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Reuse Materials to Make Your Halloween Costume!

IT CAME FROM THE RECYCLE BIN!

Replace the missing words.

One Halloween day, the students in Ms. Lively's class showed up in their costumes. Well, all but one student.

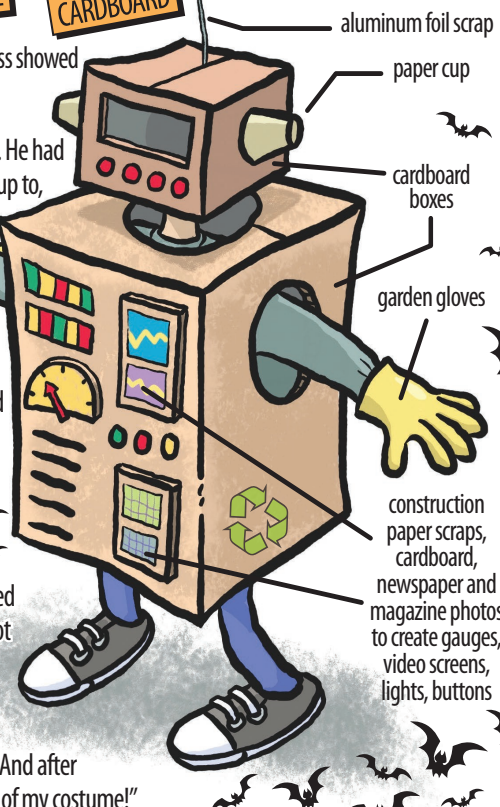
David didn't have a costume. But he wasn't _____. He had a secretive _____ on his face. What was he up to, wondered the other students?

At lunchtime, Ms. Lively said, "David, please stay in at lunch." The other kids wondered if David was in some kind of _____.

But a little later, David came out to the playground in a cool robot costume — one Ms. Lively and he had put together with _____ boxes, aluminum foil, newspaper, construction paper and paper _____.

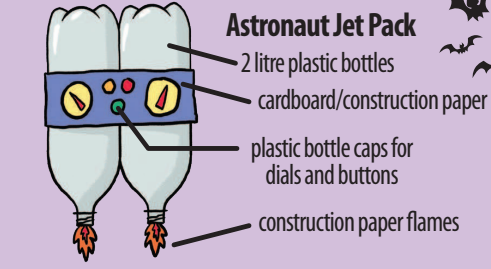
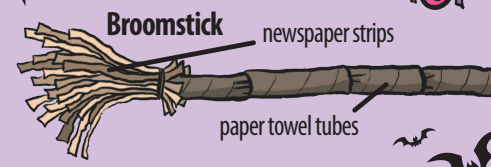
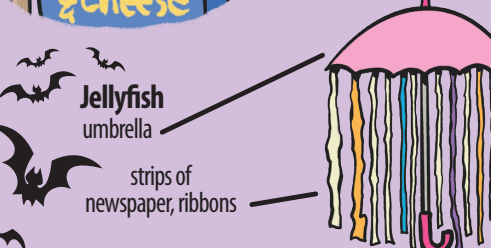
David beamed as he told his friends, "I asked Ms. Lively to help me make my Reuse Robot costume from things heading to the _____ bin! I wanted to show how _____ can be made from reusable things. And after Halloween, I'll recycle all the parts of my costume!"

Reusing things is smart!



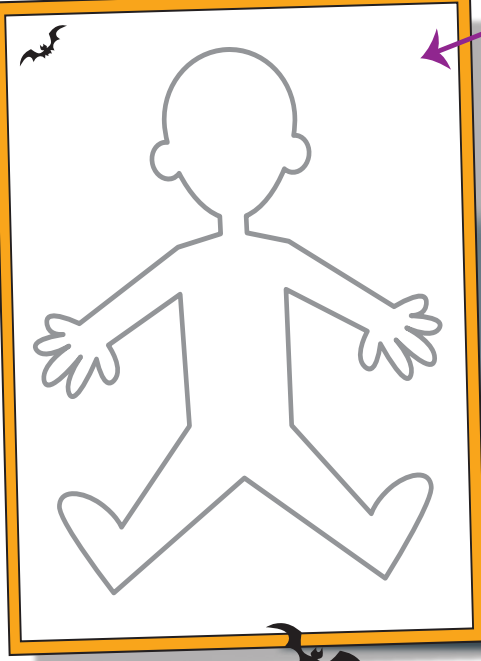
Creative Reuse Costume Ideas

Some things that might end up in landfills could be used to make clever Halloween costumes and props. Here are just a few ideas!



What can you create with some of these things? Draw your costume idea!

- plastic bottles
- paper bags
- newspapers
- magazines
- shoe boxes
- egg cartons
- cereal boxes
- pizza boxes
- popsicle sticks
- butter tubs
- paper cups
- large envelopes
- fruit stickers
- yogurt cups
- butter tubs
- milk cartons



Why do vampires like recycling?



Replace the missing vowels to discover the answer:

BECAUSE PL ST C
 W ST IS A P N
 IN THE N CK!

How many bats can you find on this page? Have a friend try, too!

Extra! Extra! Halloween Scavenger Hunt

- Look through the newspaper for:
- A word that means the opposite of scary
 - A Halloween costume
 - A scary large number
 - An adjective that describes Halloween
- Standards Link: Reading Comprehension: Follow simple written directions.

HALLOWEEN HATS: A paper sack and scrap paper can become a silly Halloween hat! Each picture has a match, except one. Can you find it?



Kid Scoop Puzzler

Draw the item that should come next to continue the pattern in each row.



Standards Link: Mathematics: Understand simple patterns.

Double Double Word Search

Find the words in the puzzle. How many of them can you find on this page?

MATERIALS
 COSTUMES
 MACARONI
 UMBRELLA
 ALUMINUM
 STUDENT
 RECYCLE
 ROBOT
 IDEAS
 SMILE
 VIDEO
 SCRAP
 BOX
 BIN
 CUPS

H	I	T	A	O	E	D	I	V	S
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C	E	E	O	A	O	E	M	L	A
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Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognize identical words. Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.

Race a friend to see which of these monsters will reach those tasty, smelly socks first!



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Kid Scoop VOCABULARY BUILDERS

This week's word: LANDFILL

The noun **landfill** means an area where waste is buried between layers of earth.

It's better to reuse materials than have them end up in **landfills**.

Try to use the word **landfill** in a sentence today when talking with your friends and family members.

FROM THE Kid Scoop LESSON LIBRARY

Newspaper Creatures

Look through the newspaper to find photos or cartoons with people and animals. Cut out different parts and paste them together to create an all-new creature.

Standards Link: Visual Arts: Use a variety of mediums for art.



Why did the baby wrap herself in toilet paper?

ANSWER: She wanted to be like mummy.

Write On!

Halloween Costume Ideas

Can you give other kids advice and idea recommendations for Halloween costumes that don't cost too much money?

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