

Red Ribbon Week

Red Ribbon Week, October 25-29 is a national event which brings attention to being drug free. At Holy Name of Jesus School, we celebrate this week in conjunction with our Diocesan Chastity Curriculum. God created each of us in His image, and we are all temples of the Holy Spirit. We want to emphasize to our students that we must thank God for the beautiful gift of our bodies, and we must keep them safe and healthy.

The daily *Red Ribbon Week* themes and activities are:

Monday, October 25, 2021 - "Don't Get Mixed Up or All Tied Up in Drugs!

Opening discussions in each Religion Class about protecting our bodies as temples of the Holy Spirit.

HNJ Student News to kick off Red Ribbon Week! Faculty, Staff, and Students will recite the Red Ribbon Week Pledge together during the news.

Service Project: Socktober: Bring socks for the homeless – children and adults. A container will be in the connector throughout the week to accept donations.

Dress Code: School uniform but can be inside out or backwards, mixed up socks, wacky ties, tied up hair — **No hair may be colored, sprayed with color, or dyed.**

<u>Tuesday, October 26, 2021 – "Don't Fall to the Power, Rise Up Like a Flower; Drug Free Looks Like Me"!</u>

Coloring Contest: Pictures should be hung outside the classrooms by Friday at noon so that the Student Council can judge them - winners will receive a small prize

Necklaces will be handed out in all classrooms

Wednesday, October 27, 2021 "Drugs Are Ghoulish: Don't Fall for Them"!

Dress Down Day - Fall and Halloween colors (green, purple, orange, yellow, red, black shirts) or appropriate Halloween printed shirts/sweatshirts, sweaters, flannel shirts, jeans, khaki pants, gym pants, uniform pants, sneakers, boots, witch hat or Halloween headband. Jeans may not have holes or have threadbare areas. The designs on the clothing cannot be gory, scary, or gothic.

Thursday, October 28, 2021 "Make the Ultimate Choice and Stay Away from Drugs"!

Dress Code: Gym uniform pants and a sports team shirt, sweatshirt, or jersey (HNJ, McDevitt, Collegiate, Professional) and socks and sneakers

Activity Day – Kindergarten -3rd grades - 30 minutes of Exercise Activity
Grades 4-8 - 30 minutes of Ultimate Frisbee
The game will be played between A and B homerooms of a grade level.

Friday, October 29, 2021 – "Don't Be Like the Rest; Imitate the Best!

Today is the All Saints' Parade! Students will bring their saint costume to school with them in the morning. The Saint costume will be worn over their school uniform.

Parents are welcome to attend the parade at 1:45pm. It will be on the parking lot outside the connector. More details will follow in a text message next week.

After the parade, the students will return to their homeroom to enjoy a pre-packaged snack and an individual size drink.

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