

PUMPKIN PAINTERS

INSTRUCTIONS

Supplies you will need:

- Clean dry pumpkin
- Newspaper or drop cloth to protect work area
- Paper towel
- Optional supplies; googly eyes, glitter glue, black marker, pipe cleaners, construction paper, glue, yarn



Brush any dirt off pumpkin and clean it with a damp cloth. Be sure pumpkin is dry before painting.



Cover entire work area with newspaper or drop cloth and use paper towel as needed.



Plan out your pumpkin. You can use the blank pumpkins on the back to plan out your pumpkin or use one of the ideas.



Using a pencil, lightly draw your idea on your pumpkin or paint your pumpkin free handed.



To get the Pumpkin Painters started: Remove cap, press tip on scrap paper and gently squeeze bottle to start flow. Close cap when not in use.



Paint your pumpkin!

Painting Tips:

Start with lighter colors first.

To keep marker tips clean avoid painting over the top of wet colors. If possible, allow paint to dry between colors.

Marker Cleaning Tips:

Press tip on scratch paper and gently squeeze. Paint will flow and push mixed paint out of tip. Repeat as needed. Or rinse tip under warm water and using fingers clean tip. Tip can also be removed and rinsed to clean. Dab off excess water.

For dried out tip or decreased flow, rinse tip under warm water and dab off excess water.

Window Painting:

Pumpkin Painters can also be used to paint Halloween scenes on your windows. Be careful not to drip paint on other household surfaces as colors may stain. Clean paint using a damp cloth or paper towel and gently scrub paint off window.

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