



Positive Consequences for High School Students

For Individuals: (some can be for the whole class)

- send postcard home to parents
- write little notes on their tests or home work such as, "Great job, excellent response, or I'm so proud of you!"
- positive comments to athletic coach/band director
- "Get Out of Jail Free" card - looks like monopoly card, can be used if they forget homework one day (they sign the back of it to show they are still responsible for information covered)
- choose the song/music type the class listens to (teachers who use Pandora do this)
- leave class first (could be a pass to use or a privilege for a week)
- coupons for shakes, fries, drinks (I think Sonic sometimes gives these out free to teachers)
- listen to ipod while working
- tell a joke to the class
- use class computer
- token system (tickets/fake money) in exchange for points or items
- extra credit points
- no seating chart
- free homework pass
- free restroom pass
- add a ticket with student name on it for a drawing (student can choose from items when his name is drawn - items in drawing could include pencils, pens, erasers, paper, food, fake tattoos) - draw once/week or more frequently at first
- stickers & stamps (sounds babyish, but our HS teachers are seeing success with this)

For the Whole Class:

- each student gets a cup of ice (most cafeterias have an ice machine)
- "Choose Your Own Seat Day"
- popcorn on a day when watching a movie
- listen to music as a class
- 5 minutes (or other time) on Friday to talk with friends
- have class outside
- food
- choice of seat
- play a learning game
- time to draw or color
- choose your group members
- outdoor or gymnasium learning game (such as question/answer that involves shooting a basketball too)
- end class 1 min early & allow students to pack up early or line up at the door right before the bell rings