

CELEBRATE

Middle Schoolers

These celebrations can help middle school students build confidence, find motivation, and feel valued, setting a solid foundation for their future academic and personal endeavors.



Academic Recognition: Honor roll ceremonies, subject specific awards (like Math or Science Excellence), and "Student of the Month" accolades.



Extracurricular Achievements: Certificates or trophies for participation and success in sports, music, drama, or club activities.



Character Awards: Awards for displaying traits such as kindness, perseverance, leadership, and responsibility, like "Most Helpful Student" or "Best Team Player."



Leadership Opportunities: Positions such as class president, student council roles, or team captains, and opportunities to lead projects or events.



Individual and Group Acknowledgements: Personalized praise from teachers and peers, as well as group celebrations to acknowledge collective achievements and progress.



Showcasing Talents in School Events: Talent shows, art exhibitions, science fairs, or school concerts where students can display their skills and receive recognition.



Encouraging Community Service Involvement: Celebrating students who volunteer with certificates, public acknowledgments, or special mentions in school newsletters.



Field Trips and Special Experiences: Organizing visits to colleges, cultural events, or professional environments as a reward for hard work and to inspire further achievement.



Positive Communication Home: Regularly share students' successes and positive behaviors with their families through personalized communication: positive phone calls home, praise emails, good news postcards or letters.



Public Recognition: Highlighting student accomplishments in school newsletters, websites, and social media, and during school-wide announcements.