



HALLOWEEN CORNER

Lower Primary

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Activity 1

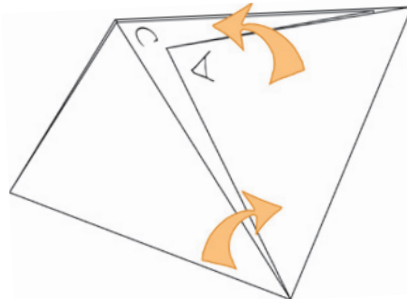
Spider's web

You will need:

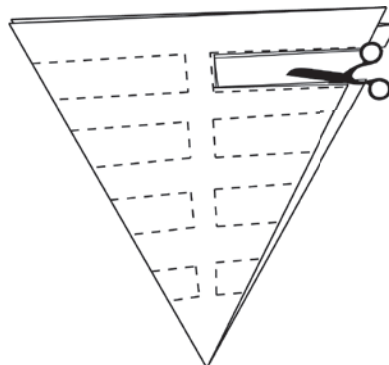
- one copy of Worksheet 1 for each child (if you have thinner paper than the normal 80g/m², it will be easier for the children to cut)
- one sheet of black card for each pupil (at least 21 cm x 21 cm)
- glue
- one copy of Worksheet 2 for each child (optional) (one copy is for four children)

Instructions:

- 1 Distribute Worksheet 1 to your students.
- 2 Ask them to cut out the hexagon and then fold it along line A. Note that the line should be on the outside. Ask them to fold along line B and then along line C (this time, the line should be on the inside of the fold). This will produce a triangle.



- 3 Show the children how to cut along the dotted lines.



- 4 Show them how to open up the triangle to reveal a spider's web.
- 5 Give the children a sheet of black card each and ask them to affix the web, taking care not to rip it.



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- 6 If you like, show them how to draw a spider in the middle of the web and to use a white or silver crayon or silver pen to write Halloween 2010 on the card.



Optional extension activity

Halloween Game

Use Worksheet 2 for this activity. If you can, use the gym. There are two versions.

- 1 Affix a picture of a bat to one wall, Frankenstein's monster to another, a pumpkin/jack-o'-lantern to the third and a witch to the fourth. Ask the children to stand around you in a circle as you begin to tell the story. Each time they hear the name of one of the four characters (in singular or plural), they must run to the wall where the picture is hanging.
- 2 The children stand against the walls. Each one should be carrying the picture of the character you have assigned to them (one quarter of the class for each). As you name a character, the children with that picture run towards you. The next time they hear the name, they should run back to the wall. At the end of the game, everyone should be back against the wall.
If you want a quieter version of this game, you can remain in the classroom and ask children to turn to face walls or to stand up and sit down as their character is named.

The story is:

It was Halloween and the witches decided to have a party. One witch said, 'I like monsters.'
Another witch said, 'I like bats.'
They invited the bats and the monsters. The witches said, 'We need pumpkins.'
The monsters said, 'We have pumpkins.'
The bats said, 'We have pumpkins.'
The monsters and the bats took their pumpkins and everyone was very happy.

