

# Growth Announcements

We get more of what we celebrate. By honoring your students' positive behaviors, this simple announcement inspires students and staff to grow results, building a community of belonging and wellbeing.

## Sample

At our school, we look out for each other. This year, **Lincoln** students have now completed **348** EduGuide Challenges to support each other. Today we honor the student who said, "**I helped someone learn something they had a struggle with.**"

## Script

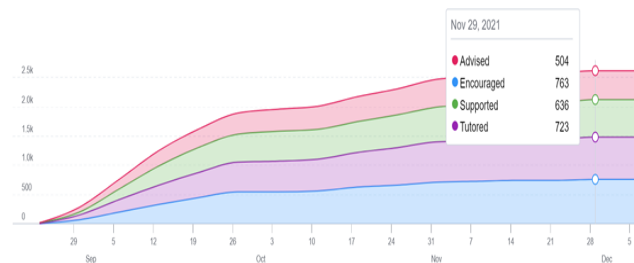
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## Tips

- **Anonymity.** Protect the privacy of the student and those they've helped by removing any names. The student will still treasure being honored when they hear their words being read aloud.
- **Mondays.** Motivate students all week long by sharing this announcement early.
- **Parents.** Add this announcement to your newsletter or social media posts to reassure parents of the many positive ways students are helping one another.
- **Peers.** Share this at network, district or regional meetings to elevate student voices and provide a model for others.
- **Board.** Where appropriate, share with the school board or other district leaders to provide positive examples of your learning community and student leadership.

## About EduGuide Challenges

In each activity, students learn 1 EduGuide Skill and then choose an EduGuide Challenge to help 1 other person with that skill. The next week students report on how it went. After 10 students have completed an EduGuide Challenge, this [chart](#) tracks the growth of your peer mentoring community.



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