



UNITED NATION'S DAY 2009
Grade 1: Tahiti
Costume Guidelines



Dear Parents: It is that time of year already...United Nation's Day! Here are some guidelines to help you create your child's costume for this festive day (Friday, October 30). Please remember these things:

- Low Stress – Allow yourself enough time.
- Low Cost – Borrow items if possible.
- Be Creative – Not everyone has to look identical, create a look that is unique for your child
- Age Appropriate – Make sure the costume is comfortable, allows for movement and is modest.

Girls:

Tropical floral style dress, sundress or skirt and top to the knee

(option) A pareo is a Tahitian floral fabric that is wrapped as a dress or skirt.

If you choose this option make sure the fabric is tied or sewn securely.

Shorts worn under dress or skirt for dancing

Wear a color coordinating t-shirt under dress if shoulders are too bare (appropriate for Mass)

Sandals with back straps

No flip-flops please, they come off while dancing

Accessory options

Leis

Floral hair wreath

Floral anklet or wristlet

Shell necklace

Flower in hair

Hair may be worn down and loose (curls optional)

Boys:

Hawaiian shirt

White shorts or pants (roll pant legs for that tropical look)

Velcro sandals (please no flip-flops)

Lei or head wreath (optional)

