

Halloween is the season for little ghosts and goblins to take to the streets, asking for candy and scaring one another silly. Spooky stories are told around fires, scary movies appear in theateres and pumpkins are expertly (and not-so-expertly) carved into jack-o'-lanterns.

Halloween, also known as All Hallows'
Eve, can be traced back about 2,000
years to a pre-Christian Celtic festival held
around Nov. 1 called Samhain
(pronounced "sah-win"), which means
"summer's end" in Gaelic,



Costumes and trick-or-treating

The tradition of dressing in costumes and trick-or-treating may go back to the practice of "mumming" and "guising," in which people would disguise themselves and go door-to-door, asking for food, Santino said. Early costumes were usually disguises, often woven out of straw, he said, and sometimes people wore costumes to perform in plays or skits.

The practice may also be related to the medieval custom of "souling" in Britain and Ireland, when poor people would knock on doors on Hallowmas (Nov. 1), asking for food in exchange for prayers for the dead.





Atividade organizada pelos grupos 330 e 220.

HALLOWE'EN SCHOOL MENU 31st October 2016

Starter:

DISGUSTING SWAMP



SOPA DE BRÓCULOS OU CREME DE ERVILHAS



Main course:

STICKY MEAT EYE BALLS WITH SPAGHETTI SWAMP



ALMÔNDEGAS COM ESPARGUETE
EM MOLHO DE TOMATE



Dessert:

FRUITY PUMPKIN AFRO



ESPETADA DE FRUTA



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