



HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS

When Trick-or-Treating:

- Do not trick-or-treat alone
- Kids under age 12 should always go trick-or-treating with an adult
- Make sure your costume is visible to vehicles and others.
- Purchase only flame retardant or flame proof costumes and masks.
- Be sure costumes fit properly to prevent tripping or falling and wear masks that allow full vision.
- Stay on sidewalks and obey traffic signs/signals.
- Carry a flashlight.
- Only approach homes that are well lit and only approach the front door.
- Check all treats to make sure they're sealed. Throw out candy with torn packages or holes in the packages, spoiled items, or homemade treats from strangers.
- Don't let young children have hard candy or gum that could cause choking.

For Your Home:

- Instead of a candle to light a pumpkin, use a small flashlight or a liquid light stick that glows in the dark.
- Remove anything that could cause visitors to trip or fall on your walkway or lawn.
- Make sure the lights are on outside your house and light the walkway to your door, if possible.
- Keep family pets away from trick-or-treaters, even if they seem harmless to you.