

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Juniata Elementary School will always strive to create a safe and stimulating learning environment for all students. In an effort to continue to improve our school climate, staff at JES have worked together to form a Positive Behavior Intervention & Support (PBIS) Plan. The focus of this plan is to create a positive school climate that fosters being respectful, owning your behavior, acting responsible, and ready to learn.

The students learned about PBIS, our behavior program, at a school wide kick off assembly. The Positive Behavior Intervention & Support Committee created this program to promote the core values of Respect, Own your behavior, Act responsibly, and be Ready to learn (R.O.A.R.) for all students and the entire JES community.

In addition to our kick-off assembly, we will display posters around the building and in the classroom, and modify our environment to make it easier for children to move safely and efficiently in the building. All of the staff at JES will be teaching their students the positive behaviors they are expected to demonstrate at school. Students who demonstrate these positive behaviors will be acknowledged through class dojo and the use of golden tickets.

Please take some time to review with your child the positive behavior expectations described on the attached page. Ask your child to make sure he/she understands the expectations in different environments around the school. Please discuss the importance of these concepts and encourage your child to be a JES R.O.A.R learner.

Sincerely,

Juniata Elementary School Teachers and Staff

Juniata Elementary School Matrix

R.O.A.R.	Cafeteria	Assemblies	Restroom	Hallway	Playground	Classroom
<u>R</u> espect	*Say "please", "thank you", and "excuse me"	*Follow all adult directions first time stated *Appropriate voice level *Speak when it is your turn	*Clean up after yourself *Level 1 voice *Give others respect	*Level 0 voice *Follow all adult directions first time stated	*Voice level 4 out the door *Include others	*Follow all adult directions first time stated *Appropriate voice level
<u>O</u> wn Your Behavior	*Eat your own food *Level 0 when directed *Level 2 voice at other times	*Sit at all times *Use kind words and actions	*Go, flush, wash, leave.	*Hands to yourself *Maintain personal space *Eyes forward	*Stay in assigned area *Use kind words and actions	*Hands to yourself *Stay in assigned area *Use kind words and actions
<u>A</u> ct Responsibly	*Raise your hand and wait for an adult *Keep your area clean	*Keep hands, feet, and objects to yourself	*2 minutes *2 pumps *2 paper towels *Score 2 with your trash	*Walk at all times	*Use equipment properly	*Raise your hand and wait for an adult *Keep your area clean *Walk at all times
<u>R</u> eady To Learn	*Walk at all times *Get items first time through the line	*Eyes and ears on the speaker	*Five in the bathroom at a time	*Know where you are going and get there	*Be a good sport	*Be prepared *Give best effort