

Happy Halloween 2



Discussion 1

What is Halloween?
What do you associate with Halloween?

Listening Activity

- 1) Listen to the poem. Is this similar to your experience of Halloween?
- 2) Can you remember the words that go in the spaces? Write them from memory!
- 3) Listen to the poem again. Check your answers to Task 2 and complete the rest.

A Halloween Poem



Season of ghouls and 1 _____ faces.

A time when 2 _____ remember the dead.

Inspiring movies of the 3 _____ places.

It's time to light 4 _____ and wear black and red.

Will you or 5 _____ you... trick or treat, trick or treat?

Who's 6 _____ my door? Who wants something to eat?



Witches and 7 _____ fly into the night.

Who knows what will happen when the sun 8 _____?

Some terrible 9 _____ might give you a fright!

Lock all your 10 _____ do not forget!

11 _____ to make you laugh and scream.

What are you going to do this All Hallows' 12 _____?



Original poem by Emma Lauson
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Vocabulary Building

Circle the odd one out then explain to your partner why it is different.

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| 1) ghost | ghoul | phantom | werewolf |
| 2) witches | bats | vampires | broomsticks |
| 3) the scariest | the most terrifying | the most terrific | the most horrific |
| 4) tradition | prankster | custom | habit |

Discussion 2

- 1) Do you celebrate Halloween in your country?
- 2) What is 'trick or treat'?
- 3) If someone knocked at your door on Halloween, would you open the door?
- 4) Do you like being scared? Do watch scary films? Why / why not?

Listening Activity Answers

- 1 ghostly
- 2 the living
- 3 scariest
- 4 candles
- 5 won't
- 6 outside
- 7 bats
- 8 goes to bed
- 9 prankster
- 10 doors
- 11 traditions
- 12 Eve

Vocabulary Building Answers

- 1 werewolf = a werewolf is an animal, not a spirit
- 2 vampires = vampires cannot fly
- 3 the most terrific = terrific is positive
- 4 prankster = a prankster plays tricks on people. The other words are cultural tendencies.