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Halloween - Vocab Cards

carve]>

to make an object, pattern or design by cutting into something.

I was very careful while I used a sharp knife to carve a face in the pumpkin.

Synonyms: etch, chisel



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Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

convert]>

to change or convince someone else to change their beliefs, especially those that are religious.

Jonah decided to convert from Christianity to Judaism because he felt a connection to the Jewish religion.

Synonyms: change, turn, transform



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costume]>

clothing that makes you look like somebody new.

Gia decided to wear a superhero _costume_ for Halloween.

Synonyms: garb, getup



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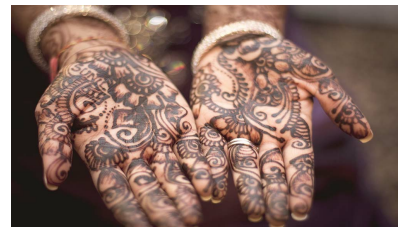
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custom]>

a tradition; something that people do over and over again.

In many South East Asian countries, it is a _custom_ to decorate a bride's hands with henna the night before her wedding.

Synonyms: convention, practice



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festival]>

a celebration of a special event, often religious.

Holi, also known as the _festival_ of colors, is a popular Hindu celebration of the beginning of spring.

Synonyms: fair, celebration



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Halloween]>

an annual holiday mostly celebrated in the US, Canada and Britain in which people dress up and go to houses to ask for candy.

I love _Halloween_ because I get to dress up and eat lots of candy!



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harvest]>

the act of cutting and collecting agricultural crops, or the amount of crops collected.

It was a good _harvest_; all the vegetables were ripe and delicious.

Synonyms: collect



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ritual]>

a ceremony or series of actions always done the same way, usually for religious reasons.

When I visited Japan, I went to a special gathering and saw the careful _ritual_ of the tea ceremony.

Synonyms: rite



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spirit]>

a ghost; a part of a person believed to live on after death.

I swear I saw a _spirit_ drifting through the old cemetery at the edge town.

Synonyms: ghost, apparition, phantom



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tradition]>

a belief, custom, or usual way of doing things, handed down within families or other groups.

It's a _tradition_ in my family that the youngest person and the oldest person pull the wishbone at Thanksgiving.

Synonyms: custom



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