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Student Employee Appreciation Week Ideas

- Take pictures - post employee pictures and list what wonderful things they do for your department. Place pictures on your bulletin board if you have one.
- Hold your own awards ceremony and design awards for unique categories (i.e., Best Attendance, Best Customer Service, Most Organized, etc.).
- Send a personalized thank you note or an e-card stating your appreciation.
- Post appreciations on your social media.
- Create a video saying thank you to your student employees.
- Take a screenshot of an office group zoom where each person has written a sign sharing appreciation.
- Decorate office doors or bulletin boards with posters expressing appreciation to your student workers and listing all their names. Make a banner to hand in your office for the week.
- Create a large thank you card and have your staff sign it.
- Honor your student employees with a round of applause in your staff meeting.
- Pat on the Back - Draw an outline of your hand on a piece of paper. Photocopy enough copies for all students in your office. On each hand write a note that tells the student why they deserve a "Pat on the Back".
- Have a secret pal that does little things for them throughout the week. At the end of the week, host a lunch to reveal secret pals!
- Good Egg Award – buy plastic Easter Eggs, fill with goodies and give out with "Good Egg" certificates. List what the student did to deserve this award.
- Award or raffle off small tokens of appreciation, such as movie tickets or gift cards.
- Have balloons or flowers at the student worker's desk one day.
- Provide lunch for your student employees, have a pizza party, organize a potluck.
- Snack Goodie Bag – Fill with small packs of crackers, cookies, candy and chips.
- Popcorn – Fill a bowl or individual mini bowls daily, inexpensive yet tasty.
- Fruit – Have a bowl of fresh fruit out for all to enjoy.
- Bring in a dessert for your student employees, or Treat Week, each day bring something different -cookies, popcorn, candy, etc., or have a sundae bar.
- Candy Ideas:
 - "You are worth 100 Grand!" (100 Grand)
 - "You are out of this world!" (Mars or Milky Way)
 - "Thanks for the Mounds of work you do!" (Mounds)
 - "We love you!!! XOXO" (Hershey's Hugs and Kisses)
 - "Thanks for always being willing to do Extra!" (Extra Gum)
- Use YOUR imagination...A simple THANK YOU for all you do will go a long way!