



Valley Collaborative Elementary School Newsletter

October 2025



Last Month in Review

In September, we started the new school year, greeted new students, welcomed returning students, and families visited the school for an open house. Students spent time outdoors camping, hiking, biking, and participating in Soccer Club. We enjoyed a visit from the Tyngsborough Fire Department where students learned about Fire Safety and participated in a Touch-a-Truck event.



October Events

October 15th, 16th, & 21st: Pumpkin Picking Field Trips

Classes will be returning to Parlee Farms, in Tyngsboro to pick pumpkins, take a hayride, visit farm animals, and enjoy apple cider & donuts. Classes will attend one of the three trips.

October 30th: Dentist Visit

SMILE Mobile Dentist will be returning to Valley on October 30th. The in-school dental team provides cleanings, x-rays, sealants and more. Permission slips have been sent home. You can also sign up at www.myschooldentist.com and select Valley Collaborative - Special Education.

October 31st: Halloween Event

On Halloween, we will hold our annual dance and Trunk-or-Treat events! Parents should be on the lookout the next week or so for a sign-up sheet & details on how to participate. Students may wear costumes on Halloween that exclude masks, weapons, or blood. If the student does not have a costume and would like to wear one, the school has some costumes that the student can borrow for the event. Please let your student's teacher know if you would like them be exempt from Halloween activities.

Parent Advisory Group (PAG)

Please consider joining our
Parent Advisory Group

All parents and families are welcome to come on board to collaborate, plan, and help support our school community. This is a fun way to give back, have your voices heard, share creativity with a team, and support families, students, staff, and the entire school community.

If you are interested, or would like further information, please email: Bryan Thomas
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October Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13 <i>Columbus Day No School</i>	14	15 <i>Pumpkin Picking Trip</i>	16 <i>Pumpkin Picking Trip</i>	17
20	21 <i>Pumpkin Picking Trip</i>	22 <i>Early Release for Students</i>	23	24
27	28	29	30 <i>Dentist Visit</i>	31 <i>Halloween Trunk-or-Treat</i>