

Rewards and Recognition

At Blessed Robert Sutton we expect the highest of standards from all our students and look to both recognise and reward students when they exhibit this. We currently have a Rewards policy that has 4 strands.



1. Achievement Points

These can be given for a whole host of reasons from any member of staff. Reasons include following The Sutton Way, showing academic, spiritual or social excellence throughout any part of the school day. As well as receiving achievement points, students will also receive one of the following:

- A Praise Postcard
- Attendance Certificate
- Chip Friday token
- Hot chocolate with their Year Leader
- Milkshake Friday
- Positive phone home
- Positive verbal feedback
- Subject Award
- Sutton Star
- Year Leader Award
- Headteacher Award







As students receive achievement points, they are encouraged to aim for the thresholds below, resulting in them receiving a commemorative Bronze, Silver, Gold or Platinum badge:

- Bronze-30 points
- Silver 60 points
- Gold 100 points
- Platinum 140 points









2. Student 'Shout Outs'

These are awarded at the end of each week and include a handwritten note from a teacher explaining as to why a student has received it. These can be rewarded for a multitude of reasons but often reflect a student's efforts, acts of kindness or general courteous behaviour that make them a pleasure to teach. These 'Shout Outs' are then given to students as part of their 'Feel Good Friday' afternoon registration period.



3. Weekly Focus Rewards

Each week a focus reward theme is identified and shared with students. Those students that fulfil the criteria of the week are placed into the wheel of fortune during 'Feel Good Friday' afternoon registration period. Themes include 100% Attendance (from a set date), '0' Behaviour points, Exhibiting the Schools values, Excellent quality of Homework and Attendance to Extra-Curricular Clubs to name but a few. All students that have managed to fulfil the criteria receive a Praise Postcard home and the lucky winners have previously won various treats, including chocolate hampers, free chip tokens, book vouchers, Amazon vouchers and even got to pick their own picnic.









4. Golden Tickets

The final strand to our rewards system our Golden Tickets. Staff allocate these tickets to students for going beyond what is expected of them, showing academic/spiritual or social excellence either inside or outside of the classroom.

These tickets are extremely special, as staff only have a finite supply so have to save them for our very best behaviours. Each Golden Ticket is placed into our various collection points around school, where at the end of each term they are collected to be used as part of a raffle.

Each golden ticket is an entry to the raffle for a 'big prize' which have included 340 Nando's Voucher, theme park tickets and even sports event tickets.





