

HALLOWEEN

Halloween is a time of celebration and superstition, as it is said to be the time of the year when the gate between the living world and the world of spirits opens.

The most popular Halloween costume among kids is **SPIDERMAN**

The most popular Halloween costume among adults is the **WITCH**



Celtic people celebrated the day of Samhain on 1 November. They wore costumes to blend in with the spirits, and lighted bonfires and lanterns. These traditions were incorporated into the Halloween celebrations.

ORIGINS

Costumes used to be worn to scare the spirits away or make them believe that the people wearing the costumes were ghosts, too. Halloween costumes have had their own fashion in every century ever since the first celebration of Samhain.

COSTUMES



Trick-or-treating probably dates back to the early All Souls' Day parades in England. Poor people begged for food and families gave them "soul cakes" in return for their prayers offered for the families' dead relatives.

TRICK-OR-TREAT

Around the time of Halloween it is traditional to carve pumpkins and put little tealights into them. It also originates from the Celtic Samhain celebrations. Celtic people used to carve turnips but pumpkins eventually took over.

JACK-O'-LANTERN

On average, Americans annually spend **\$ 2.6 BILLION** on Halloween candy.



Day of the Dead is a celebration of life and death. It has been widely celebrated over Latin America for thousands of years. It differs from Halloween in many ways, but also shares some similarities. It takes place on 1 and 2 November.

DIA DE LOS MUERTOS

There is a small town in Arizona, called **TOMBSTONE**

WHAT PEOPLE DO ON HALLOWEEN



Dress in costume



Decorate house



Carve pumpkins



Visit haunted houses

SOURCES

Wikipedia

National Geographic

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