



# GROW YOUR TEAM

## AT THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR

Giving your staff a way to recognize each other for making a difference is a great way to create a group that will want to help one another. You might want to create a spirit link station complete with pens and pre-cut links in your room so staffers can acknowledge others as things happen.

Use our full-color, perforated designs or make your own strips using construction paper. Whenever staffers write a link, they should add it to the chain which can be hung in your room and grow throughout the year.

Maybe staff members read their links aloud prior to hanging them on the chain or maybe it's a fun end-of-the-year activity before the books deliver or after they are distributed.

## AT THE END OF THE YEAR

It's never too late to recognize staff members on a job well done. Give each staff member enough strips to write down something they appreciate about each person on staff. Take turns reading them at the end-of-the-year banquet and create the chain then. As a staff, they can decide whether it should be given to the editor of this year's book or left hanging in the room as a decoration/reminder to the next staff.

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