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Impact: Student Attendance Proposal

Objective

As student representatives advocating for increased student attendance and engagement, we aim to improve our numbers through healthy rivalry with our peers. As young adults, one of the best ways to encourage us is through competition, so, in recognition of that, we are proposing an idea to help us address the issue of student attendance. It is important to note that data will be collected statistically and not by the teachers discretion to ensure there is an even playing field across the board for all students.

Breakdown

The Reward - Tiger Cart:

- This will be a cart filled with snacks, drinks, fidgets, Tucker gear, etc. as a reward for Battle of the Tigers
- There will be a menu of prices placed on the cart
- Classes will receive Tiger points based on collective class attendance
 - Everybody present: 1 point
 - Everybody present with no tardies: 2 points
 - Tiger Turn Around participants: earn an extra point
- The cart will come around on Wednesday to reward classes for their attendance (We chose Wednesday to motivate students to show up the rest of the week)
- Possible incentive when returning back from Christmas and Spring break
- Potential dates for reward to be given: January 28th, February 25th, March 25th, and April 29th (last Wednesday of every month)

The System - Battle of the Tigers:

- 4 hallways compete once a marking period (Day 1 & Day 2)
- Attendance is taken from the 3rd and 4th period (Monday and Friday)
- 8 winners total
- Reward given during lunch
- Reward: Tiger Cart (elaborated above) ↑
- Teachers and Admin will use a spreadsheet for tracking attendance
- School Security will check classes for attendance. During their daily check-ins they will pop their head in and ask for their attendance stats based on the point system above

Tiger Turn Around:

- The Tiger Turn Around program occurs on Saturdays closer to the end of every marking period. This initiative provides an opportunity for students who have accumulated multiple tardies or who are not performing at their best academic level to come to school,

make up any missing work, and receive additional support in areas where they may be experiencing difficulties. Teachers dedicate their weekend to coming to school to help students complete their academic requirements. This program was established by faculty at J.R. Tucker High School with the objective of seeing their students graduate and be successful in life. The teachers are dedicated to going above and beyond to ensure their students reach the exciting moment of graduating and receiving their high school diplomas.

- The Battle of the Tigers will support those students by giving double the points to the students' class for taking time out of their weekend to put in the extra effort and take the opportunity to reach their best academic potential.
- The attendance team will pull students that participated in Tiger Turnaround and will be added to the list for their class to receive extra points.

Estimated Cost

Examples of rewards and their cost (all estimations)

Name of Reward	Amount of Students	Item and amount	Cost	Miscellaneous	Total
*Snacks for Cart	200~	Box of Chips Bags of Candy Gatorade Soda	TBD	Tucker swag (could be acquired from school)	TBD
	ALTERNATIVE	REWARDS	BELOW		
Pizza (Little Caesars)?	200~	Lg pepperoni and cheese (50)	\$364.50	Drinks etc.	\$400.00
Ice Cream	200~	Ice Cream Party Cups (224)	\$98.82	Chocolate and strawberry syrup, sprinkles, chocolate chips, etc.	\$125.00
Catered Chick-Fil-A?	200~	Chicken Nugget platter	TBD	Drinks etc.	TBD