

Ramsey Elementary School

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October 13, 2023

Dear Ramsey Families,

Happy Fall!

Ramsey's Pumpkin Patch Activity, Halloween Parade and Classroom Parties will take place on Tuesday, October 31. The pumpkin patch will take place throughout the day with the parade beginning around 2:00 PM. Weather permitting it will take place outside around the building and classroom parties will immediately follow until 3:10 PM. If you are a PTO approved parent volunteer for the festivities you may take your child for an early dismissal but must sign them out with Ms. Jenn at the office.

*Parents/Guardians are welcome to stop up to watch the parade if it is outdoors!

Opt Out: If you do **NOT** permit your child to participate in the parade/parties please email your child's teacher directly to let them know. Specify if your child is permitted or not permitted to partake in the Pumpkin Patch Activity (students will get to pick a pumpkin and decorate it) as this is a separate activity from the parade and parties. **Please email your child's teacher by Friday, October 27 so that school staff can plan accordingly with an alternate activity for students not participating.** Lastly please know that your child can be excused for the afternoon if you prefer that as a more viable option.

Costumes: A friendly reminder that no look alike or toy weapons are permitted as a part of any costume. Students who do not wear their costume to school and need to change into their costume will be given an opportunity to get dressed in the bathroom prior to the parade. Parents/Guardians are not permitted to come into the school to assist in costume changes.

Thank you!

Katie Friend