

HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS



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1. Choose a costume that is fire-proof, fits properly, and allows you to see where you are going.
2. If your costume includes a prop, make sure that the ends are smooth and flexible enough not to cause an injury if fallen on.
3. Make sure you can see and be seen after dark by wearing a light-colored costume, using reflective tape, and by carrying a flashlight.
4. If you are going to go house-to-house without your parents, be sure to plan a route ahead of time with your family so they know where you'll be and with whom.
5. Only approach houses that have on their lights.
6. While at the door, stand back several feet from the entrance, and never go inside a stranger's house.
7. Cross the street at corners, and be sure to look both ways for traffic.
8. Be cautious around candles and jack-o'lanterns. Don't stand too close, because your costume might catch on fire.
9. Be careful around pets and animals. They may be overly excited or afraid of people they don't know.
10. Never eat your candy until it has been inspected to make sure it hasn't been tampered with.

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