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Issue # 8



Reminder!!

There will be no school on Friday, 11/7 and Monday, 11/10 for parent teacher conferences. We look forward seeing you at the conference! Please plan on arriving 5 minutes before your scheduled time and leaving on time.

11月7日、10日は、個人面談があるため、学校はお休みです。

Halloween Party

The fall station activities will be in Sayaka Sensei's classroom. The activities start in the afternoon. If you choose to dress up for the school Halloween parade at 2:15, you can change at 1:30. Please read more information on the back about the costume party!



Cooking Day



We will be cooking Japanese curry rice dish in Sayaka Sensei's class on **Wednesday, November 19th**.

The purpose of cooking the food is for everybody to contribute a little amount of food to make a big meal for everyone. Also, students are able to experience cooking and eating the Japanese cuisine!

We want students to experience cooperating, sharing, and cooking together with their classmates.

We will ask for contributions through our sign-up sheet next week. Please watch for the sign-up sheet!

Thank you very much for your support.

Important Dates

Friday, 10/31

Fall Activity Day in JPN class & Halloween parade (afternoon)

Saturday, 11/1

1st grade sponsored

Duck Game

Friday, 11/7

Parent Conference Day 1

No School

Monday, 11/10

Parent Conference Day 2

No School

Tuesday, 11/11

No School

Veteran's Day

Wednesday, 11/12

Parent Conference Day 3

(1st grade ONLY after school)

Wednesday, 11/19

Japanese Cooking Day

More information will be sent later

Thursday-Friday

11/27-28

Thanksgiving Break

Monday, 12/1

No School Prof Devel.

Tuesday, 12/2

Classes Resume



Saturday, 11/1

Duck Game

Volunteers Needed!

12 people short

1st grade sponsored

More Info on the Back!



Volunteers Needed for Duck Game!!



Saturday, November 1st

(First grade sponsored)

We are still 12 people short for the 1st grade sponsored game. We earn 2 points per volunteer towards the \$500 prize. It is within our reach! We appreciate your support!!

Visit Sayaka Sensei's Website to sign-up!

HALLOWEEN COSTUME PARTY☆FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31TH

ハロウィン パーティーが10月31日(金曜日)午後からあります。

学校へコスチュームを持参する際、必ず名前を書いて袋に入れてください。着替える場所は、男女それぞれ別の教室です。学校全体でのパレードは午後2時15分からです。

☆Costumes are NOT to
have weapons, blood, or
other violent images!

☆Students are NOT to
wear their costumes, make-
up, or masks to school.



The costume parade will
start at 2:15 p.m.

Put your costumes in a bag with your
name and put it on the hallway hook!!

If you choose to dress up, you will
change at 1:30 in the following
classrooms:

Girls: Rm12

Boys: Rm13



Useful and Fun Resources are on Sayaka Sensei's Website!

Please check out Sayaka's website for Japanese YouTube songs and Japanese audio books. Please click on Song, Japanese Books, or Audio Books. Students are familiar with the songs and stories from the classroom. It will be engaging for your child to review and study Japanese at home!!

Important Request from From Homework Check-in Parents

Homework check-in on Fridays is a daunting task, taking 2 - 3 hours for our two parents volunteers. They have asked us to remind parents to make sure that on Thursday evenings, after you empty out the Thursday envelope containing school information and completed student work, you place both Japanese and English HW folders inside with completed assignments, any parent notes, signed blue slips, and completed yellow-slipped work. That way, your child just has to turn in their Thursday envelope, Home Reading Program envelope, and library books on Friday. Please check backpacks daily and take out blue-slipped work, listen to your child read it to you, and sign the slip. Help keep those backpacks light and organized.