



October 2020

Andover Academy 8501 Cleary Blvd. Plantation, Florida 33324



Dear Parents,

This is the first time in 16 years that Andover Academy will not be able to invite you to our Halloween parade due to this devastating pandemic.

However, we will not take away any of the fun from the children. On Friday, October 30 they will come to school dressed in their costumes (remember no masks or swords etc.)

They will parade around the field, weather permitting, or around the hallways if necessary and of course they will get their goody bags.

We know that most of you will not be doing the usual trick-or-treating this year due to the pandemic so we will do our best to make this a fabulous time for our children. With this in mind, we are asking each family to bring in a pumpkin of any size; this year the bigger the better so that we can decorate the area that the parade will take place. Put your name on the pumpkin so that we can send it back home with you that Friday.

I will be providing, as I do every year a pumpkin for each classroom to decorate. We will place these out by the driveway on the morning of October 30 for you to vote who has the best pumpkin. We will not tell you who did the pumpkin and hopefully the children will keep it a secret until after the competition. I know, good luck with that, right. We will have the results for you in the evening when you pick up the children.

Andover Academy Making Learning Fun

Mission Statement: Andover Academy strives to provide a quality education in a safe, nurturing environment, where each child may grow at his or her own pace. Our staff is committed to children and encourages a love of learning. Open communication and parent participation are essential to our program.



A Big Thanks: to all the many families who continue to donate toys, books, furniture, and many other items too numerous to list, we thank you ever so much.



Check This Out

Happy



Halloween

Leaf Ghost

Take your little one on a nature walk to gather leaves. Then let them paint the leaves white. After they dry, you can go back and add eyes with permanent marker.

Potato Ghost Stamping

Street AddressForget a stamp and ink pad—this craft is much more creative. Simply cut a potato and have your little one apply white and black paint. Then, let them stamp to their heart's content.

Paper Plate Pumpkins

The options are endless with this idea you could color the plates red and add a brown pipe cleaner to turn them into apples too.

BOO!!



Apple Stamping Pumpkin Craft

Inside an average apple is a homemade pumpkin stamp in disguise! Simply slice the snack in half, dip in orange paint, and decorate to your heart's content.

Halloween Stick Puppets

Put on a Halloween puppet show after dressing up popsicle sticks as the holiday's most notorious characters.



