

MOUSE'S PUMPKIN HOUSE

Supplies needed:

- Piece of orange construction paper
- Pair of scissors -or- more fun if you tear

Read the story in **bold letters** as you make the mouse a pumpkin house following the directions.

Once there was a little mouse who lived near a pumpkin patch.

The chilly winds of autumn blew, and he thought, "I need a warm home!"

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the found a pumpkin lying on its side. "Perfect!" he thought.



CUT A PUMPKIN OUTLINE WITH STEM

FOLD PAPER IN HALF

To get in, the mouse nibbled a tiny hole in the middle.



CUT A SMALL TRIANGULAR HOLE IN THE CENTER OF THE FOLD TO BECOME THE NOSE.

Inside, he thought, "My friends need a bigger door to visit me!" So, he nibbled a bigger hold next to his tiny door.



CUT A RECTANGLE OR CRESCENT SHAPE THAT WILL BECOME THE MOUTH.

"It's dark in here," the mouse realized. So, he nibbled one more hole above, for Some light.



CUT A SMALL CIRCLE THAT WILL BECOME THE EYES.

thappy with his new home, he invited his friends over. "Happy Halloween!" they cheered.



UNFOLD THE PUMPKIN AND WATCH THE DELIGHT!

