Hierarchy of Steps Verbal Class Compliment for **Desired Behavior** Non-verbal Communication (close proximity, eye contact, signal) Verbal Communication (specify expected behavior) Alter Environment (change seat, remove distraction, time out) **Reflection Form** Call for Administrator Support

Parents are our partners and we are counting on your support to have a PAWesome year!

Running Brook Elementary School

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PBIS

Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports at

Running Brook Elementary School



We are committed to teaching our students to be respectful, responsible, and ready while striving for academic and social success.

Anthony Esposito, Principal Jayme Brewrink, Assistant Principal Welcome to Running Brook Elementary School!

The Three R's :

- Be Respectful
- Be Responsible
- Be Ready

The RBES Pledge

"Today at Running Brook I pledge to be respectful, responsible, and ready. This will help my class, my school, and me be the best that we can be."

Why PBIS?

• The staff of Running Brook Elementary School encourages students to show good behavior in all aspects of their daily learning. When students exhibit good behavior they are more available to learn.

Hence...

- Running Brook ES, like many other schools around Howard County and the state of Maryland, is a PBIS school (Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports).
- We are taking a *positive* approach by *giving* recognition for positive behaviors. We are creating a learning environment where all can achieve.

Paw prints are earned for demonstrating the Three R's and can be used for:

- individual rewards
- class rewards

Each student will have an individual chart. When they are able to earn ALL 20 panthers on their chart they will have the opportunity to earn a panther for their class.

Students will understand that their individual behavior has a positive impact on their class, their grade, and the entire school.

Each homeroom in the school will have a weekly "Track Star." Weekly track stars will have the opportunity to:

- be photographed with all other track stars for the week
- have their names listed on the PBIS bulletin board outside the cafeteria
- proudly wear a "RBES Track Star" bracelet.