Book Vending Machine Comes to Highland Elementary School

Highland Elementary School is implementing a new way to reward students for positive behavior through the use of a Bookworm Vending Machine. Students will earn Inchy Tokens when they are recognized for embodying Life Ready Graduate skills and dispositions to “purchase” a book of their choice. Students will also receive tokens on their birthdays!

Highland Elementary School Intervention Specialist Jessica Werntz was awarded an Ephrata Area Education Foundation Venture Grant to make her vision a reality for Highland students. “Highland’s Bookworm Vending Machine further promotes the expansion of learning opportunities, supports elementary education, and fosters a life-long love of reading,” she explained.

The book vending machine has been customized with an Ephrata-branded wrap and will be introduced to students on Monday, October 3 during a ribbon cutting ceremony.

MEDIA OPPORTUNITY – MONDAY, OCTOBER 3, 10:00 AM

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