Halloween
Activities

## Circle the verb (action word) in each sentence .

The black cat jumped over the fence.

The bat flew over the trees.

The big spider scared me.

## Fill in the missing letters

pumpk_n
ghos_
witc_
spi_er
b_t

## Counting Cats and Bats

Peter saw three black cats. Jim saw four and Mary saw two black cats. How many black cats did Peter, Jim and Mary see altogether?

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John saw six bats. Bob saw two and Haley saw three, while Terri only saw one bat. How many bats did John, Bob, Haley and Terri see altogether?

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## Trick or Treat Maths

Grace collected ten pieces of candy and ate four. How many pieces of candy did Grace have left?

10 – 4 = ---

Tom collected 12 pieces of candy. He ate two pieces and gave five pieces to his best friend. How many pieces of candy did Tom have left?

12 – 2 – 5 = ---

Andy collected twenty pieces of candy. He ate ten pieces and gave five pieces to his brother and five pieces to his sister. How many pieces of candy did Andy have left?

20 – 10 – 5 – 5 = ---

How many pieces of candy did Grace, Tom and Andy have left altogether?

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# Read the passage about Halloween and answer the questions.

Hundreds of years ago in the British Isles and a part of Europe there were people called the Celts. They believed the souls of the past came back to roam the earth on the last day of October. The Celts had a festival at this time called Samhain. They often lit bonfires to protect them from bad spirits, and left food outside their homes for the ghosts and spirits who would eat the food and not harm the people inside. After many years this festival became known as Halloween. People also dressed up as vampires, monsters, ghosts and other creatures to scare off the spirits of the dead. That's why people today dress up as terrifying creatures at Halloween.

## Questions

What is the name of the people who lived in the British Isles and a part of Europe? _____

On the last day of which month did they have a festival?

_____

What did people leave outside their homes for the ghosts and spirits so they wouldn't be harmed? _____

What is the original name of the festival? _____

## Fill in the spaces using the most suitable words.

The witch was riding a _____.

The _____ had eight hairy legs.

The old witch had a _____ cat.

We could see through the _____ as it flew past.

The black bat was _____ in the sky.

## Circle the words that should have a capital.

i helped jim carve the pumpkin.

mary and carol are dressed as goblins.

the date for halloween in australia, america and

england is october 31.

## Add "s" or "es" to make each word a plural.

bat_

witch_

monster_

spider_

# Adjectives.

An adjective is a word that describes a noun.

Write three adjectives to describe each noun. For example, three adjectives to describe "goblin" could be 'little', 'green' and 'hairy'.

**monster**

1.

2.

3.

**pumpkin**

1.

2.

3.

**ghost**

1.

2.

3.

**witch**

1.

2.

3.

## Write five words that rhyme with "bat".

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

# Which sentence is correct?

I asked Grace if she was going to dress up as a vampire.
I asking Grace if she was going to dress up as a vampire.

We is going to go trick or treating tonight.
We are going to go trick or treating tonight.

I likes to eat candy.
I like to eat candy.

# Halloween Safety

**SUPERVISION: Never trick-or treat alone!**

Children should always be accompanied by an adult.

**PEDESTRIAN SAFETY:** Remember the road rules and stay on the footpath.

Be aware of cars, cross roads safely and walk, don't run.

**SAFE HOUSES:** Never go inside a house unless you are with an adult you trust (like your parents). Only visit well-lit houses. Don't stop at dark houses (it usually means they don't want to be disturbed).

**WAIT:** Only eat your treats after an adult you trust (like your parents) have looked at them.