

Halloween Worksheet 2

1 Read about Halloween below, and choose a word for each gap.

pumpkins	trick or treating	costumes
witches	scary stories	bats
apples	black and orange	candle

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1

Halloween is celebrated each year on 31 October. It is also known as All Hallows' Eve and All Saints' Eve. It has its origins in a Celtic festival called Samhain.

2

Traditional activities for the day include (a) _____, wearing (b) _____, fancy-dress parties, bonfires, watching horror films and telling (c) _____. Parents also buy pumpkins for their children, who carve scary faces into them and then place a burning (d) _____ inside.

3

Usual costumes that children wear on the day are: ghosts, vampires, werewolves, (e) _____, skeletons, and animals such as black cats, spiders and (f) _____. The costumes are said to scare off demons.

4

Colours associated with the celebrations are (g) _____, probably because of the darkness of night and the colour of fire and (h) _____.

5

Traditional things to eat are pumpkin pie and toffee (i) _____. Children may also eat sweets shaped like worms, bats and spiders.

2 Which paragraph is about?

- a foods for Halloween _____
- b what to wear for Halloween _____
- c other names for Halloween _____
- d things to do for Halloween _____
- e Halloween colours _____

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Answer Key

1. Read about Halloween below, and choose a word for each gap.
 - a. trick or treating
 - b. costumes
 - c. scary stories
 - d. candle
 - e. witches
 - f. bats
 - g. black and orange
 - h. pumpkins
 - i. apples

2. Which paragraph is about?
 - a. 5
 - b. 3
 - c. 1
 - d. 2
 - e. 4