

# THE CARDIFF WAY

## PLAYGROUND RULES

### **Act Responsibly.**

Follow adult directions • Always do your best • Use self-control • Think before you act - consider the consequences • Take responsibility for your actions • Take care of school and personal property

### **Show Respect.**

Treat others with respect • Accept differences in others • Use good manners • Be considerate of the feelings of others • Keep hands and feet to yourself • Respect others' personal space • Deal peacefully with anger, insults and disagreements • Play fair and include others

### **Care for Others.**

Use kind words, tones and actions • Try to see others' point of view • Express appreciation

• Help people in need • Be an active listener • Encourage others

### **Be Honest.**

Speak the truth • Be reliable - do what you say you'll do • Have the courage to do the right thing

#### **Positive Consequences**

- CARDIFF WAY Tickets
  - Verbal praise
- Recognition at Awards Assemblies

#### **Negative Consequences**

- Warning
- Time Out/Loss of recess
  - Discipline Notice
  - Send to Principal
  - Parents Contacted

**Severe Action:** When a student uses bad language, a child's safety is at stake, or a theft is involved, the child will be sent to the principal's office and the parents will be contacted.

#### Bells

STOP playing when bell rings  
PUT AWAY any equipment you used  
WALK to your line  
SIT quietly until teachers come

#### Blacktop

No running  
Games are open to all students  
No kicking playground balls

#### Equipment

No chase or tag  
Swings:  
One direction only, bottom on swing only  
No twisting chain or jumping off  
Take turns (100 count)

#### Slides:

Down only with bottom on slide  
One student at a time  
No sand on slides

#### Bars/Rings:

One direction only  
Take turns  
No sitting or standing on top

#### "Zip Line":

One-way ride only , one student at a time

#### Sand:

Keep sand off sidewalks  
No throwing sand

#### Fields

Keep balls away from fences  
No wrestling or tackling

#### General

Stay on playground unless you have permission  
Use the playground bathrooms and drinking fountains only  
Stay away from picnic and barbecue area  
All lunches, jackets, folders, etc. must be left on the blacktop behind your room number