

RTS ROARS Recognition Activities (revised 12/2/9)



What are ROARS Recognition Activities?

I. ROARS RECOGNITION TIME: At the end of each class or lunch period, students gather to be awarded **ROARS Recognition**: They have successfully followed ROARS agreements for at least 80% of the class and have not earned a level 2a. The achievement is recorded as a **CHECK, STAR, or STICKER**, on the classroom's **ROARS RECOGNITION CHART** (\$3 in any teacher supply store). Staff posts **ROARS Agreement Posters** (See PBIS Tshared file) next to their charts for frequent reference.

II. ROARS WEEKLY CELEBRATIONS: These take place on the first three Fridays during Project Achieve for the first three weeks of each month. They are earned as described in the next section.

- 1) **Movie and Popcorn** (staff provides) OR
- 2) **Gym & Table Games.** Staffed by assigned classroom teachers and paraeducators.

III. ROCKERS! MONTHLY RECOGNITION CELEBRATION: Rockers is on the last day of each month from 2:00-3:00. It includes Basketball, dancing, table games, art tables, and **ROARS TICKET DRAWING for IPOD SHUFFLE.** This is earned as described in the next section.

IV. ROARS TICKETS:

All staff gives out ROARS! TICKETS throughout the day in any school environment: These are tangible rewards for exceptional ROARS behavior, including for being 100% on task and behavior for each class. or for significant improvement in any part of school work or behavior.

ROARS! TICKET templates are available to sign and print in the T-Shared PBIS file. Each teacher keeps their own supplies, and shares with paraeducator support staff. We have agreed that we will be consistent and we will not give out tickets unless they are truly earned.

WHERE do students and teachers place the earned ROARS Tickets?

Each classroom teacher has agreed to keep something like a decorated slotted shoe box or envelop in each room, to be turned into a central holding box for end of month IPOD drawings for the **ROCKERS ROARS** celebration. All tickets will be kept in Dr. Francis's office until the end-of-year drawing main event.

What is the expected behavior to earn admission to ROARS weekly and monthly celebration?

Students earn admission to these events by following ROARS agreements to the level described below OR they must attend the Alternative Activity:

- 1) **ROARS WEEKLY CELEBRATION:** Students earn checks/stars in at least 80% (4/5) in each of their classes and lunch period for the week. Students **MAY NOT** attend who have, during the week: 1) earned fewer than 80% checks for any period, 2) have more than one 2a in any class, or 3) any referral during the week.
- 2) **ROCKERS!:** Students may attend **ROCKERS** who have not received more than 4 2a's or a referral that month. (Criteria may vary according to individualized need).
- 3) **Roars Alternative Activity:** On Friday morning, Teachers report to the team leader which students **DO NOT** earn the events. *During this event, the student must be engaged in an academic task: NOT playing games, surfing the computer, watching TV, or simply sitting.*