

PBIS/MTSS NEWS



PBIS/POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS MTSS/ MULTI TIERED SYSTEMS OF SUPPORT

COREY SCHOOL

TIER I

TIER I supports include proactive school supports for all students. These are taught across the entire school community through Corey SPIRIT-Work* Respect* Belong, Bucket Filling, and Talk It Out!.

TIER II

Tier II supports are targeted groups that support some students who need extra support with Tier I expectations. Tier II supports may include referral to the CAST/SST (Student Success Team) Team, counseling, extra tutoring or academic interventions, Check & Connect, Check-In Check-Out, extra mentoring, or classroom support.

TIER III

Tier III supports provide individual support for a few students who need additional support above and beyond Tier II. These include all of Tier II supports with additional support from outside resources, individualized plans developed by a team of school experts.



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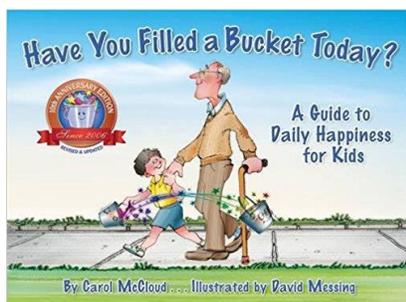
In California, MTSS is an integrated, comprehensive framework that focuses on Common Core State Standards, core instruction, differentiated learning, student-centered learning, individualized student needs, and the alignment of systems necessary for all students' academic, behavioral, and social success, according to the California Department of Education. Corey School uses this exact system, which relies on staff collaboration and data-driven decision-making to help our students both in and out of the classroom.

In addition to providing high-quality instruction and interventions based on student needs, MTSS uses data to allocate resources and calls for regular checks to determine whether the assistance is working and what changes or follow-ups are necessary.

Going from Gold to Platinum

We are overjoyed to announce that the California PBIS Coalition has recognized ARTHUR F. COREY SCHOOL for its implementation at the **Platinum** level. Corey School was 1 of 17 schools to receive this status across California, which has over 10,000 schools.





MTSS includes Academic, Behavioral, and Social Emotional Learning

- Academic supports are in place across all grade levels and subjects to ensure academic success.
- Behavioral supports are provided to help students follow school-wide behavioral expectations to ensure everyone is safe and able to learn successfully.
- Social-emotional support includes the child's experience, expression, and management of emotions and the ability to establish positive and rewarding relationships with others.
- **Self-Awareness**
- **Self-Management**
- **Social Awareness**
- **Relationship Skills**
- **Decision-Making**

First Trimester at Corey

Where has the time gone? It seems like just yesterday we were welcoming new and prior students back to school. August was a busy month with student led SPIRIT Rotations, which reinforced positive playground expectations, teacher led rotations to teach school-wide behavior expectations, reading of the book Have You Filled a Bucket Today? A Guide to Daily Happiness for Kids, by Carol McCloud, and the distribution of Paws of Praise to students demonstrating exemplary behaviors. September brought Cougar Awards, CAST/SST Meetings, and Parent Teacher Conferences. Then, October hit us, and our students experienced their first Corey SPIRIT Raffle of the school year. Prizes such as gift cards to local venues, art supplies, and board games were available. We also held our monthly CAST/SST meeting to further support our students. October also brought our annual Halloween Parade, which garnered a high attendance from parents, family members, and close friends. The trimester will conclude with report cards and an Accelerated Reader and Honor Roll Assembly.

What to expect next trimester!

November will bring our first "No One Eats Alone" Day, as well as our SPIRIT activity, Pizza with the Principal. In December, we will be selling and distributing Holiday/Friendship Grams for 10 SPIRIT Tickets each. Corey will also host its annual Christmas Program. After winter break, the SPIRIT Team will be hosting a Winter Wonderland Dance, and there will also be a FREE Family Bingo Night! In February, we will be having another "No One Eats Alone" Day, as well as another SPIRIT Raffle.

We look forward to any suggestions and will actively seek feedback on our programs from staff, parents, and students throughout the year. A Corey SPIRIT Survey is on the horizon, so please be on the lookout!

Work * Respect * Belong