

Dog Costume

BOOK COMPANION



• 57 pages • craft • 3 levels

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Read the same book every day. Do one activity a day. Pull the page and go.



Best in October — week 5 of a preschool circle-time year.

This week

- ☐ Read *your favorite dog-and-costume Halloween story* at circle time every day this week. Children love the repeat, and each day they join in more.
- ☐ After the story, do that day's activity. Every student page has one short direction and a picture, so a paraprofessional can run it too.
- ☐ Teach the core word **down** all week: point to it on the talker or core board every time it comes up in the story.
- ☐ Cutting pages are built for small hands: five or more big pieces, lined up so every cut is one straight line. Pre-cut them for students who are not cutting yet.
- ☐ Sorting, counting, letters and writing come in three levels, marked with a small shape so children do not compare:
 - starting (errorless matching), ■ building, ▲ ready for more.
- ☐ Print the color pages, or use the ink-saver pages at the back on a photocopier.

DAY	AFTER THE READ-ALOUD	ALSO PRACTICING
Day 1	Sort: dog thing, food, or toy? (3 levels)	cutting straight lines, gluing, sorting
Day 2	Count the bones and glue or write the number (3 levels)	counting 1–5, 6–10
Day 3	Letter D: find it, match it, or hear it (3 levels); trace or write	letter D, beginning sound, pencil grip
Day 4	Get the dog ready for a walk: put the steps in order.	life skill: getting a pet ready safely, first/next/then/last
Day 5	Book craft: dress up a dog for Halloween.	cutting straight lines, gluing, following steps

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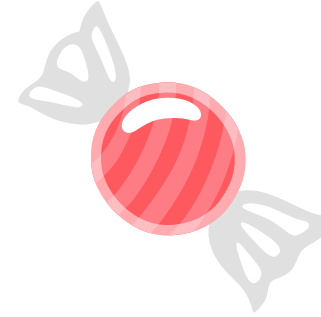
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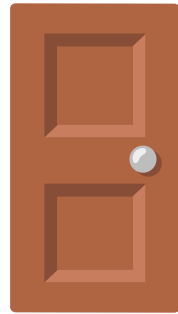
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costume



house



door



ghost



star

HOW MANY? TAP THE NUMBER!

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FIND EVERY D AND d!

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