

One of the ways we recognize our students is through our Bear Pride Program. Please read below if you are interested in finding out the details...

BEAR PRIDE PROGRAM

- Mission:** To recognize all students at Tahoma Middle School for the variety of accomplishments throughout the school year.
- Goal:** Encourage many students to be involved at Tahoma Middle School activities while recognizing all those who have met criteria.
- Program:** All students will receive a “Bear Pride” certificate upon enrollment. Students achieve stickers through participation in the following areas:
- 1) **Academics** – Any student who achieves a 3.2 grade point average for the quarter will receive a sticker. No paperwork is required of the student for this category.
 - 2) **Athletics** – Any student who participates and finishes a sports season at Tahoma Middle School will receive a sticker. No Paperwork is necessary for this category.
 - 3) **Activities** – Any student who participates and finishes a club either at Tahoma Middle School or an outside group will receive a sticker. A minimum of 12 hours must be devoted to this activity. You must fill out an activity participation form in order to receive a sticker in this category. You can acquire forms in at the main office. They need to be submitted to Ms. Clarke in the office when completely filled out.
 - 4) **Recognition** – Any student nominated by a staff member, parent, or community member will receive a sticker. These nominations will represent a good deed, showing pride, being a good citizen, cooperation, well mannered, etc. This category is wide open. To receive credit from a parent or community member proper paperwork must be completed. You can acquire forms in at the main office. These forms will be submitted by staff members or by community members. They need to be submitted to Ms. Clarke in the office when completely filled out.
 - 5) **Community Service** – Any student who participates as a volunteer in a community service activity will receive a sticker. A five hour minimum is required. You must fill out an activity participation form and have the volunteer supervisor sign the form in order to receive a pin in this category. You can acquire forms in at the main office. They need to be submitted to Ms. Clarke in the office when completely filled out.
- Rewards:** 2011-2012 School Year – recognition parties
- End of 1st Quarter – 3 stickers from 3 separate areas to qualify
 - End of 2nd Quarter – 3 stickers from 3 separate areas to qualify
 - End of 3rd Quarter – 3 stickers from 3 separate areas to qualify