

Welcome to the Jaguar Zone



The “Jaguar Zone” behaviors targeted at school can be applied to other settings. Many families ask for ideas on connecting this approach to home. Below are examples of a “home” matrix, using language common to what is used at school.

RESPECTFUL at HOME

- Follow directions the first time
- Be kind to your neighbors
- Use a kind voice and good manners

ENGAGED at HOME

- Help with jobs/chores
- Listen to my parents
- Pack materials at night for the next day

DETERMINED at HOME

- Get up and ready to get to school when called
- Complete homework
- “If at first you don’t succeed, try again”



Jeffers Hill Elementary



“Jaguar Zone” Parent Brochure

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Welcome.....



To Jeffers Hill Elementary School where “We Inspire Greatness!”

We strive to support all students and staff by clearly teaching expectations and consistently promoting a positive school climate.

To exhibit “Jaguar Zone” behaviors, three expectations are reinforced daily and in all areas of the school.

Respectful **Engaged** **Determined**

Please take a few moment to review this brochure with your child, as it shares important information regarding our school’s practices to:

- Reinforce and encourage appropriate behavior
- Address consequences and provide feedback for inappropriate behavior

Recognition and Celebrations

- Jaguar Bucks
- Classroom behavior incentive programs
- “Jag” call home
- Quarterly “Jag” Rallies

Consequences

1. General reminder: expectation is reviewed and appropriate behavior is retaught and redirected
2. Individual warning: expectations is reviewed and appropriate behavior is retaught and redirected
3. Personalized support/ consequences
4. Reflection Form completed by student and staff member. Sent home to parent (please sign and return).
5. HCPSS Disciplinary Referral Form

**For more detail, please refer to the HCPSS Code of Conduct found in the Student/Parent Handbook.*

Act like a

Jaguar

Respectful

Engaged

Determined



