

All about the Houses....

Our 5th graders are the **Leaders** who exemplify strong character, leadership qualities by teaching, guiding, and modeling for others.

- ❖ Student Council - plan house activities, community service events, and competitions.
- ❖ Buddy with primary students at various times.

4th grade are the **Assistants**. They learn and practice while participating in leadership activities along side the 5th graders.

- ❖ Student Council class representative to serve alongside 5th grade partner.

3rd grade are the **Apprentices** who watch and learn.

- ❖ Student Council class representative will attend meetings.

K-2 - participate via the house of their teacher.

Serving the Community

Each quarter the houses will brainstorm ways to help our school community and the greater community. This will be a school wide competition.

The House cup will go to the house that was most successful. Some projects that students will complete:

- * learn to tie your shoes - helping our younger students
- * having pride in the appearance of our school
- * becoming a book buddy
- * Holiday Food drive for the Food Bank
- * Helping community organizations
- * Other ideas created by the houses



Braden River Elementary's Innovative Houses of Character



Vision:

The Innovative House System creates a stronger BRE community through leadership skills, collaboration, strong character, and by supporting our community through service.

House of Strength and Bravery



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- ❖ Kindness
- ❖ Gratitude
- ❖ Empathy

House of Visionaries and Dreamers



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- ❖ Creativity
- ❖ Cooperation
- ❖ Perseverance
- ❖ Responsible

House that Empowers Others



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- ❖ Courage
- ❖ Respect
- ❖ Honesty

House Representation

Students will have multiple opportunities to show their house support.

- ❖ Design the House Crest
- ❖ Create the House chant
- ❖ Wear your House colors
- ❖ Read in the School Wide Read-a-thon
- ❖ Earn beads for demonstrating exemplary character
- ❖ Participate in the Democratic Process
- ❖ Community service
- ❖ BRE Ambassadors