

## Roxboro Road Middle School Student Donovan Spears is Making Contact Proud!

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Donovan Spears, a 5th-grade student at Roxboro Road Middle School in Mrs. O'Connor's class, is feeling proud for the vast improvement in his attendance this school year. Donovan, pictured to the right, proudly holds up his daily attendance chart that is reviewed and completed daily during his morning "check-in." Donovan receives a sticker each morning that he arrives to homeroom on time and is recognized with drawing or computer time for every three consecutive days of timely arrival. Donovan receives additional support from Contact academically during study hall, lunch and as recommended by his teacher.



*“I like Contact because I get recognized for doing something better than I normally do. I like my attendance better because I am in school for more things. Being checked in on every morning helps me because I always have reminders to be on time to school.”*

*-Donovan*

