

# RSI Card FAQ

## **What is the purpose of the RSI Card?**

The RSI card is a communication tool between home & school, as well as a data tracking device used to monitor & reward patterns in student behavior.

## **What does a “signature” mean?**

A signature is merely a way to document whatever issue has occurred and has no initial consequence. It is the accumulation of signatures that result in consequences. The first level of consequences starts at 3 signatures on the Citizenship side, and 5 signatures on the Scholarship side.

## **Can a signature result in an office referral?**

Yes—students are referred to the office after 15 Scholarship signatures or 6 Citizenship signatures. Steps will be implemented before and after this referral to try and help students change their negative behavior pattern.

## **Why am I getting phone calls?**

Students must call home and report on any signature received after 5 (Scholarship) or 3 (Citizenship). The purpose of this phone call is again, communication between home and school, as well as providing a natural consequence for your child. Our hope is that these phone calls home serve as a deterrent for future poor choices.

## **What is my role as a parent regarding the RSI card?**

Your child must get your signature on the RSI card at the beginning of each week. There is a parent signature section on the Scholarship side with the corresponding dates for each quarter. Please sign every week, but know that we expect the students to show responsibility in obtaining your signature each weekend. Also, please take the time to discuss any signatures with your child. What a great opportunity for them to learn from their mistakes!

## **Is this program all about negative consequences?**

Absolutely not! The staff at RSI prides ourselves in creating a positive, encouraging environment for our students. In fact, the RSI card helps facilitate much of our positive programming by providing equally useful data on who is making the right choices! Programs running concurrently with the RSI card:

- weekly “Golden Ticket” winners for no signatures
- monthly team compliment competitions
- monthly drawings for “Golden Ticket” winners
- the iROCK Character program with monthly “Rockstars”
- quarterly celebrations based on few RSI card signatures
- random team and classroom rewards given at teachers’ discretion