



SCHOOL DISTRICT 54

Ensuring Student Success

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Halloween 2018

A thrilling fall event for many children is **Halloween** as they get to dress up as their favorite superhero, princess, or cartoon character. We will celebrate Halloween on Wednesday, October 31 with a costume parade beginning at 1:00PM and a classroom party from 1:15-2:15PM. Please note the following guidelines to ensure a fun and safe event!

- No weapons, look-alike weapons (squirt guns, chains, whips, plastic swords, etc.), fake blood, gore, scary costumes, or costumes depicting violence.
- Also, no roller blades, scooters, or temporary hair color.
- Ensure that costumes are appropriate and inoffensive to all ages at our school.
- Children should bring their costumes to school. They can't wear costumes or make-up to school. Make certain that children can change into their costumes by themselves within a relatively short time.
- Be certain that your child can see through any mask or head covering.
- Any food or drink sent to school will be sent back home with the student. Parties will include fun games and activities that all can enjoy, but no food will be served or included in the games or activities.
- Children who are out sick in the morning can't come to school in the afternoon for the Halloween party. Dismissal will be at the regular Wednesday time (2:30PM). Students won't have time to change clothes prior to dismissal.

If the weather permits, we'll hold our costume parade outdoors. Cones will be set up around the building. Family members will stand outside the cones to take pictures/videos, while the students parade closest to the building. Grade 5-6 will stand at the back of the building and tag onto the end of the parade as the younger students pass them by. This way they see the parade and participate. If the weather is inclement, then all grade levels will parade through the gym. Parents will stand in the middle of the gym, while the students parade around the perimeter.

If you are volunteering in a classroom, please sign in on the sheet in the front hallway beginning at 12:45PM. Set-up for the parties will begin at 1:00PM, so you will have to wait in the front hallway. Only designated volunteers who have already signed up will be allowed in classrooms as we are limited to the number of attendees in each room.

We are looking forward to a fun day for our students and staff!

Happy Halloween!

Mrs. Gurga and the Frightful Fairview Staff