



# Student Behavior Policy

In order for our RASP program to operate successfully, parents & children, together with the RASP staff, need to support acceptable behavior. The RASP mission statement states “The RASP program will provide a safe, caring, & positive environment to school-age children in kindergarten through fifth grade. RASP will enhance personal growth through educational & recreational activities.” Any behavior contrary to the RASP mission statement is reason for consequences. Children have the right to feel safe, to be cared for, to be respected, & to learn. In order to maintain a safe, happy, healthy & positive environment, students are required to meet the following expectations:

- Keep hands, feet, and objects to self
- Respect others
- Cooperate with RASP staff
- Respect property & equipment
- Keep RASP site neat & clean
- Refrain from the use of profanity
- Conduct self in a positive manner, emphasizing the six pillars of Character Counts (Respect, Responsibility, Caring, Citizenship, Trustworthiness, & Fairness)

## Consequences:

- Verbal warning
  - Written warning
  - Completion of 3 point removal write ups (also known as Behavior Notices)
- \* The level of discipline will depend on severity &/or repetitiveness of the behavior.  
\* The disciplinary action can vary from a warning to suspension of 1-10 days to removal.  
\* Once a student receives 2 removal points, they are removed from RASP until the parents/guardians set up a meeting with the RASP office staff to develop a plan for success to prevent their final removal point (ie: reward/smiley chart, area to calm down, calming activity, etc.)  
\* Once a student receives 3 removal points, they are removed from RASP for the remainder of the session (ie: school year or summer)

## Run-away\_policy:

If a child is inside the school building & runs outside (to run away), the RASP staff must stop at the school doors & call the police. If a child is outside & runs away, the RASP staff must stop at the sidewalk & call the police. If a child runs away from the facility the child may be terminated from the program, at the discretion of the RASP Director.

## NOTES:

\* All Parents signed the above agreement during registration, indicating they understand the rules. **Parents can get their student a removal point (or removed) for inappropriate behavior.** It's important to remember that once a student receives 2 removal points, they are **removed until** the parents set up a meeting with the RASP Director. **It is the parent's responsibility to do so.**

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