

Halloween is becoming more and more popular in Portugal.

There are parties everywhere and kids wear masks and go "Treat or Trick!!" in their neighbourhood. We can see Jack-O'-lanterns in the gardens and scary decorations all around!

If you want to learn more about this celebration and have some fun, enjoy our SCARY NEWS!!!





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We hope you get really scared when you read it! HAPPY HALLOWEEN!!!



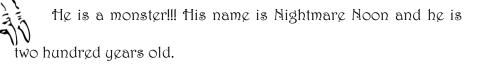


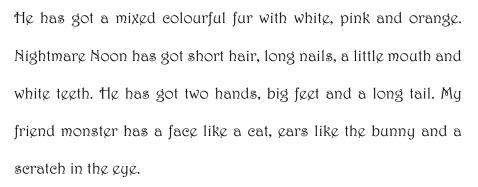


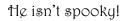


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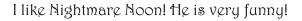
friends.







In fact, he is very nice and friendly, but when he's hungry he cries like a baby and his eyes turn red. He loves helping everyone.















# Happy Halloween



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#### Tick the correct answer

# In what month do we celebrate Halloween?

- a) October
- b) November
- c) December
- d) January



#### Where do witches live?

- a) in a flat.
- b) in the cemetery
- c) in a haunted house
- d) in a car

# What do the children like to do?

- a) sing
- b) put on costumes
- c) draw
- d) cook

#### What animal makes a net?

- a) cat
- b) spider
- c) ant
- d) bat

#### Witches travel by...

- a) broom
- b) car
- c) flying carpet
- d) spaceship

# What do the children want when they go trick or treating?

- a) hamburgers
- b) fruits
- c) candies
- d) vegetables



#### What does the witch cook?

- a) a soup
- b) a magic potion
- c) a pie
- d) a steak



## What fruit is typical for Halloween?

- a) cherry
- b) watermelon
- c) pumpkin
- d) apple



#### Who likes to drink blood?

- a) ghosts
- b) mummies
- c) vampires
- d) skeletons



#### What is typical for witches?

- a) boots
- b) a bag
- c) a black hat
- d) a car



#### What is the witch's favorite pet?

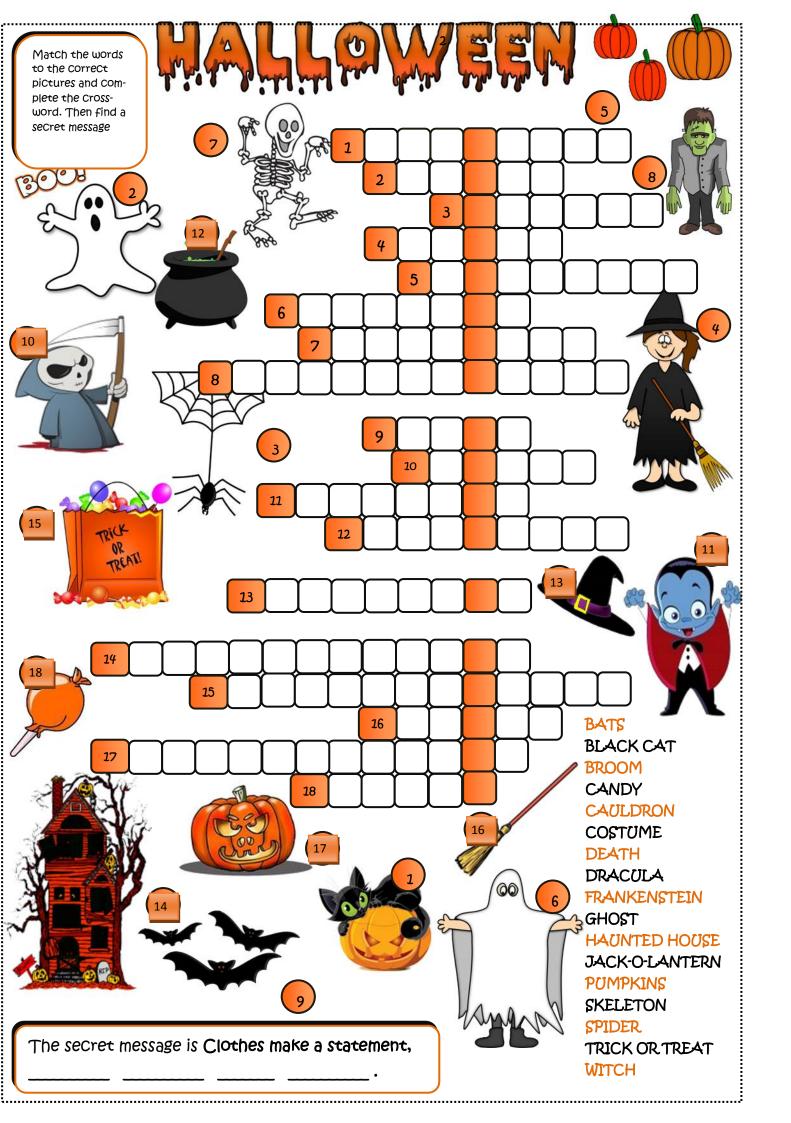
- a) a white rat
- b) a brown frog
- c) a black cat
- d) a purple pig



