

October 28, 2021

Dear Riverside Families,

**“Learning is a treasure that will follow its owner everywhere.”~Chinese proverb
We have plenty of treasures here at Riverside.**

Celebrations:

- **THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!** To all of our families and staff that made our Fall Harvest/Halloween parade successful. It was a joy to see all of our families and the unique, creative, funny, traditional and scary costumes worn by both staff and students.
- **We are officially saying good-bye to October but would like to celebrate all we have learned:**
 - **In Garden Class we learned about the Tale of Three Sisters.**
 - **We closed out Hispanic Heritage month.**
 - **Ms. Achampong’s class did a MARVELOUS job with the morning announcements.**
 - **Riverside celebrated School Violence Awareness Week**
 - **We learned a number of fun facts about Halloween.**

Updates:

- **Covid-19 Screenings will take place on Tuesday, November 9. You may still enroll your child to participate in the screening.**
- **Please refer to the District website for our Remote Learning Plan. [Health Protocols 2021-2022 - Princeton Public Schools \(princetonk12.org\)](https://princetonk12.org/Health-Protocols-2021-2022)**

Reminders:

- **Picture Day is Tuesday, November 9.**
- **There is no school for students on Tuesday, November 2 and Thursday, November 4 & Friday, November 5.**
- **CrisisGo daily health screening should be completed before 7:50 a.m. daily**
- **With the cooler weather upon us, please make sure your child has appropriate attire for our daily outdoor experiences i.e. snack, lunch, recess, mask breaks, etc.**
- **If you are interested in being a Parent Volunteer at Riverside:**
 - **Please be available for a consistent schedule (once a week is fine, if it is the same time and day of the week)**
 - **Please complete the Parent Volunteer application: https://princetonk12org-my.sharepoint.com/:b/g/personal/michaelvolpe_princetonk12_org/EWi-ABbeuJdFtwBE-yUjqpMB3qm-p0ZCMk2DjfoaGN4WmQ?e=b5mRYG**
- **All families in the Princeton Public Schools are encouraged to submit an application for free or reduced-price meals. Qualifying families will receive free or reduced-price school meals and schools with high percentages of families who receive these meal benefits will also receive extra funding to support educational programs for students. [Free and Reduced Price Lunch - Princeton Public Schools \(princetonk12.org\)](https://princetonk12.org/Free-and-Reduced-Price-Lunch).**

We look forward to continuing to work collaboratively with you in providing a safe, healthy and engaging educational experience for our children.

Sincerely,

Ebony Lattimer, Principal