

Student Council Spring (1) 2024

The REDS system is now closed due to it not working properly. We were able to give some rewards at the end of last school year to help clear some of the remaining REDS.

Going forward, we are going to be using achievement points (stamps, super stamps, character cards and positive postcards) to distinguish what rewards students will receive.

What rewards would you like to receive? Please include anything you think of from free rewards (queue jump, certificates etc.) through to those that cost. These can be instant rewards or more long term ones.

When would you like the rewards to happen? E.g. after achieving a certain number of points on a scale, every week, half term etc.

All students have had the opportunity to give their opinion in tutor time as Student Voice and then the smaller focussed Student Council elaborated on the opinions and summarised the feeling of the student body:

- Rewarding based on achievement points throughout the year is the best idea
- Students would like rewards to be as high profile (if not higher) than behaviour. They are very aware of the negatives in school but not the positives. This will be achieved by the daily achievement data that will be on the tutor presentations.
- Students would like the opportunity for small weekly prizes (sweets, food from the canteen, queue jump pass, money added to Scopay) given for different reasons e.g. gaining x amount of Super Stamps, or being the top of the week for points etc. This could also be done randomly as part of a raffle.
- Students would like the opportunity for larger monthly/half termly prizes e.g. certificates (on a scale from tutor, Year Leader, SLT and then Headteacher), vouchers (not just Amazon, ones that can be used in more places), other specific items such as footballs. Opportunities to share rewards with others e.g. film or takeaway afternoons.
- Students would like to be able to work towards getting money off the rewards trips to the cinema and Flamingo Land and the opportunity to win a queue jump pass for them and friends for the rides. They like both of these activities but think there should be something else as well for those that don't like rides.
- Students would like specific tutor rewards to celebrate as a tutor.
- Students would like positive postcards to be printed. To limit the costs, these could be given out in tutor rather than posted.