## Where does Halloween come from?

- a) Ireland
- b) France
- c) South Africa
- d) England







2 packages spice cake mix (regular size); 1 ice cream cake cone (about 3 inches tall)

4 cans (15.60 ounces each) Pillsbury Happy Birthday Funfetti Orange All Star Vanilla frosting; 2 Oreo cookies; 1 package (24 ounces) ready-to-use rolled black fondant





Prepare and bake cakes according to package directions using two 10-in. fluted tube pans. Cool.

Cut thin slice off bottom of each cake. Spread one cake bottom with frosting; press flat sides together to make a pumpkin shape. Place a foil ball in the center to support the "stem"; top with an ice cream cake cone. Frost cake with remaining frosting. To decorate face: Roll out fondant to 1/8-in. thickness; cut into desired shapes for mouth and nose. Remove tops from two Oreo cookies; cut half-circles in filling for eyes. Press cookies and fondant into frosting to make the face. Yield: 12-16 servings.



# Eerie eyeball pops

#### Ingredients:

100g/4oz Madeira cake; 100g Oreo cookie; 100g bar milk chocolate, melted; 200g bar white chocolate, melted; few Smarties and icing pens, to decorate

You will also need: 10 wooden skewer; ½ small pumpkin or butternut squash, deseeded, to stand pops in

Break the Madeira cake and cookies into the bowl of a food processor, pour in the melted milk chocolate and whizz to com-

Tip the mixture into a bowl, then use your hands to roll into about 10 walnut-sized balls. Chill for 2 hrs until really firm. Push a skewer into each ball, then carefully spoon the white chocolate over the cake balls to completely cover. Stand the cake pops in the pumpkin, then press a Smartie onto the surface while wet. Chill again until the chocolate has set. Before serving, using the icing pens, add a pupil to each Smartie and wiggly red veins to the eyeballs.







# CFB CECEROFE WOMEN



BOOOOOOO to you all!

Ah, ah, ah!! We know what you are thinking, Hallowe'en is coming and you want to get ready to celebrate, right? So do we!

Yes, it's a night of ghosts and witches, of costumes and fun, but in the beginning.....Let's start with a bit of history and culture!

People called Druids celebrated the autumn harvest and the end of the fertility of the soil. They believed that spirits of the fruit and vegetables, witches and ghosts visited the Earth at the end of October. Then people celebrated « All Hallows E'en » now called Hallowe'en on October 31st. It is also the eve of All Saints day when people commemorate their dead relatives. This was a belief that Irish people brought with them when they migrated to the USA. And several centuries later this tradition crossed the Atlantic again!!

Today, most children don't believe in witches or ghosts. But they like to have Hallowe'en parties. They put on costumes, make Jack o' lanterns from pumpkins. Children love carving pumpkins with some friends wearing great costumes and false teeth! But what they like most is going from house to house saying « Trick or treat ». People must give children a « treat »- meaning sweets in most cases, if they don't, they may have tricks played on them like eggs on their doors, or toilet paper decorating their gardens.

On October 31st they go from house to house, trick or treating and they hope to get plenty of sweets and have lots of fun! Moreover, adults can have the opportunity to go to fancy dress parties organized in discos or restaurants.





# Halloween

It was Halloween night. It was dark and cold. Everybody was at home. But some children were in the street. They were excited and happy. At the end of the street there was a house. It was a haunted house. The children decided to go there. Was it a good idea?

The house was very old. People were too scared to go there. There were so many strange stories about the place. But the kids were bold and brave. One boy, who





was the leader of the group, went inside. The other kids were just behind him. The house was a scary place. There were spiderwebs everywhere. And suddenly they heard a noise. They were so scared they couldn't move. One girl screamed. Something jumped at her. It was so dark. It was a big black cat. The kids weren't bold and brave any more. They wanted to get out. It was almost

midnight and the house was suddenly full of strange noises. It wasn't a funny adventure any more.

'Help', somebody shouted... But no one appeared to help them!

# A Creepy House

My house was getting rebuilt, so I had to spend the night in a rented one. The night was dark and stormy, so I decided to surf on the internet. I went online and checked my social network accounts, but no one was online. That was very strange, but I didn't give much importance and continued on the computer.

A few minutes later, I heard a strange noise, which was very loud and sounded like a thunder and lightning. I was scared to death with all of it. Suddenly, I remembered that I could check if there was a friend who might be online to ask for help, but I didn't find anyone.

