Tips for providing feedback in the classroom

Positive Specific Feedback

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| - Hi, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Happy to see you. | - I appreciate how you came in and went straight to your seat. Very responsible. |
| - Thank you for remembering your DPR. | - Thank you for being prompt. That helps us get started on time.  - You kept working even though the assignment was challenging. Thank you for showing such great effort.  - You were very responsible in returning the note that went home yesterday. Thank you.  - I appreciate how you helped your neighbor find the (assignment, page, paragraph, etc.). That was kind.  - You gave a nice compliment to \_\_\_\_\_\_ when you said \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. That was very thoughtful.  - You used great manners when you said, “Excuse me,” after you accidentally bumped into that desk. Great job.  - Wonderful job today completing your assignment. You were working hard. Thank you. |
| - You remembered to stop at your locker on the way. Awesome. |
| - You have your assignment. That’s really responsible. Thank you. |
| - Great job getting to work right away. |
| - You raised your hand and waited patiently. Thank you. That was very respectful. |
| - Thank you for using low voice level in your group conversation. That was very respectful. |
| - Thanks for keeping your attention focused on the lesson. That was very responsible. |
| - I appreciate you sharing your (paper, book, extra pencil, etc.) with your partner. That was helpful. |
| - Thanks for sitting in your seat correctly. That is really safe. |

Corrective Feedback

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| - Please raise your hand if you want to contribute or have a question.  - It’s important to say, “Excuse me,” if you accidentally bother someone.  - Be sure to stop at your locker before class to be prepared. | - Please focus your attention on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ so you will be able to get the information you need.  - It’s important to be safe by keeping all chair legs on the floor. Thank you.  - Remember to begin your bell-ringer right away when you come in the room. Thank you. |