

Happy  
Halloween



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**holiday**

**fancy dress**

**witch**

**pumpkin**

**antidotes**

**skeleton**

**goblin**

**ghost**

**zombie**

**Trick or Treat**

spirit

**werewolf**

# **Halloween**

**lantern**

**witch**



Long ago, people believed that on a certain night dead spirits came back to earth.



And people held a festival that was the start of our Halloween. It was on October 31<sup>st</sup>.

**People built fires on hilltops to scare off the ghosts. They scared the ghost by wearing scary costumes.**



In America children play a special game: **Trick or Treat.**



They dress up as ghosts, witches, clowns or pirates and visit their neighbours.

“Trick or Treat”  
they cry.



You have to give them a treat:  
some fruit, sweets or chocolate.  
**If not** they'll play trick on  
**you.**

**The Halloween colours are orange and black.**



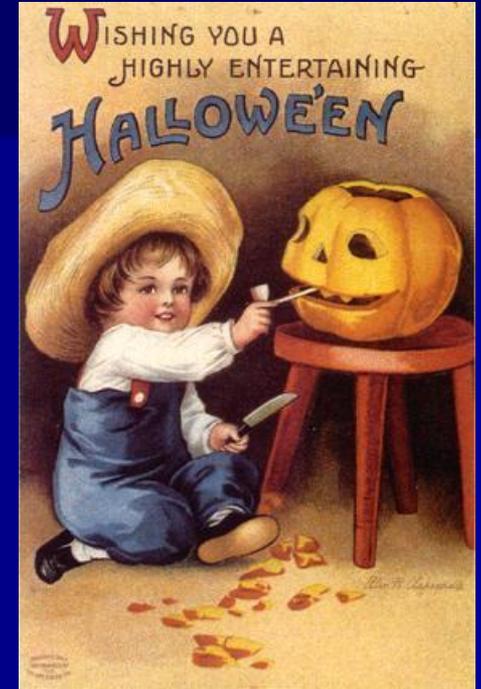
It was time  
when orange  
flames lit up the  
black night.



# Families carve their pumpkins.



Some people carve funny pumpkin faces.



But some people carve scary pumpkin faces.

**They place the pumpkins in windows...**



**...in the yard...**

**...or on doorsteps.**



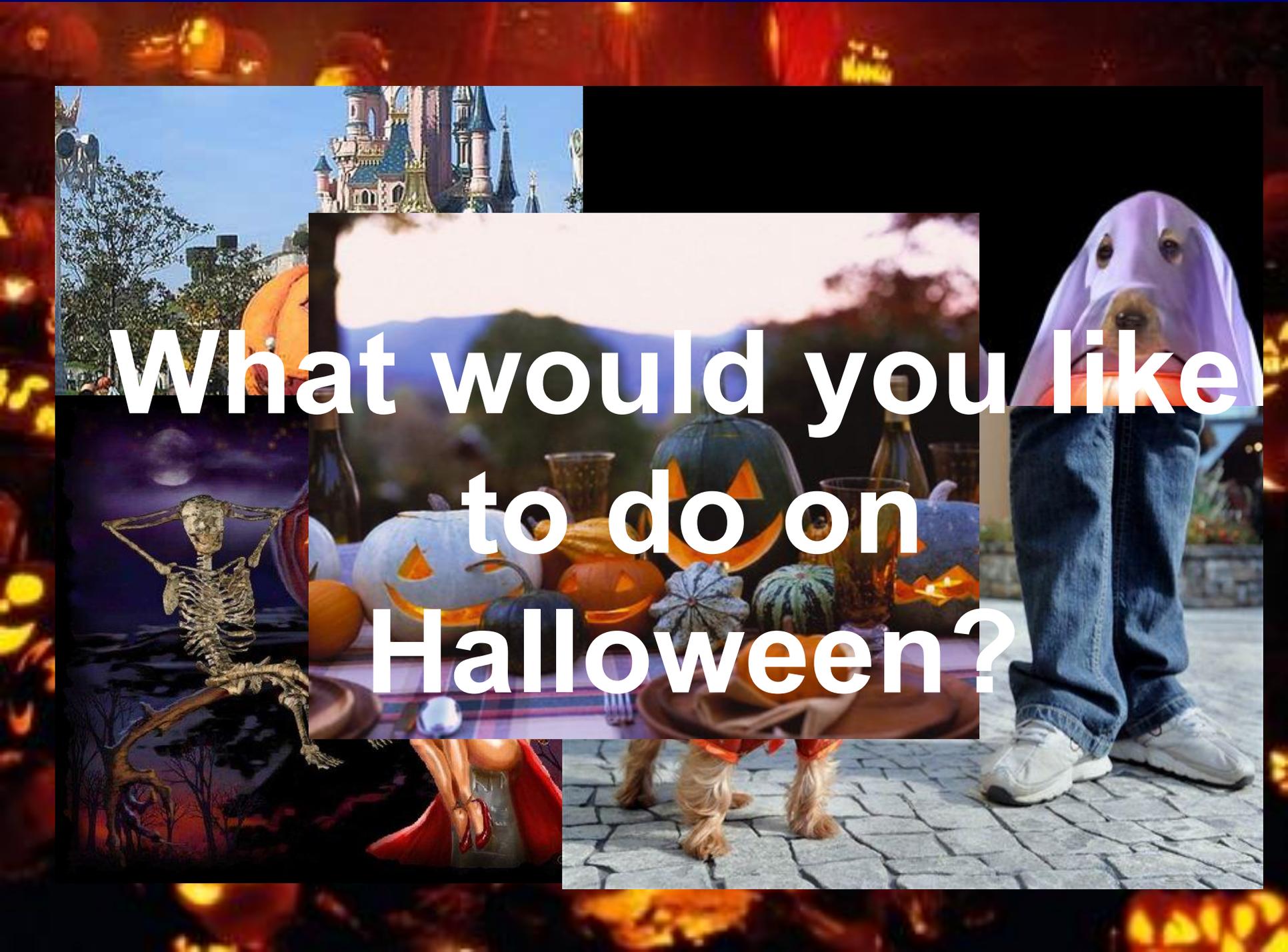
American and British schools have parades of children in costumes.



# These are the symbols of Halloween:

- Spiders
- Skeletons
- Black cats
- Bats
- Ghosts
- Witches



A collage of Halloween-themed images. The background is a dark, fiery orange and red pattern. The collage includes: a castle with blue roofs and spires; a skeleton sitting on a branch; a dog wearing a purple ghost costume and blue jeans; a table with jack-o'-lanterns and glasses; and a dog's legs in a red costume. The text "What would you like to do on Halloween?" is overlaid in white.

What would you like  
to do on  
Halloween?

I WOULD LIKE...

HALLOWEEN



# Unscramble the words.

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ctiwh  
msak  
sogths  
emutsoc  
kpinpum  
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dark  
witch  
mask  
ghosts  
costume  
pumpkin  
Halloween

# Put the sentences into the correct order and read how to make a LANTERN for Halloween party.

1. You can see the candle light through the eyes,
3. Take a large pumpkin.
6. Cut off a piece from the top.
2. Cut out the eyes, nose and mouth.
5. Take out what is inside with a knife and spoon.
4. Put the candle inside the lantern.
3. Take out a large pumpkin with a knife and spoon.
2. Cut out the eyes, nose and mouth.
1. You can see the candle light through the eyes, nose and mouth.





Happy Halloween

GOOD BYE!