

HOLLY HILLS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL HALLOWEEN PARADE & HARVEST PARTY

Friday, October 29th, 2021 at 9:05 a.m.

Dear Parents/Guardians:

The Holly Hills School Halloween Parade and Harvest Class Parties will be held on Friday, October 29th. The parade for **grades K-3** will begin at **9:05 AM** and will be held here at Holly Hills in our parking lot. The students will parade around the parking lot in front of the school two times. The parade for **Preschool AM** will be at **11:30 am** on the blacktop by the playground. The parade for **Preschool PM** will be at **12:30 pm**. Due to the Early Dismissal Schedule, each grade has individually scheduled their Harvest Parties around their lunch and specials time. Each room parent and the PTO will have a copy of the schedule. The Harvest party will involve only fall/seasonal activities, so that all children are able to participate. Please keep in touch with your classroom teacher for ideas and suggestions for the day's activities. The room parents assigned to each classroom are the only adults invited back to the classroom for the parties and must sign-in in the main office to receive a volunteer pass.

It is the position of Holly Hills Elementary School that all participating students have Halloween costumes that are appropriate for young children. Children need to wear costumes that align with the dress code in the student handbook. Costumes should not show a bare midriff, have eye holes that prevent full range of vision, have sharp objects, or have objects that can be used as a weapon. Please remember, all costumes must be appropriate for the elementary school setting. Blood or any other gory depictions are not appropriate. Toy guns, knives or other weapons should not be a part of any costume. Costumes should not promote violence in any manner.

Due to the Early Dismissal schedule, **all students should arrive to school dressed in their costumes** to allow for the parade to begin on-time. Please make sure that the costumes are comfortable for wearing to and from school as well as safe for climbing on and off the bus or walking home.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation. If you do not wish for your child to participate in the Halloween parade, **please send a note to school by Thursday, October 28th**. All students will be in their classrooms for the Harvest activities. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your child's teacher.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Murray

