



HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS

Halloween may be a fun holiday for kids, but for parents, trick-or-treat can be a little tricky. Concerns about children's safety, whether they are out in the neighborhood or back home with bags of goodies, can darken the day more quickly than a black cat. To make Halloween a treat for all, follow these safety tips:

- Wear a costume that makes it easier for you to walk, see and be seen.
- Carry a flashlight with you, so you can see and be seen easily.
- Walk instead of riding a bike.
- Stay away from candles, flames or any fire.
- Do not enter a strangers house.
- Try to use makeup instead of a mask.
- Cross only at corners. Never cross between parked cars or mid-block.
- Ask grown ups to Trick-or-Treat with you.
- Plan your Trick-or-Treat route ahead of time. Pick well lighted areas.
- Cross only at corners. Never cross between parked cars or mid-block.
- Wait until you get home to sort, check and eat your treats.

DRIVERS: Be extra careful driving on Halloween. Kids become very excited and sometimes careless while trick-or-treating.

