

HALLOWE'EN WEEK

Hallowe'en Monday, October 31

For many of our students, dressing up for Hallowe'en and wearing their costume to school is an exciting event. We want to ensure that the day is great for everyone. Here are some details that can help you plan for the day.

Students are invited to come to school in costumes on Monday morning, October 31. A costume parade will begin at **9:00 a.m.** and students will march through the classrooms and gym so we will have a chance to see and enjoy everyone's costumes.

We ask that the following guidelines be kept in mind when sending your child to school in costumes:

- *Masks are permitted provided they are appropriate (eg. Zorro mask, clown nose) and that they are safe. Avoid anything violent or scary. We ask that students bring their masks to school in a bag and the teacher can advise them to put it on just prior to the parade.

- *Make-up is permitted provided it is appropriate (eg. Freckles are okay; blood and gore is not).

- *Handheld objects are permitted provided they are appropriate (a magic wand would be permissible; replica weapons would not).

- *The majority of costumes will be removed before recess (teachers may have students wear their costume for the day depending on their activities). Please bring regular school clothes in a bag.

- *Students with costumes that may be frightening or scary should save those for the real event later in the evening. It is important that the school setting is seen as a safe place for all our students – including our younger ones.

Following the parade, there will be a Hallowe'en performance assembly. Please see the schedule below.

Please bring a non-perishable food item for Hallowe'en for Hunger.

Thank you for your support in making Hallowe'en week a fun experience for the children.

HALLOWE'EN ASSEMBLY

- 1. Kindergarten** **Hey There Kids & Jack O Lantern**
(Accompanied by Grade 4's (both classes) on recorder and xylophone)
- 2. Grade 1** **5 Little Bats**
- 3. Grade 3** **What's That Creature**
- Mr. Linklater** **Draw**
- 4. Grade 2** **Monster Mash – Everyone Dance!**
- 5. Grade 5** **There was an Old Witch on recorders**
- 6.** **Cross Country Acknowledgements**
- 7. Grade 4** **Mrs. Stewart's class leads DPA Thriller**