

HALLOWEEN WOULD YOU RATHER

Choose one. Give at least one specific reason.

Spend Halloween night alone in a house everyone says is haunted	OR	Watch every horror film ever made, back to back
Answer the door to eighty trick-or-treaters	OR	Turn the lights off and pretend you are out
Wear a costume nobody recognizes	OR	Wear the same costume as three other people at the party
Know exactly how a horror film ends before you watch it	OR	Be genuinely frightened
Live next door to a cemetery	OR	Live next door to a nightclub



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RANK THE FEAR

Rank these from least frightening to most frightening. Then agree on one order with your partner.

A A power cut when you are home alone - _____

B A stranger's face at the window - _____

C Your phone ringing at three in the morning - _____

D Footsteps upstairs when the house is empty - _____

E A dog barking at nothing - _____

F Being lost in a forest as it gets dark - _____

G A lift stopping between floors - _____

H Someone saying your name when nobody is there - _____



Phrase bank

- … is worse than …
- The scariest one for me is …
- I do not find … frightening at all
- I would put … at the bottom because …
- We agree on … but not on …

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HALLOWEEN CATEGORY GAME

60 seconds per category. One point for every word nobody else wrote.

Things you see on a decorated house

Words for being frightened

Horror film titles

Costumes you could make from what is in your wardrobe

Halloween food

Sounds that are frightening at night

HALLOWEEN SPEAKING CARDS

How did you celebrate Halloween as a child, if at all?

What is the best costume you have ever seen?

Do you enjoy being frightened, or do you avoid it?

Would you pay to go into a haunted house attraction? Why, or why not?

What is the most frightening film you have seen, and how old were you?

Do you decorate your home for any holiday? Which one, and how much?

If you had to go to a costume party tomorrow, what could you put together from what is already in your wardrobe?

Is Halloween popular in your country? Has that changed in your lifetime?

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