

# Home of the Panthers

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Since 1958

Orville H. Platt High School; Meriden CT



**How many of you feel like this at  
the end of the day?**



Platt Panthers show:

Professionalism

Respect

Integrity

Discipline

Enthusiasm

# Objectives:

- Be able to identify what PRIDE means to you as a teacher and what you expect from your students
- Know when to give Panther Dollars
- Know what you and the students will get with Panther Dollars

What do these words mean to you???

Professionalism

Respect

Integrity

Discipline

Enthusiasm

- Break into groups and discuss what each word in PRIDE means to you
  - as a teacher and faculty member
  - what you want your students to “look like”
    - Give examples of positive expectations
    - Give non-examples (what you don’t want to see or do)

# How do Panthers show **PRIDE**?

**P**rofessionalism – Be informed

**R**espect – Be nice to staff and  
students

**I**ntegrity – Make a good choice

**D**iscipline – Be prepared

**E**nthusiasm – Keep it positive

# School-wide EXPECTATIONS

	All Settings	Arrival	Hallways & Stairs	Cafeteria	Lavatory	Assemblies	Office	Classroom	Dismissal
<b>P</b> Professionalism	Be informed	Use appropriate language and volume Wait patiently in designated areas	Use appropriate language and volume Adhere to dress code policy	Use appropriate language and volume Wait your turn in line	Request pass appropriately and at appropriate time Get in, get out	Stay focused on presentation Sit appropriately Listen actively	Use appropriate language and volume Wait patiently on bench	Prepared with all appropriate materials	Use appropriate language and volume Wait for rides patiently at Oregon Road exit
<b>R</b> Respect	Be nice to staff and students	Be nice to staff and students Put garbage in trash	Be nice to staff and students Maintain personal space Put garbage in trash	Be nice to staff and students Clean up area Put garbage in trash	Be nice to staff and students Flush Put garbage in trash	Be nice to staff and students Be a polite audience Put garbage in trash	Be nice to staff and students	Be nice to staff and students Be actively engaged during instruction	Be nice to staff and students
<b>I</b> Integrity	Make a good choice	Make a good choice Come to school everyday	Make a good choice Assist in keeping the peace	Make a good choice Pay for your meal	Make a good choice Report vandalism Moderate your use	Make a good choice Report vandalism	Make a good choice Give others privacy	Make a good choice Submit your own original work	Make a good choice
<b>D</b> Discipline	Be prepared	Be prepared Be on time	Proceed to your destination promptly Electronic devices off and away	Keep food in the cafeteria Push in your chair Electronic devices off and away	Go directly to and from the lav Wash hands with soap Electronic devices off and away	Electronic devices off and away Fill in seats as directed Electronic devices off and away	Sit quietly on bench Electronic devices off and away	Be in the classroom and ready to learn before the bell Electronic devices off and away	Proceed to your destination promptly
<b>E</b> Enthusiasm	Keep it positive	Keep it positive	Keep it positive	Keep it positive	Keep it positive Refrain from gossip	Keep it positive	Keep it positive	Keep it positive Use appropriate language	Keep it positive Join in after-school activities



# When should you pass out Panther Dollars\$\$\$

Here's just a couple of different times you could positively reinforce expected behavior...

- Randomly – when students are showing Panther **PRIDE** – tie into the matrix
  - Intermittent reinforcement – typically should not know when they are going to get a Dollar
- When students show improvement in grades/behaviors
- Students cannot request a dollar

So...

what do **YOU** get out of this???

- Positive learning environment
- Gifts cards
- Less stress!!!

The more you hand out Panther Dollars the more chances **YOU** have at winning!!!

# Panther Dollars...

## What can they be used for???

- **Daily – Panther Dollars** when you're "caught" showing Panther **PRIDE**
- **Weekly**
  - "Fast Pass" Fridays – new person from each lunch wave is awarded a "Fast Pass" for the week
  - Parking spot
- **Monthly – random raffle drawings**
- **Midterms/CAPT/Finals**
  - Lunch brought in from a restaurant of your choice (based on attendance)
- **Throughout the year**
  - \$ off tickets to school events

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