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October 2022

Dear Parents,

The school year began well! The students are adjusting well to school as they continue to learn the daily routines and procedures of the classroom.

This month, we will begin our very first study of the school year; and our first study will be “Clothes”. In our Clothes Study, students will be examining and comparing different kinds of clothing; investigating the different parts of clothing and how it is made, exploring various clothing materials and the equipment used to clean/take care of them; as well as learning the appropriate clothing to wear for each season.

We have a few important dates for you to mark down on your calendar this month.

During the week of **October 3rd – 7th**, our school will be celebrating **Week of Respect**. We ask that you refer to the Week of Respect Notice for each specific daily activity programmed for that week. Also, this week the students will be presenting their “Family Photo” to their classmates – so if you did not send in a family photo yet, you can still do so.

The Ignacio Cruz School will be **CLOSED** on **Monday, October 10th**.

The Perth Amboy Fire Department will be visiting our school on Tuesday, October 11th, to talk to the children about fire prevention as well as to show them the fire trucks.

The Kastle Creations Fundraiser ends on Thursday, October 13th.

On October 25th, students will be celebrating “Fall” with a pick your own pumpkin from the Cruz Patch at school.

On Thursday, October 27th, a “Trunk or Treat” event will be held at our school from 5-6pm. You will receive further information about this event within the next few weeks.

On Monday, **October 31st,** our class will be celebrating **BLACK and ORANGE Day**, instead of Halloween. You will receive further details about this day in the weeks to come, and we thank you in advance for your cooperation.

One finally item, this month, our friend Perla will be celebrating her 5th birthday on October 22nd. We would like to wish Perla a very Happy Birthday!!!

May you and your family enjoy the beautiful fall season!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Chita, Ms. Taveras, & Ms. Rosa