



As part of the Iowa Department of Education Learning Supports, we will develop, support and guide cross-agency implementation of a statewide, comprehensive, and integrated system of Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports for families, schools and communities to support all children and youth.

A Show of Success with PBIS

Thirty–nine schools across the state are being recognized for their success with PBIS development, implementation and sustainability. Congratulations to our school teams, staff, students, parents and communities who work together to create safe, healthy, and caring learning environments.

Emerging PBIS School Awards

Eldora –New Providence Elementary	Keystone AEA
Red Oak Middle	Green Hills AEA
Walnut Elementary	Green Hills AEA
De Soto Intermediate	Heartland AEA
Sunnyside Elementary	Great Prairie AEA
Kinsey Elementary	Northwest AEA
Liberty Elementary	Northwest AEA
Spalding Catholic - Alton	Northwest AEA
Spalding Catholic – Granville	Northwest AEA
Loess Hills Elementary	Northwest AEA

2014 PBIS School Awards

The Emerging School Award was opened to teams trained in 2013-14 who developed all products for implementation. During 2014, the team rolled out their systems to students, staff and families.

Teams were eligible for the Honor School Award if they taught and acknowledged expectations and instituted a continuum of consequences for behaviors not consistent with the expectations. In addition, Honor schools utilized data to make decisions and to update action plans to enhance implementation.

The Honor Plus level was awarded to schools that met fidelity for Tier 1 on the Benchmarks of Quality and used this assessment to begin the development of a multi-tiered action plan to include Tier 2 systems and practices.

Honor PBIS School Awards

Washington Elementary	AEA 267
Lincoln Elementary	AEA 267
Westwood Elementary	Heartland AEA
Horizon Elementary	Heartland AEA
Perry Elementary	Heartland AEA
Newell-Fonda Elementary	Prairie Lakes
Prairie Valley Elementary	Prairie Lakes
North High	Northwest AEA
Spalding Park Elementary	Northwest AEA
Ireton Elementary	Northwest AEA
Hawarden Elementary	Northwest AEA

Honor Plus PBIS School Awards

Lambert Elementary	Keystone AEA
Jefferson Elementary	AEA 267
Western Hills Elementary	Heartland AEA
Summit Middle	Heartland AEA
North Hill Elementary	Great Prairie AEA
Grimes Elementary	Great Prairie AEA
Washington Elementary	Great Prairie AEA
Libertyville Elementary	Great Prairie AEA
Keokuk High	Great Prairie AEA
West Monona Middle	Northwest AEA

Two schools were awarded the Banner level. Each school maintained fidelity for Tier 1 implementation, had a Tier 2 team in place that used a decision rule to identify students needing support, and used a progress monitoring process for students receiving targeted supports. Banner schools earned at least 50% of the critical elements for Tier 2 in place and at least 50% of identified students receiving targeted supports responded to the intervention.

Teams applying for Banner Plus completed the Banner application and continued with the Banner Plus section. Three schools met criteria for this level. Banner Plus schools had 80% of the critical elements for Tier 2 in place and at least 70% of their students identified as receiving targeted supports responded to the intervention.

Paramount schools must meet the criteria for all previous levels of recognition and had 80% of the critical elements for the Intensive Tier in place with at least 50% of identified students provided with intensive supports responding to the intervention. Intensive supports should match student need and a process to progress monitor the impact of the individualized behavior plan must be in place. Four schools met criteria for this award and have sustained all efforts as they progressed to full implementation.

Banner PBIS School Awards

Eleanor Roosevelt Middle
Xavier Elementary

Keystone AEA
Keystone AEA

Banner Plus PBIS School Awards

Robert Blue Middle
Feelhaver Elementary
Gehlen Catholic

Prairie Lakes
Prairie Lakes
Northwest AEA

Paramount PBIS School Awards

Starmont Elementary
East Sac Elementary – Sac City
East Sac Elementary – Wall Lake Bldg.
Stratford Elementary

Keystone AEA
Prairie Lakes
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**CONGRATULATIONS
TO ALL OF OUR
OUTSTANDING SCHOOLS!**

LEARNING SUPPORTS CONFERENCE REGISTRATION OPENS

The Spring Conference will be held at the Iowa Events Center on April 22nd and 23rd. During the conference elementary and secondary school teams will share their experiences with implementation. Presentations will include topics related to developing systems across the continuum, improving school culture, data-based decision-making, utilizing community supports, enhancing student voice, sustaining efforts and much, much more. The PBIS Video Festival will be held on April 22nd. The PBIS Recognition Ceremony for schools receiving awards is scheduled for 2:30 pm on April 23rd.

The registration link for the conference can be accessed at: <http://goo.gl/hboQVL>

The PBIS strands and Mental Health Agenda can be accessed at: <http://pbisiowa-technicalassistance.wikispaces.com/LEARNING+SUPPORTS+CONFERENCE++April+22-23%2C+2015>

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