The house was in the middle of the forest, there was no one nearby, so I hid in the wardrobe. While I was there, I continued to hear those strange creaking sounds, which made me think that I was not alone, there was someone there to haunt me, or even worse, to KILL ME. Inside the wardrobe, I found dirty stinky clothes, but I had to stay there because there was no other place to hide.

I waited for a long time and then, when the sound calmed down, I left that creepy house, ran away and never came back!!!

### Imaginary friends

There are a lot of children that have imaginary friends when they are young, but there is always that type of child with a scary imagination. There are a lot of stories about things like that but today we are talking about a three-year-old girl that has an imaginary friend named Katy. Katy used to live in her closet and she used to play with her and watch her while she was sleeping. Two years later she was watching a movie with her mother and said "That looks like Katy" and her mom asked "Katy? Who is Katy?" the daughter replied "The dead girl that lived in my closet".





Chicago, Harry's House

13th December 2013, 11:00pm

It was Harry's anniversary and he was at home with his friends, Thomas and Stewart.

After singing "happy birthday", Stewart suggested going for a walk and

Thomas said that they should go to a haunted house he knew. Harry was frightened but he

agreed.

After arriving there, Harry felt bad about it but Stewart, who thought the best of himself, told him not to be a chicken.

Ten minutes after walking around the house, they found a secret entrance. Harry, who didn't appreciate the idea, said he was going home but Thomas told him not to.

The anniversary boy didn't change his mind and insisted on going home. While leaving the house, he bumped into a clown with a chainsaw in his hands – it was a killer clown.

Harry immediately shouted to his friends that there was a clown at the door. The two boys didn't believe and told him to stop joking, until the moment they heard the chainsaw breaking the door. They desperately ran from the terrible clown, garden after garden, until they found a street, but it was so dark that they got lost. Only Thomas had a cell phone to call for help but there was no network, so they panicked. They ran desperately until they found a policeman, and thought how lucky they were. However, while they were talking to him, they found out he was the killer clown dressed as a policeman. They ran again!

The three scared boys were walking around for a long time when they finally found the number 13 house; Harry's house, and they felt relieved because then they would be safe from any dangerous creature, they thought!

Harry noticed his mother was still at home and started to tell her what had happened to the three of them! When his mother turned around... She was also a killer clown!!!

Suddenly Harry wakes up and finds out that he had a terrible, haunting nightmare...

#### White ghost

Once upon a time, a girl named Rachel was lying on her bed, when suddenly a big flash followed by a large and noisy lightning, scared Rachel.

She was home alone and she used to be afraid of thunder when she was a little girl, and in fact her fear never left. She thought that it was just one thunder, so she went to the computer to talk with someone, but no one was online.

She was playing a game when, a bigger thunder made the internet fail and no only the internet, but also the lights.

Suddenly she heard a noise, ran into the closet and she locked it, she thought she had seen a ghost. One hour later, the lights turned on, the computer started working and, she finally decided to get out of that closet, that smelled really, really bad.

And...

-AHHHHHHH! – She screamed really loud, when she saw her crazy white cat, looking at her! She thought it was a ghost but after all it was only her cat. As if ghosts existed, right?

# Another Halloween Tale



Once upon a time a young girl with very pale skin and straight platinum hair whose lips were touched by death and eyes bluer than the sky itself, lived in a creepy small village in France. Her name was as dark as her soul, as cold as her heart and that known name was Melanie Delacour.

Melanie rarely left her enormous mansion except for one haunted night, the night of the dead when she was able to walk among friends. The villagers were bedeviled by the whispers and the light breeze that possessed them when she was around. At midnight tormented screams were heard throughout the hills and in that exact moment you could find the girl looking at the moon, from the highest mountain, while it turned bloody red. A last desperate yelling is heard, the red circle fades away and the village is once again emerged in light.

However her looks might deceive you her past wasn't always that cursed. This girl used to be the happiest creature of France and her voice was amazing to her parents' ears and delightful to the boys in the village.

One night at the celebration of the new season - the beginning of autumn – a boy was presented to her. This boy had charming green eyes and red hair like fire, he was warm and kind, the type of boy that made her heart spike. One month goes by with the girl always on her tiptoes living the happiest days of her life.

It was in the last night of October, they were supposed to meet at the highest hill of their village. Once they got there Melanie contemplated the full moon and its beauty, love promises were exchanged and they opened up to each other with full trust. A kiss is shared and her world collapses.

Although Melanie's beloved one felt like a living flame, her tiptoes started to freeze, a chill went down her spine and she felt herself being lifted up from this world. Rumbling in the background the girl heard screams approaching making her flinch as they passed through her death possessed body.

Melanie's confused gaze stared back at the boy and her messed thoughts froze to his burning touch in her chest. The sound of two collapsing rocks was heard the moment he reached for her heart killing it only by touch. Her mouth was

now wide open as she yelled for her life feeling her bloody tears fell down her now

pale cheeks.

He was different. He was malicious. Ie was the devil and she was kissed by death itself.

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