

Cowden-Herrick Schools

PBIS “Cool Tool” Lesson Plan

School Wide Expectations:

Be Ready
Be Responsible
Be Respectful

Lesson Topic: Bathroom Skills/cleanliness

Purpose of the Lesson:

1. To teach students personal hygiene skills.
2. To maintain a safe, healthy, and clean environment for all with Cowden-Herrick students.

Teaching Examples:

1. Angela used the bathroom and was in a hurry to get back to class because she didn't want to miss gym. She began to leave but stopped and remembered that she hadn't washed her hands. She went to the sink and washed them.
2. A boy used the bathroom. He almost got to the sink when he stopped and remembered that he forgot to flush the toilet. He immediately went back and did so and then washed his hands.
3. Two girls walked into the bathroom and saw paper towels on the floor. One said to the other, "That looks awful. I wonder who did that?" The other girl replied, "I don't know, but we should pick them up so the bathroom stays clean."

Student Activities/Role Play:

1. Discuss why it is important to have good hygiene.
2. Discuss how maintaining a clean environment helps you to take pride in yourself and your school.
3. Ask students to verbalize school expectations before using the bathroom.

Follow up/Reinforcement Activities:

1. Praise and give “Buzz Bucks” to students you catch students using good hygiene and helping to keep the bathrooms clean.
2. Praise your students when the class as a whole leaves the bathroom and it is clean.
3. Let your students know that you appreciate that they are doing their part in keeping the school clean.