discipline letter will be sent home

School-Wide

Teach-To's





Bathroom Expectations at South School Teach To

Setting: Bathroom

What to teach:

Area	Be Safe	Be Responsible		BeRespectful
Bathroom	1. Walking Feet	1. Wash hands	;	1. Level one voice
	2. Feet on floor	2. One pump of	of soap	2. Hands and feet to self
	3. Enter ↓ exit quietly	3. Turn off w	ater	3. Respect others' privac
		4. Keep bath	room Clean	
Teaching Examples and Be Safe:	Non-Examples:			
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Be Safe:		slow speed	Non-Exam • Rut	
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Be Safe: Behavior Walking feet	Example • Walking at a		• Rut • Skit • Clir	nning oping

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Wash hands	• Hands under the water	 Walking out without washing Wiping hands on Clothes
One pump of soap	• Pump soap one time	 Do not use soap Two pumps of soap
Turn off water	• Turn water off when done	• Leaving the water running
Keep ba c hroom Clean	 Wipe water off the sink Put paper towel in the garbage 	 Leaving splashed water on the sink Putting paper towel on the floor

Be Respectful:

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Level one voice	Whisper voice	 Normal talking voice Yelling
Hands and feet to self	 Hands at your side or a duck tail Feet on the floor walking 	 Touching a friend Kicking a friend Trying to trip a friend
Respect others' privacy	• Wait your turn	 Opening the stall door and walking in Looking under stalls

- 1. Have Class practice as a group in the Classroom
- 2. Have the class practice in the bathroom
- 3. Teacher role-plays the good examples and non-examples

- 4. Students role-play the good examples
- 5. Teacher gives feedback or reteach



Hallway Expectation at South School Teach To

Seccing: Hallway

What to teach:

Area	Be Safe	Be Responsible	BeRespectful
Hallway	1. Walking feet at low	1. Go directly where you	1. Hands and feet to self
	speed	need to go	2. Bubbles in
	2. Stay on the right	2. Keep hallways Clean	3. Allow personal place
	3. Walk in a straight line	3. Bubbles & duck tails	

Teaching Examples and Non-Examples:

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Walking feet at a low speed	• Walking at a slow speed	RunningSkipping
Stay on the right	• Walk on the right side of the hallway	 Walking on the left side of the hallway Walking in the middle of the hallway
Walk in a straight line	• Walk in a straight line	• Walking in a zig-zag pa ct ern

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Go direc t ly where you need to go	• Go straight to your destination	• Walking to the bathroom then to the yellow room
Keep hallways Clean	 Pick up garbage found on the floor Pick up rocks and put them in the garbage 	 Throwing garbage on the floor Kicking rocks down the hallway
Bubbles è duck c ails	• Bubbles ♦ duck tails	• Shouting, waving, touching the walls, etc.
Be Respectful: Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Behavior		Non-Example
	 Example Hands in a duck tail Feet stay on the floor 	Non-Example • Hitting a friend around you • Kicking a friend
Behavior Hands and feet to self	• Hands in a duck tail	• Hitting a friend around you
Behavior Hands and feet to self	 Hands in a duck tail Feet stay on the floor 	 Hitting a friend around you Kicking a friend
Behavior Hands and feet to self	 Hands in a duck tail Feet stay on the floor 	 Hitting a friend around you Kicking a friend Talking to someone
Behavior Hands and feet to self Bubbles in	 Hands in a duck tail Feet stay on the floor Bubble in mouth 	 Hitting a friend around you Kicking a friend Talking to someone Humming or singing
Behavior Hands and feet to self Bubbles in	 Hands in a duck tail Feet stay on the floor Bubble in mouth Use a beach ball or balloon and show 	 Hitting a friend around you Kicking a friend Talking to someone Humming or singing Running into the friend in front

- 1. Have Class practice as a group in the Classroom
- 2. Have Class practice in the hallway
- 3. Teacher role plays the good examples and non-examples
- 4. Students role play the good examples
- 5. Teacher gives feedback or reteach



Playground Expectation at South School

Setting: Playground

What to teach:

Area	Be Safe	Be Responsible	Be Respectful
Playground	1. Rocks stay on the ground	1. Bring it out Bring it in	1. Be kind and helpful
	2. Slides are for going down	2. Be hones c	2. Care for your playground
	3. Be gentle and play with others	3. Be patient and wait	and environmen c
		your c urn	3. Play fair and include
		4. Line up quickly and quietly	others
			4. Listen to adults è follow
			the rules

Teaching Examples and Non-Examples:

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Rocks stay on the ground	 Play with rocks on the ground Put rocks in the dump trucks 	
Slides are for going down	 Sit on bottom and go down the slide feet first 	 Climbing up the slide Going down the slide backwards Going down the slide head first
Be gentle and play with others	• Share, take your turn, and use soft touches	 Tackling, pushing, and taking toys away from your peers etc.

