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# Halloween – A Spooky Holiday

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# Halloween



Halloween is on October 31<sup>st</sup>. Halloween has been a festival for more than 2000 years now! The people of the Celts had a New Year's party on November 1<sup>st</sup>. They said that the Year has two parts: summer and winter. So when summer ended and winter started they celebrated.

They thought that in the night before winter dead people, witches and ghosts come to the world and play tricks. They wanted that the ghosts, witches and dead people go away. So they had costumes to scare them. They also made fires. They cut faces in pumpkins and put candles inside. They said the name of the pumpkins with candles inside is "Jack-o'-Lantern".

Today on Halloween children wear costumes. They are ghosts, witches or skeletons. They go from house to house and say "Trick or Treat". When people don't give them a treat (sweets) they play a trick.

Teenagers often have Halloween parties. They wear costumes, too. Normally the one with the best costume gets a prize. And there are contests for cutting a scary face into a pumpkin, too.



## 1. Read the sentences and cross out the wrong information.

Write the right word on the line.

a) Halloween is on October ~~30<sup>th</sup>~~.

31<sup>st</sup>

b) Halloween is 500 years old.

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c) The Celts celebrated when winter ended.

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d) The name of the costumes is Jack-o'-Lantern.

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e) When children go from house to house they say "Jack-o'-Lantern.

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f) Teenagers win a prize for the best party.

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## 2. Link the beginnings with the endings.

1 The Celts thought that

to scare the ghosts away.

2 The Celts had costumes

pumpkins and put candles inside.

3 The people cut faces in

started in November.


4 For the Celts the New Year

dead people come to the world.

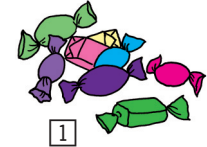
# Halloween words




1. Look at the pictures. Fill in the words.



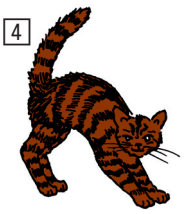
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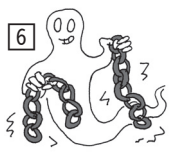
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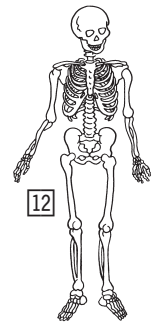
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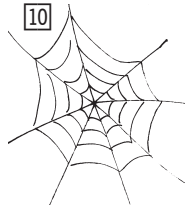
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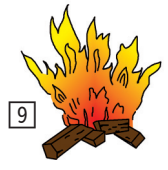
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On Halloween you say:

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2. Find 13 Halloween words and circle them!

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