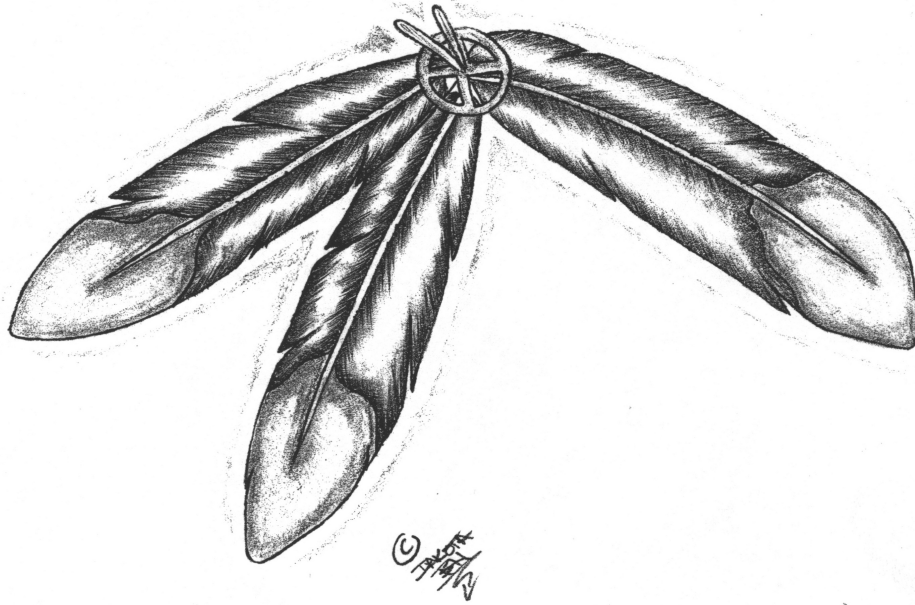


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Second Chance



***“KEEP THE STUDENT IN SCHOOL WITH ALL THE SPIRITUAL GUIDANCE AND
POTENTIAL GRASPING A TEACHABLE MOMENT”.***

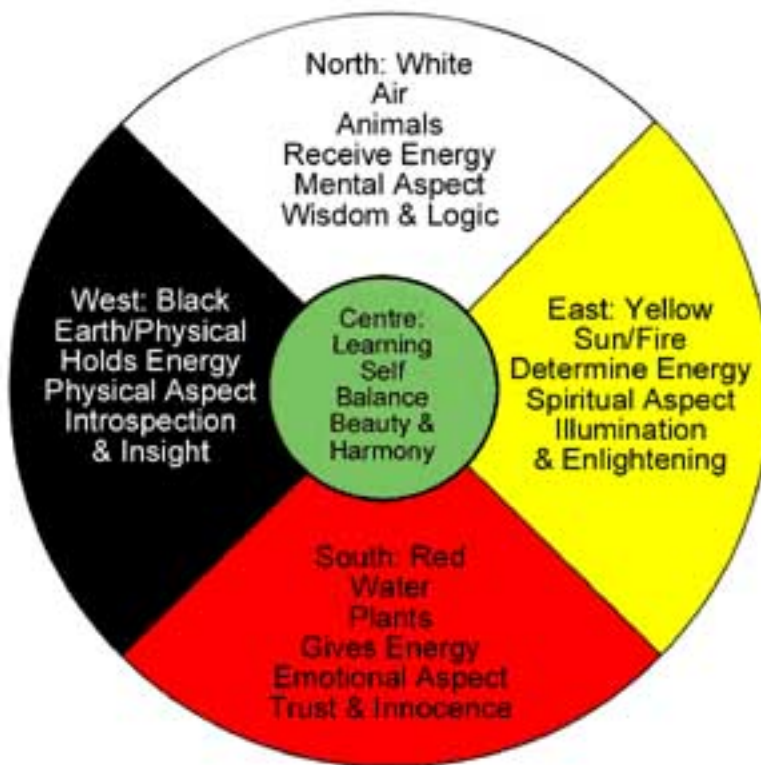


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“Second Chance” is a program that provides a specific disciplinary action to keep students from having difficulties in school. The “Second Chance” program keeps students in school and continues the educational experience. The program will help to defeat the negative consequences of Out of School Suspension (OSS) and helps the students stay in the “First Step” of In School Suspension (ISS)

The students who experience personal, academic, or behavioral difficulties will receive spiritual guidance and counseling to improve their self-image, self-discipline, and self-esteem. Giving students a second chance can help the student make better personnel, social, and academic decisions and choices.

The student is isolated from the learning environment of the regular classroom, but will remain in a school setting with required coursework, teacher input, and adult guidance to make continuous academic and social progress.



Eligibility

Infractions of misbehaviors qualifying a student for In School Suspension (ISS)

**Bullying Behaviors Inappropriate Display of Affection Skipping/Truancy Tobacco Larceny Forgery
Harassing Behaviors Technology/Electronic Device Violation Abusive or Threatening Language
Encouraging a Conflict Disruption of Learning Environment Disrespect/Insubordination/Non-Compliance
Vandalism**



Program Services

Instructional Time
 Special Academic Help
 Counseling Services
 Spiritual Guidance and Knowledge
 Teacher Input
 Adult Supervision

Curriculum Components

Teachers Supply Assignment
 ISS Social and Academic Assignments
 Lakota Cultural Intervention Strategies
 Nurturance
 Build Respectful Relationships between
 Teachers and Students



Assessment

Assess students who may have unidentified learning disabilities
 Assist in assignment completion with classroom teacher
 Team with counselor to explore root causes of problem(s)
 Team involvement with tribal community services of programs
 Engage and communicate with Parent/Guardian(s)
 “Second Chance” peer mediation and conflict resolution team

Incentives

Positive Behavior Interventions & Supports: Blue & Gold Card – A monthly incentive for good standing in Academics* Attendance* Behavior

Time reduction may be given for an ISS student who brings all their class assignments and completes their work within a given timeframe.

Evaluations on a quarterly basis will honor the student(s) who demonstrate and show behavioral improvements for better social and academic decisions and choices.

A daily review will honor and evaluate the effectiveness of the Behavioral Intervention Plan (BIP's) of student(s) showing changes in positive improvements in behavior & academics.

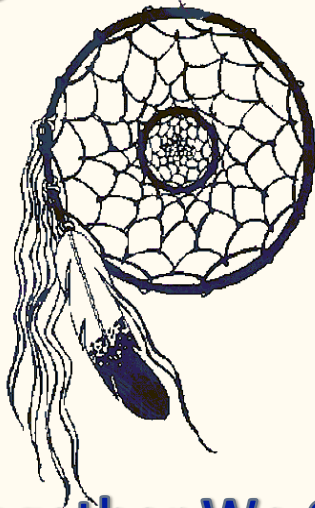
Falcon Positive Behavior Referral – Positive Letter to Parents/Guardian/Community

Other incentives are used to Honor the Student(s).

Mission Statement

The Todd County School District is a partner with families, communities, the Rosebud Sioux Tribe, and other education groups. We pledge to prepare our students for success academically, socially, culturally, and spiritually in a ever-changing world.

Together We Care



Together We Can

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