



Research indicates that you can improve behavior by 80% just by pointing out what someone is doing correctly.

Remember:

- State the student's name.
- State the observed behavior.
- Connect to school-wide expectation.

"Mindy, thank you for being responsible by following directions and getting started right away. Finishing your work at school means no homework!"

"Brady, when I said it was time to begin, you put your cellphone away and gave me your full attention. Way to be responsible."

"Neil, thanks for using materials appropriately by putting them away at the end of guided reading. That shows respect for our classroom. You've earned a ______ ticket."

"Sara, I know you have something important to say. I listen to students who are respectful, raise their hands and wait for me to call on them. I can't wait to hear what you have to share."

