**Sheridan Elementary School’s **

**Schoolwide Positive Behavioral Support Program (SWPBS)**

**I. What is Schoolwide Positive Behavioral Support?**

* **SWPBS is an approach to discipline**
* **The GOAL is to create a positive and predictable school environment for all students, staff, and families**
* **To do this, we created:**

1. **Schoolwide rules**
2. **Ways to teach behaviors**
3. **Ways to catch students being good**

* **Teachers and administrators will continue to address rule violations**
* **Schools that implement Schoolwide Positive Behavioral Support see a decrease in office referrals.**

**II. What are our Schoolwide Rules (Our Five Bees of Behavior)?**

* **Be Respectful**
* **Be Responsible**
* **Be Positive**
* **Be Peaceful**
* **Be an Active Learner**

**III. How do you teach these rules?**

* **We teach students what they CAN do to show they are following these rules**
* **We teach these behaviors just like we teach math and reading!**
* **We teach specific rules for each setting while in that setting (Bathroom, library, hallway, cafeteria, classroom, playground, recess, entry and dismissal).**
* **We will also be re-teaching these rules periodically**

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**IV. How do you catch students being good?**

* We give students Sheridan “Bee Tickets” when we see them following the school rules
* Students who receive these tickets enter into a WEEKLY CLASS drawing for an opportunity to win a prize from our PBIS Committee or rewards from their teacher, and a CHANCE to take part in a special SCHOOL-WIDE MONTHLY activity/party/event through a separate drawing.
* Every student can earn tickets!
* Here is a sample of a “Bee Ticket”

**Be Proud!** Room\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name\_\_\_\_\_­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ****

*Respectful Peaceful*

*Responsible Active Learner*

*Positive*

**V: How can I support the Sheridan Schoolwide Behavioral Support Program?**

* Talk to your child about the rules at Sheridan
* Ask your child to tell you the Schoolwide Rules….Be Respectful, Be Responsible, Be Positive, Be Peaceful, and Be An Active Learner.
* Ask your child if he/she received any “Bee Tickets”, and what they did in order to receive them.

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