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Dear Parents

I'd like to introduce myself as I am new to Lees Brook Community School: I am Mr Hunter, Assistant Principal. As part of my role this year I will be strategically leading the school's reward and praise systems. The vast majority of our students are behaving exceptionally well every day, positive feedback for those who are working hard is very important to us at Lees Brook and this will be recognised by all staff in the school. I wanted to take this opportunity to inform all parents of the new rewards systems that has been introduced this January.

Golden and Platinum Tickets:

Golden tickets (platinum tickets by senior staff visiting lessons) can be given out by all staff to students who demonstrate positive behaviours around school. Examples of this could be being polite and courteous, starting work straight away in lessons, holding doors open, putting litter in the bin/picking litter up, fantastic effort in lessons, being resilient and showing problem solving skills.

Each ticket is an entry into a prize draw to win an Amazon voucher between £5 and £50. The first draw takes place next week and there are 5 x £10 and 2 x £20 vouchers to be won per year group. We encourage all students to take their tickets home to show parents to celebrate their success before posting their tickets in their relevant year group boxes on our new rewards wall.

Positive Points (Go4Schools):

Positive points are still being issued by all staff for the below reasons:

Lead- Showing leadership skills in the classroom, being cooperative and working well with others.

Believe- Believing in yourself and others. Showing resilience and determination when tasks may not be as easy as you'd like. High levels of effort and desire.

Create- Showing creativity and innovation in the classroom. Displaying excellent problem solving skills and determination.

Succeed- Individually taking steps to succeed. Taking responsibility for your own learning and progress.

Meeting Classroom Expectations – students who have met all expectations throughout the lesson

Positive points can lead to a variety of different prizes such as reward 'Domino's' meals, Amazon vouchers, reward trips and Principal's breakfasts. We have had an excellent start to the new term, lots of positive points and tickets have been issued in recognition of the excellent behaviour and attitudes we have had demonstrated by our students.

I look forward to working with you all during my time at Lees Brook, and us celebrating your child's successes together.

Yours faithfully



Mr C Hunter
Assistant Principal