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Be gentle and play with others	 Nice touch on the playground Holding a friends hand 	 Pushing your friend Tackling your friend to the ground
Bring it out bring it in	 Play with a toy put it back in the basket 	• Playing with a toy and leaving it on the playground
Be patient and wait your turn	 Stand in line with hands to yourself 	• Cutting in line when waiting for the slide
Line up quickly and quietly	• Bubbles and duck tails	• Yelling and pushing others

Be Respectful:

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Be kind and helpful	Help a friend that gets hurt help them	 Laugh at friend when they are hurt Walk away from some that is hurt
Care for your playground and environment	 Use equipment properly Pick up garbage 	 Break the equipment Throw garbage on the ground
Play fair and include o c hers	 Let everyone play in your group Create fair rules 	 Exclude friends from playing in the group Make the game unfair to others
Listen to adults and follow the rules	 Eyes on the speaker and in Control of your body 	• Talking over the speaker

- 1. Have Class practice as a group in the Classroom
- 2. Have the Class practice on the playground
- 3. Teacher role-plays the good examples and nonexamples
- 4. Students role-play the good examples
- 5. Teacher gives feedback or reteach



Lunchroom Expectation at South School

Seccing: Lunchroom

What to teach:

Area	Be Safe	Be Responsible	BeRespectful
Lunchroom	1. Walking feet	1. Stay seated	5. Be polite to all students and staff
	2. Face forward	2. Clean up	6. Level one voice
	feet under table	after yourself	7. Quiet on signal
	3. Clean your hands	3. Be patient	
		4. Only eat your lunch	

Teaching Examples and Non-Examples:

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Walking fee€	• Walking Feet	 Running Skipping Sliding feet on floor
Face forward and feet under table	• When sitting at the table face forward and keep feet under the table	 Sitting on feet Talking to friends across the room
Clean your hands	 Wash hands with soap or use one pump of hand sanitizer 	 Not washing hands

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Stay seated	• Stay seated at the table	 Getting up and walking around
Clean up after yourself	• Put all garbage in the garbage	 Throwing garbage on the floor
		 Keeping garbage on the table
Be patient	• Raise hand and wait for help	• Cu cc ing in line
		 Pushing and shoving
Only eat your lunch	• Eat the food on your plate/lunch box	• Sharing food/touching other people's plates

Be Respectful:

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Be polite to all	 Saying please and thank you 	Grabbing others lunch
students and staff		 Not saying please and thank you
Level one voice	Whisper voice	• Yelling at friends
Quiet on signal	Bubble in/voice off	 Talking/shouting

- 1. Have Class practice as a group in the Classroom
- 2. Have the class practice on the lunchroom
- 3. Teacher role-plays the good examples and non-examples
- 4. Students role-play the good examples
- 5. Teacher gives feedback or reteach



Field Trips/Assembly Expectation at South School

Secting: Field trip/Assembly

What to teach:

Area	Be Safe	Be Responsible	BeRespectful
Field	1. Sit on bottom	1. Sit in assigned seating	1. Give full attention to the presenter
trip/Assembly	2. Walking Feet 3. Follow directions when	area 2. Keep t raCk of	2. Wait until the speaker asks for questions
	entering and exiting	personal items 3. Keep hands and feet	 Raise hands to talk Respect others' property and space
		to self	

Teaching Examples and Non-Examples:

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Sit on bottom	Sitting Criss-Cross	• Sitting on legs
		• Standing up
		• Standing on knees
Walking feet	• Walking	• Skipping
		Running
Follow directions when	• Listening to the adult	 Moving to unassigned seat
entering and $exiting$	in Charge	 Moving from spot to spot

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Sit in assigned seating area	 Sit in assigned area 	• Moving to unassigned seat
Keep track of personal items	 Be responsible with supplies 	• Putting items down and walking away from them
Keep hands and feet to self	 Keep hands and feet to self 	 Touching others Kicking others

Be Respectful:

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Give full attention to	Body facing forward	Talking to neighbor
the presenter	 Eyes and ears on the presenter 	• Not facing forward
Wait until the presenter asks for	• Ask a question at an appropriate time	• Talking out of turn
Raise hand to talk	• Raise hand and wait to be Called on	• Blurting out
Respect others'	• Leave neighbor's property	Taking other's property
proper c y and space	alone	 Invading personal space
	• Respect personal space	

- 1. Have Class practice as a group in the Classroom
- 2. Have Class practice in the Field trip/assembly
- 3. Teacher role-plays the good examples and non-examples
- 4. Students role-play the good examples
- 5. Teacher gives feedback or reteach



Bus line-up Expectation at South School Teach-To

Secting: Field trip/Assembly

What to teach:

Area	Be Safe	Be Responsible	BeRespectful
Bus piCk-up	1. Sit on bottom	4. Go straight to line	6. Level one voice
	2. Walking feet	5. Follow directions when bus	7. Respect others'
	3. Backpacks stay on back	is Called	personal space and
			property

Teaching Examples and Non-Examples:

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Sit on bottom	• Sitting Criss-Cross	 Sitting on legs Standing up Standing on knees
Walking Feet, low Feet	• Walking at a slow pace	 Skipping Running Sliding on knees
Backpacks stay on back	 Backpacks on back 	 Backpacks on belly Backpacks put on the floor Taking stuff out of backpack

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Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Go straight to your line	• Walk to your bus line	• Run around the gym
		• Go and talk to your friend in another bus line
Follow directions when your bus is called	 Stand up and walk to the Correct door 	• Stay seated and not go to your bus

Be Respectful:

Behavior	Example	Non-Example
Level one voice	Whisper voice	• Yelling across the gym
Respect others' property and space	 Leave your neighbor's property alone Give your neighbor their personal space 	 Taking others property Your body is in your neighbor's personal space

- 1. Have Class practice as a group in the Classroom
- 2. Have Class practice in the gym
- 3. Teacher role-plays the good examples and non-examples
- 4. Students role-play the good examples
- 5. Teacher gives feedback or reteach

