



**INSTRUCTIONS:** Prepare your pumpkin for carving by cutting out the stem and removing all of strings and seeds from the inside. To make carving easier, thin the walls of the pumpkin a little bit.

Print the stencil and tape to your pumpkin. Using a push pin, thumbtack, or nail, punch holes through the paper along the lines into the pumpkin. Once all of the lines are punched, remove the paper and let your holes guide you as you carve out the design. All shaded areas will be cut out.

**CAUTION:** Carving a pumpkin can be dangerous. Take care in using knives.