



## Rewards

At Chipping Norton School, we really value the effort and commitment demonstrated by our students. Rewards are used by staff as a way of motivating students, raising confidence and self-esteem, and celebrating success. Staff use a variety of ways to recognise and celebrate individual and group success. These include:

- Verbal and non-verbal praise.
- Motivating written comments in students' books and folders.
- Awarding Achievement Points for their effort and for reaching goals in their learning.
- Personal Telephone calls or emails to parents and carers.
- Praise postcards sent home to students and their parents/ carers by subject teachers; Head of Departments; associate staff.
- Celebrating high levels of school attendance through attendance certificates and Tutor/Head of Year recognition.
- Fantastic Friday – Assistant Headteachers send weekly postcard messages to students who have been nominated by their subject teachers or associate staff for consistently demonstrating excellence as standard. For example, this could be in school or homework, or work within the local community.
- Ask Heads of Department, Heads of Year, Senior Leaders or the Headteacher to speak to groups of children to praise and celebrate student success.
- Nominations for school celebration events such as celebration assemblies which take place each term. Students receive awards (Gold, Silver and Bronze) based on their personal scorecards and receive tutor, assistant Head of Year and Head of Year special recognition awards.
- Headteacher award – recognition of special achievement.