

Halloween Teaching and Doctrine of Our Catholic Faith

St. Junipero Serra Catholic School would like to support you in celebrating Halloween within the teachings and doctrine of our Catholic Faith. We as Catholics, are devoted to ensuring that our Catholic Faith has a presence in the society we live in. We at St. Serra are extremely aware of the popularity of Halloween and how that popularity has grown over the past years. We are excited to bring Halloween to St. Serra in a Catholic tradition.

[CLICK HERE](#) to view the article that further explains the position in the Catholic Church as you work as a family to prepare to celebrate Halloween at St. Serra.

Students in grades Preschool-Eight wanting to participate in Halloween at St. Serra, may ONLY wear Halloween accessories.

The guidelines are very specific and non-negotiable. We are confident that the children can wear appropriate accessories within these guidelines.

Students whose accessories do not fall within the guidelines will be either sent home or asked to have their uniform brought to school to change into. We trust this will be a minimal issue with the support of you, the parent.

It is not mandatory for any student to participate.

Halloween Accessory Guidelines for students in Preschool-Grade Eight for October 31, 2018

Allowable accessories may include:

- Halloween-themed socks
- Harvest Festival shirt to support St. Junipero Serra Catholic
- Halloween-themed necklaces, earrings, bracelets, headbands, bows, ribbons, and rings

Additional Guidelines:

1. There will not be any contests or parade.
2. Make-up of any type, fake teeth, fake blood, scars and other violent makeup are not allowed.
3. NO MASKS ALLOWED.
4. NO dyed hair of any color.
5. NO noise making accessories with bells or music.
6. Any hats will need to be removed during class time.
7. Students who do not follow these guidelines will be either sent home or asked to have their school uniform brought to school to change.