

8th Grade Reward Program

*This year the 8th grade students will have to earn points in order to participate in some of the fun activities that we have planned for them throughout the year. Students earn points in **FOUR** main categories including: **Grades, Attendance, Homework, and Behavior.***

<p><u>Grades</u> - Points earned for grades will be calculated at the end of each quarter based on the report card grades in Math, Reading, Social Studies, Writing and Science. Points will be awarded as detailed below.</p> <p><u>Quarterly Grades</u> 20 points per A = 100 points 15 points per B = 75 points 10 points per C = 50 points</p>	<p><u>Attendance</u> - Points earned for attendance will be calculated at the end of each quarter based on attendance and tardies throughout the year. For example a student with 1 absence each quarter will earn 80 points at the end of the year. Please note that 2 tardies will equal 1 absence.</p> <p>0 absences = 25 points 1 absence = 20 points 2 absences = 10 points 3+ absence = 0 points</p>
<p><u>Homework</u>- Points earned for homework will be calculated on a weekly basis. If a student turns in ALL of their homework for Math, Reading, Social Studies, Writing and Science for the week they will earn 10 points. If a student has a missing homework assignment in any class they will get 0 points for that week.</p> <p>No missing work for the week = 10 points (For a possible total 100 points per quarter)</p>	<p><u>Behavior</u> - Points earned for behavior will be calculated on a weekly basis. If a student has good behavior (no behavior checks given by a teacher) they will earn 10 points each week.</p> <p>No checks given by a teacher = 10 points (For a possible total 100 points per quarter)</p>

**Bonus points can be a possibility...ex. 5 points for participating in a math competition

Monthly Reward Days

- September - 40 points
- October- 80 points
- November/ December - 200 points (includes quarterly grades and attendance)
- January - 240 points
- February - 350 points (includes quarterly grades and attendance)
- March - 410 points
- April - 510 points (includes quarterly grades)
- May - 550 points

End of Year Activities

If a student has 600 points they can participate in everything! (Senior Spirit Week, Boat Trip, Pizza Party)

8th Grade Behavior Plan

Healy school students are expected to display good personal conduct in compliance with all aspects of the CPS Student Code of Conduct. Violations of the rules may subject a student to the consequences listed in the Student Code of Conduct (e.g. detentions, in school suspensions, out of school suspensions) and jeopardize his/her participation in class parties, Spirit Week activities, and/or any 8th grade trips or activities (including graduation activities).

Students will earn points for turning in homework assignments, showing appropriate classroom behavior, following classroom instructions, being prepared for class, being on time and present at school, returning signed papers and tests, and being in school uniform every day.

Points will be accumulated on a monthly basis. At the end of each month, students who have earned the necessary points will participate in that month's reward activity.

Students who fail to earn the points required will not participate in the month's scheduled activities.

- September - Playground (Oct 2nd)
- October - Halloween Celebration (Oct 30th)
- November/December - Winter Celebration (December 18th)
- January - Cartoon Day (Jan 29th)
- February – Valentine's Day Celebration (Feb 26th)
- March – Game Day (April 1st)
- April – Playground (April 29th)
- May – Senior Spirit Week (TBD)
- June – End of the Year Celebrations (TBD)

By signing this contract, I understand I must earn the points required to participate in the 8th grade rewards program. This form must be fully signed and returned by : _____

Student Signature _____	Date _____
Parent Signature _____	Date _____
Teacher Signature _____	Date _____
Principal Signature _____	Date _____

Examples

September: (need 40 points)

20 points for homework (2 weeks without missing an assignment)

20 points for behavior (2 weeks without a behavior issue)

**this student will be able to participate

November/ December: (needs 190 points...includes quarterly grades)

50 points (student earned a C in all major subject areas)

70 points for homework (7 weeks without missing an assignment)

70 points for homework (7 weeks without a behavior issue)

**this student will be able to participate

End of Year Activities: If a student has 600 points they can participate in everything!

200 points (student earned straight C's in all major subject areas in every quarter)

75 points (student had 3 absences)

160 points (16 weeks without missing an assignment)

170 points (17 weeks without a behavior issue)

**this student will be able to participate