

## 12 TIPS FOR A SPOOKTACULAR HALLOWEEN



#### **Plan Your Route**

Before heading out, plan your trick-or-treating route, and let someone at home know where you'll be.



#### **Well-Lit Costume**

Make sure costumes are visible in low light. Use reflective tape or wear light-up accessories to increase visibility.



### Stay on Sidewalks

Stick to sidewalks and avoid walking on the road whenever possible.



Cross streets at crosswalks, obey traffic signals, and always look both ways before crossing.



Carry flashlights with fresh batteries to light the way and make you more visible to drivers.



### **Travel in Groups**

Trick-or-treating is safer in groups. Always accompany younger children and establish a meeting point in case you get separated.



Inspect all treats before consuming them. Discard any opened or unwrapped items and report anything suspicious to local authorities.



#### **Respect Private Property**

Only visit houses with their porch lights on, and never enter someone's home. Stay on the front porch or at the door.



Ensure costumes are flame-resistant and fit properly to avoid tripping hazards.

#### Comfortable Shoe

Wear comfortable, well-fitting shoes to prevent blisters and accidents while walking.



## **Allergies**

If you or your child has food allergies, be extra cautious when checking candy and consider nonfood treats.

# **Hydration and Rest**

Take breaks to rest and stay hydrated, especially if you're walking for an extended period.