

FANGTASTIC FUN



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All dressed up and nowhere to go?

Never fear, here are some ghoulish games to try out with your freaky family at home.

You need:
Cheap loo roll
At least 4 people



Mummy Wrap

Split into 2 teams. One person on each team is the mummy and it is up to their team to make them into the most mummy-like mummy. To make it really tricky (and funny) try doing it in the dark if you have older children. This is even more fun if you play music at the same time

We've been inspired by our exhibition I Grew Up in the 80s to resurrect some retro games. Your mums and dads might have played these games back in the day!



Chilling Chocolate

Everyone sits in a circle, taking it in turns to have a go.
Using a timer each person has a minute to put on hat, scarf and gloves and using a knife and fork to cut off as many squares of chocolate as possible.



You need:
Bars of chocolate
Knife and fork
Hat, scarf and gloves
A timer

You need:
Ring donuts
String



Donut Bobbing

A modern twist on traditional apple bobbing. Hang ring donuts off the washing line (or attach string with a drawing pin to a door frame) and everyone takes it in turns to close their eyes, put their hands behind their backs and try to bite off a donut using only their mouth.



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Safety first

Due to the close physical contact these games are only suitable for members of the same household
Use sanitiser between turns and clean utensils each time



Wail Banshee Wail

One person wears a blindfold, they have to try and catch the other people. Once caught, the person needs to make a spooky sound. If the person in the blindfold can guess who it is they hand over the blindfold and the next person has a go. If they guess incorrectly they carry on trying to catch people until they guess right.

You need:

A blind fold
3 or more people
a room cleared of obstacles

Trick or Treat Feely Buckets

Make a series of feely buckets and see if everyone can guess what's in them. Have a mixture of nice things and some yukky things.

Good contents might be: cooked spaghetti (worms), Jelly with plastic eyeballs or spiders in (slime), pickled onions or peeled grapes (eyeballs), canned plum tomatoes (hearts), cut up balloons (skin), tinned sweet corn (teeth)
add a treat too- sweets, or soft fabric or even a teddybear



You need:

A bowl
A plate
Flour
Sweets
Lots of spoons

Haunted Flour Mountain

The only purpose of this game is to make children laugh!

Pack a pudding bowl with flour and tap down, carefully invert it onto a plate to make a mountain of flour. Carefully place a sweet on top. Everyone takes it in turns to scoop away a spoonful of flour by using a spoon with the handle held in their mouth! The person who makes the sweet fall must try and eat it with their hands still behind their backs

