



Northeast Elementary School
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Dr. Pauline Collins
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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As you are aware, Halloween will be on Thursday, October 31, 2019. The Northeast students will be learning about Halloween as one of the holidays which is celebrated during the Fall season. The teachers will be having classroom parties on **Thursday, October 31**, during which your child may wear his/her costume.

Please put your children's costumes in their book bags on Thursday, October 31, 2019. Children **should not** wear their costumes to school. The teachers will assist the students in getting dressed. The costumes will be worn over their regular clothes so please keep that in mind. The students will remain in their costumes for the rest of the day. Please adhere to the following guidelines when selecting a costume for your child:

1. No masks or toy weapons.
2. Avoid costumes with removable parts or accessories.
3. Children should be able to dress themselves with some assistance.
4. Children should be able to use the bathroom easily while wearing the costumes.
5. If you would like to donate treats, read all labels carefully to make sure that the candies do not contain peanuts or peanut butter. In addition, please avoid assortments which contain the round hard candies due to choking hazards.

If you do not want your child to participate in the Halloween celebrations, please inform your child's teacher by Friday, October 25. We will make alternate arrangements for the students who will not be participating.

Sincerely,

Dr. Pauline Collins
Principal

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