

HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS

- Walk on sidewalks, not in the street.
- Look both ways before crossing the street to check for cars and trucks.
- Cross the street only at corners or in crosswalks.
- Don't hide or cross the street between parked cars.
- Wear light-colored or reflective-type clothing so you are more visible.
- Make sure family members know where you are going. If possible, have an adult go with you.
- Try to go to familiar neighborhoods or homes.
- Carry and use a flashlight
- Stay away from open fires and candles. (Costumes can be extremely flammable.)
- Visit homes that have the porch light on. Skip the homes where no lights are on.
- Accept your treats at the door and NEVER go into a stranger's house.
- Use face paint rather than masks or things that will cover your eyes.
- Be cautious of animals and strangers.
- Have a grown-up inspect your treats before eating. And don't eat candy if the package is already opened. Small, hard pieces of candy are a choking hazard for young children.
- Report suspicious or dangerous behavior to police