

The SOAR Card Program

Students at Lindley 6th Grade Academy are regularly acknowledged for meeting and soaring beyond our behavioral expectations. When students are seen demonstrating the elements of the acronym S.O. A. R:

S – Show Respect

O – Organize Academics

A – Accept Responsibility

R – Resolve Conflict

they are given a SOAR card by any personnel in the building at anytime during the school day. Students then put their name on the card and place the card in our SOAR card locker for a chance to win a prize in our bi-weekly SOAR card drawing. The more cards they collect increases their chances of winning a prize during the drawing.

Twice a year, we celebrate student success in this program by hosting a Mega SOAR card drawing. Students are challenged to collect as many SOAR cards as possible within a two week period to drop in a box on the day of the Mega SOAR card drawing. Our PTA with parental support offers larger items for give away in this drawing such as MP3 players, gift cards, and/or the latest gadgets advertised on television. With additional parental and community support we hope to offer more great prizes to increase the number of students that take home prizes.

Our SOAR card program was an awesome success last year for everyone in the building and we look forward to continued success with the program this year!

The Falcon Card

The Falcon Card program is the main component of our School Wide Behavior Management plan. The Falcon card lists level one behavioral infractions and an order of consequences aligned with each. All students

will have a Falcon Card in the back of the Student Agenda Planner they are given on the first day of school. Students will carry their Agenda Planner to all of their classes. If a student is found in violation of one of the rules listed on their card in any of their classes or in the hallway, the infraction is noted on the card and the aligned consequence is given.

Again, all students will be required to carry their agenda planners with them to every class. It is expected that lost agendas are replaced immediately for a cost of \$5.00. If any personnel requests student agenda to note an infraction and the student doesn't have it or Falcon Card is missing or defaced, the student will be referred to an Administrator for consequence.

We are asking all parents to review the Falcon Card expectations as well as the Cobb County Student Code of Conduct with their students several times during the school year. Full understanding of our behavioral expectations and pending consequences will help student prepare for an uninterrupted and successful school year.