

PRIDE Promise

Today I am showing my Pioneer Pride.
I am making Positive, Responsible, Intelligent
Decisions Every day.
I will be safe, respectful,
and responsible,
because...

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It's the Jaguar Way!

For additional information on the Jaguar Way, including videos, the recognition program, discipline information, please visit our website at:

<http://www.ashwaubenon.k12.wi.us/pioneer/pioneerjaguarway>

The Parent Guide to the Jaguar Way



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Be Safe, Be Respectful, Be Responsible...



What is the Jaguar Way?

The Jaguar Way is Pioneer School's Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) approach to teaching and supporting positive behaviors to all students. The Jaguar Way focuses on:

- ◆ Be Safe
- ◆ Be Respectful
- ◆ Be Responsible

Students are taught specific expectations and procedures for all areas of the school. Students can be given Jag Tags, which are recognition for good behavior and decision-making.

What are Jag Tags?

Acknowledging and reinforcing positive behaviors is one of the best ways to change behavior. Jag Tags are our positive reinforcement for students. When a staff member observes a student going above and beyond making good choices, they can give a student a Jag Tag for their behavior.

What do students do with Jag Tags?

Students collect Jag Tags which can be turned in for prizes. Prizes can be awarded at the classroom and school-wide levels, along with individual prizes. Examples of classroom incentives include extra recess time and using the teacher's chair. Individual prizes can include water bottles, Pioneer t-shirts, and much more!

What are majors and minors?

Although expectations are taught and students are consistently recognized for behaving according to expectations, students may make a choice that violates our expectations. When this occurs, student will be given a major or minor. Minors are behavior problems that do not align with the Jaguar Way expectations. Minors are handled in the classroom by Pioneer Staff. Majors are extreme or repeated behaviors. When a student receives a major, he or she will be sent to the office to discuss their choice making and how to make better choices. A contact will be made home.

The Jaguar Way at home...

You can continue the Jaguar Way at home! Discuss with your expectations and how to be safe, respectful, and responsible at home. Remember to reinforce the positives!

Here are a few suggestions on how you can support the Jaguar Way at home:

- ◆ Surround your child with positive role models.
- ◆ Talk to your child about their school day.
- ◆ Ask your child about the Jaguar Way.
- ◆ Inform your child's teacher of any changes that might effect behavior at school.
- ◆ When talking with your child, focus on the positives. Praise them for the things they do well.
- ◆ Provide a quiet time and space for your child to do nightly homework.

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