

# Pumpkin Carving!



## you will need...



a pumpkin

small serrated knife\*

marker pen

large metal spoon

tea light

\*ask an adult to help with the knife!

### follow these easy steps ...

#### one:

Draw your face or pattern on the side of the pumpkin with your marker pen; this will help you know which side to scrape out thinner than the rest.

#### two:

Remove the lid by cutting a large hole in the top of the pumpkin. Trim off any flesh and seeds attached and keep for later.

## three:

Using the spoon, scrape out the flesh from the inside of the pumpkin, remove more from the side that you've drawn on.





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### four:

Ask an adult to help you cut out the shapes you've drawn.

TIP! Take little bits out at a time to avoid you cutting through by mistake!

## five:

When you're done, ask an adult to help you light the tea light and pop the lid back on!



#### shopping list ...

l onion pumpkin flesh 700ml vegetable stock 2 tablespoons olive oil





#### what to do ...

- 1. Chop and fry the onion in the oil until brown
- 2. Chop the pumpkin into medium sized pieces and fry for another 10 minutes until soft
- 3. Pour in the vegetable stock, bring to the boil and simmer the soup for another 10-15 minutes
- 4. Wait till the soup is cool and blend in a food processor or with a hand blender until smooth

You could also pop the seeds in the oven to roast, and sprinkle them on top for decoration!

all done!