

PROJECT EXCEL BOZEMAN HIGH SCHOOL

Bozeman High School's **Project Excel Program** is a recognition and incentive program designed to promote student achievement. It is a partnership between Bozeman High and the community. With the help of concerned businesses in our community, Bozeman High School has been able to reward its deserving students.

Students must apply each semester by obtaining an application from the Attendance Office. Freshmen may not apply until second semester. Bulletins and announcements will be forthcoming when the applications will be available.

Following is a brief review of the requirements and benefits of the program for your information.

- The **Gold** card requires a 4.0 GPA for the preceding semester, no administrative detentions or suspensions, no more than 5 excused absences and /or three tardies in any period, and no unexcused absences. Students renewing their cards must have completed 15 hours of community service during the previous semester.
- The **Silver** card requires a 3.0 to 3.9 GPA for the preceding semester, no administrative detentions or suspensions, no more than 5 excused absences and /or three tardies in any period, and no unexcused absences. Students renewing their cards must have completed 10 hours of community service during the previous semester.
- The **Blue** card can be attained if the student has perfect attendance in the preceding semester **OR** by improving his/her semester GPA by .5 over their cumulative GPA, two or fewer administrative detentions, and no suspensions.

The Project Excel card functions as an out-of-study-hall pass (specific destinations only) and may be used to excuse some absences with parent permission.

Project Excel card holders may drop their study hall (with parent permission) and have a "free period." They may not remain in the halls.

Benefits include discounts or free items donated by local business, discounts for selected BHS dances, academic letter (gold), academic pins, coupons and early locker sign-ups for next year (second semester card holders). A complete list of benefits will be posted in the attendance office.