



**Middle Park
Primary School**

School Wide Positive Behaviour Supports

At MPPS, our school values and expectations are:

RESPECT



KINDNESS



GRATITUDE



What is SWPBS?

SWPBS stands for School Wide Positive Behaviour Support. SWPBS is a framework for developing and explicitly teaching appropriate and positive behaviours.

Teaching, modelling and reinforcing positive social behaviour is an important part of a student's educational experience.

Teaching behavioural expectations and acknowledging students for meeting them is a much more positive approach than waiting for misbehaviour to occur before responding.

Key Components

- An agreed upon and common approach
- A matrix of positively stated expectations
- Explicit teaching of expectations
- Regular and frequent opportunities to practise expected behaviours
- Incentive/rewards for meeting behavioural expectations
- Consistency of language

We encourage our students

We encourage and acknowledge our students in a range of ways:

Classroom:

- Immediate verbal praise and acknowledgement, incorporating phrases of respect, kindness and gratitude
- Rewards and incentives, both individual and whole class

Cohort Level:

- MPPS values awards presented at cohort assemblies twice per term

Whole School:

- Weekly awards presented at whole school assemblies
- Recipients of MPPS values awards presented to the community at whole school assemblies twice per term
- Citizen of the month awards presented each term at whole school assemblies
- Award recipients promoted in the school newsletter each fortnight

Parents can help by:

- Discussing the behavioural expectations of their child
- Encouraging and acknowledging positive behaviours
- Using the same language to provide consistency between home and school
- Keep communication between you and your child's teacher active throughout the school year

MPPS Values	In class	Walking through the buildings	Moving around the school	Bathrooms & Toilets	Break times outside	Assembly	Out & about in the community
 RESPECT I will ...	• Listen to others • Enable others to learn • Respect differences • Care for resources & materials • Respect myself by doing my best and having a go • Follow instructions from a teacher	• Be mindful of my volume • Be mindful of the wall displays and furnishings around us • Respect the personal belongings of others • Ensure I am always walking safely	• Be quiet and considerate when we move around the school • Say good morning and hello to others we pass by • Open doors for others • Listen to staff and follow instructions	• Respect people's privacy • Put used toilet paper in the toilet and flush • Use soap and water to wash my hands • Try to use the bathroom during break times	• Look after everyone's belongings and school property • Stop playing at the ball chime • Take care of the plants • Wear a sunsmart hat and proper school	• Sit still • Wear my hat • Stand and sing for the National Anthem • Listen to the speaker • Sit with my class • Arrive on time • Leave the environment alone	• Leave and arrive at school in an orderly fashion • Be a role model for MPPS as a walking advertisement • Listen to and follow instructions • Use manners • Respect others' space and property
 KINDNESS I will ...	• Help others when they need it • Treat others the way you want to be treated • Use kind words and actions • Take turns and share • Encourage others and yourself	• Pick up lost property to help others reclaim their belongings • Use my manners when speaking with others • Collect any litter and place it in the appropriate bin	• Be patient and aware of others • Offer to help those in need • Use my manners • Help each other	• Think about the person after me and leave the space clean • Speak up and help if somebody needs it • Ask different people if going to the toilet during class	• Invite others to play • Take turns • Use kind words and actions • Share the play spaces • Share equipment • Help others	• Keep our hands and feet to ourselves • Wait for the Preps to leave first • Wait for our teacher and say goodbye before leaving	• Use kind words and actions • Use my voice appropriately
 GRATITUDE I will ...	• Use my manners • Follow instructions to make the most of opportunities • Not take our opportunities for granted • Reflect and acknowledge how fortunate we are at MPPS	• Ensure I keep our buildings clean and graffiti-free • Leave things the way I found them, neat and tidy • Enjoy the artwork and others' displays	• Use my manners • Take care of the environment • Be grateful for our school	• Remember we have amazing toilets • Remember that our families helped to pay for the toilets	• Use my manners • Be thankful for the equipment • Appreciate our great school yard and school community • Be grateful for our kind teachers	• Show support by clapping • Take interest in what's happening	• Thank facilitators and visitors to our school • Learn to travel safely