



<b>ASIGNATURA</b>	Inglés	<b>PERIODO</b>	4 (semana 3 y 4)
<b>GRADO</b>	Sexto (6°)	<b>DOCENTE</b>	Karen Présiga Cuartas
<b>FECHAS</b>	Del 26 de octubre al 6 de noviembre		
<b>OBJETIVO</b>	Aprender vocabulario nuevo asociado con la historia y celebración del día de Halloween		
<b>OBSERVACIONES</b>	Realiza en tu cuaderno un glosario con las palabras que no conoces y escribe su significado con la ayuda de un diccionario.		



### Why is it called "Halloween" and how did it start?

Halloween started as a celebration which was originally called "Samhain". This festival was created by the ancient Celts that lived in Gaul and the British Isles more than 2,200 years ago. Their religion was called "Druidism" and Stonehenge was an important site for them. In the druid religion, the pagan god Samhain (the God of Death) was worshipped on the evening of 31st October every year. With the passing of time and the arrival of the Romans then the Catholics, the 1st November became "All Saint's Day", that in English can also be called "All Hallows Day". And therefore 31st October became "All Hallows Eve" which later gained its current name "Halloween".

### Where does the tradition of decorating the house with bones, etc. come from?

2,500 years ago, when the Celtic year finished in summer (i.e. 31st October of our current calendar year), it was believed that the spirits could rise from the cemeteries and revive themselves using the bodies of the living. To avoid this, the village people dirtied their houses and decorated them with bones, skulls and other unpleasant things so that the Dead could guide themselves to a better place. This is how the decoration of houses with devilish things started.

### The tradition of Trick or treating

Druid priests went house to house asking for food and animals to sacrifice to. Samhain during the festival of death. If they gave in, they were given a treat and the priests left in peace. But if the people did not give in, they cursed the whole house and supposedly, someone from the family would die within the year. This was the "trick".





# ACTIVITY



**1** Read the following sentences and circle only those that are true according to the previous reading. The false sentences, the ghosts will eat it.

Lea las siguientes oraciones y encierre en un círculo solo las que sean verdaderas según la lectura anterior. Las frases falsas, los fantasmas se las comerán.

- ★ Halloween is a celebration of celtic origin
- ★ This celebration has been held for more than 10, 000 years
- ★ Before they did not ask for sweets but food and animals to sacrifice
- ★ The decoration in halloween arose to ward off evil spirits
- ★ If the people did not give in, they cursed the whole house
- ★ Samhain, in the druid religion, is the God of Death
- ★ Legend says that 31st October the spirits could not rise from the cemeteries

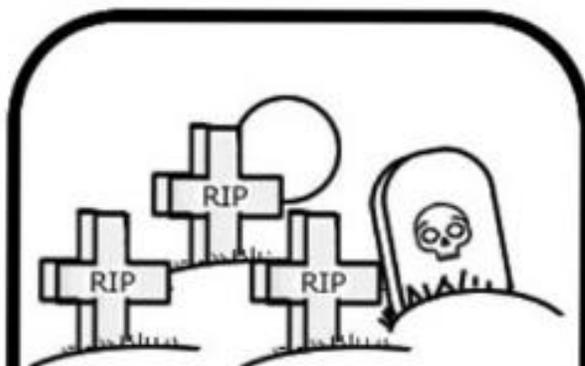
It's close to midnight  
And something evil's lurking in the dark  
Under the moonlight  
You see a sight that almost stops your heart  
You try to scream  
But terror takes the sound before you make it  
You start to freeze  
As horror looks you right between the eyes  
You're paralyzed

¡Anímate a practicar!

Durante estas semanas, en las sesiones virtuales, vamos a estar celebrando Halloween. En medio de esta celebración, nos vamos a aprender una canción muy conocida por su terrorífica letra. Aquí, te dejo un pedacito de la canción para que empieces a descubrir de qué se trata, **WAHAHAHAHA!! WAHAHAHAHA!!**

2. Color the following drawings according to the description that appears in each box

Colorea los siguientes dibujos según la descripción que aparece en cada recuadro



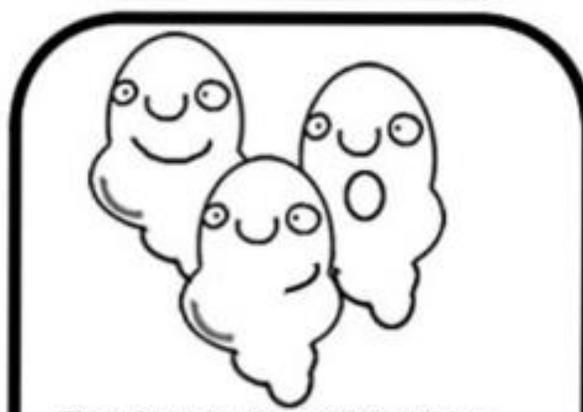
In the cemetery the moon is yellow and the grass is dark green.



The biggest bat is green. The smallest bat is purple.



The spider next to the web is pink. The other spiders are brown.



The ghost in the middle is blue. The ghost on the left is orange. The ghost on the right is green.



The pink skull is over the yellow bones.



The pumpkin is green the cat is black.

3. Complete the following paragraph and help the vampire tell her story

Completa el siguiente párrafo y ayuda a la vampira a contar su historia

Once a \_\_\_\_\_ bit me and now I'm a \_\_\_\_\_ too.  
Daylight makes me weak, so I sleep all day in a \_\_\_\_\_ and I'm  
awake at night. I drink \_\_\_\_\_. I have \_\_\_\_\_ skin and long  
\_\_\_\_\_. I always wear dark clothes and a black \_\_\_\_\_. I can fly if I  
become a \_\_\_\_\_.



coffin  
vampire  
fangs  
bat  
vampire  
pale  
cape  
blood



4. Answer the following questions / Responde las siguientes preguntas:



What was your first costume?



What has been your favorite costume?



Share with the group a photo in which you are disguised, it does not matter if it is old. In case you don't have photos, you can draw yourself as you remember it.

