

# Positive Behavior Programs and Supports

## Tier I

Strong school values and policies, as well as healthy classroom and schoolwide practices (all students).

**Examples:** Rewards including prize drawings, special recognitions, and assemblies to support positive behavior and attendance, individualized praise and acknowledgement of positive behavior

## Tier II

Targeted support to smaller groups or individual students that need alternative strategies to support their behavioral success. The focus is on supporting students who are at risk for developing more serious problem behavior before they start

**Examples:** Social skills groups, self management, structured breaks, counselor referral, coping skills, relaxation techniques, praise, academic support, check-in/check-out sessions held daily or weekly with a trusted staff member

## Tier III

Intensive and individualized support (student-specific) utilizing formal assessments to improve behavioral and academic outcomes

**Examples:** Structured breaks, mental health provider, counselor referral, sensory tools, Individualized Behavior Support (IEPs), functional based assessments