

## Theme-Dress / Non-Uniform Dress Days

2016 - 2017

On a few special days during the school year our students may choose to "theme dress" if they wish. These special days should not be thought of as "free dress," or simply wearing whatever you want. This is simply a way of more fully celebrating a special day.

When one of these non-uniform days occurs, all children - boys and girls - must still wear athletic shoes. These are the only shoes in which they can safely run and play.

**FIELD TRIPS:** Uniforms with school sweater or jacket will be worn on all field trips unless noted by the teacher on the permission slip.

**BIRTHDAYS:** Children may wear whatever they wish on the day we celebrate their birthdays. (Just remember those athletic shoes!)

**CALIFORNIA ADMISSION DAY (Fri. September 9<sup>th</sup>):** *(Note: This is celebrated in Room 5 only)* Wear something with the word "California" on it and/or blue jeans (especially "Levis" brand), plaid shirt, or shirt with "49'ers" on it

**1<sup>ST</sup> DAY OF AUTUMN (Thursday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>):** Wear clothes whose main colors are brown, red, orange, and/or yellow.

**HALLOWEEN:** Children wear their uniforms to school and bring their costumes for the Historical Halloween Parade in a bag. (Children will change into costumes after lunch.)

**ELECTION DAY (Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>):** Wear red, white, and blue or clothing with an American flag on it.

**THANKSGIVING FEAST (Weds. November 23<sup>rd</sup>):** "Native American" children (1<sup>st</sup> Years) wear brown or black clothing; "Pilgrim" children (2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Years) wear any plain colored clothes (no prints, designs, or bright colors).

**CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY PARTY (Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup>):** Children may wear nice "party" clothes.

**CHINESE NEW YEAR PARADE (Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup>):** Wear RED!

**LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY (February 12<sup>th</sup> - will be observed on Monday, February 13<sup>th</sup>):** Wear red, white, and blue or clothing with an American flag on it.

**VALENTINE'S DAY (Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>):** Wear red, white, pink, or clothing with hearts on it.

**WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY (Wednesday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>):** Wear red, white, and blue or clothing with an American flag on it.

**MARDI GRAS (Tues. Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>):** *(Note: This is celebrated in Rm. 5 only)*  
Wear purple, green, and/or yellow

**ST. PATRICK'S DAY (Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup>):** the predominant clothing color needs to be green.

**1<sup>st</sup> DAY OF SPRING (Monday, March 20<sup>th</sup>):** Wear clothing with pastel colors or flowers.

**EASTER PARTY (Friday, April 7<sup>th</sup>):** Wear "party clothes" with pastel colors or flowers.

**EARTH DAY (observing on Friday, April 21<sup>st</sup>):** Wear blue, green, and/or brown colored clothing.

**ARBOR DAY (Friday, April 28<sup>th</sup>):** Wear green and/or brown colored clothing or anything with trees or leaves.

**MAY DAY (Monday, May 1<sup>st</sup>):** Wear clothing with flowers and/or spring colors

**SPRING CONCERT (Friday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>):** ALL GIRLS MUST WEAR UNIFORM JUMPERS.

**FLAG DAY (Wednesday, June 14<sup>th</sup>):** Wear red, white, and blue or clothing with an American flag on it.