



# **HALLOWEEN TRIVIA**

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**WHAT CANDY IN AMERICA WAS THE FIRST ONE INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED AND SOLD FOR ONE PENNY?**

**WHAT IS THE MOST POPULAR CANDY BAR AMONG TRICK-OR-TREATERS?**

**THE ANCIENT CELTS THOUGHT THAT SPIRITS AND GHOSTS ROAMED THE COUNTRYSIDE ON HALLOWEEN NIGHT SO THEY BEGAN WEARING WHAT TO AVOID BEING RECOGNIZED AS HUMAN?**

**HALLOWEEN CANDY SELLS AVERAGE ABOUT HOW MANY MILLION DOLLARS ANNUALLY IN THE UNITED STATES?**

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**TRUE OR FALSE: THERE ARE NO SUCH THINGS AS VAMPIRE BATS?**



# ANSWER KEY

**WHAT TWO COLORS ARE ASSOCIATED WITH HALLOWEEN?** Orange and Black because orange is associated with the Fall harvest and black is associated with darkness and death.

**JACK-O-LANTERNS ORIGINATED IN WHAT COUNTRY WHERE PEOPLE PLACED CANDLES IN HOLLOWED-OUT TURNIPS TO KEEP AWAY SPIRITS AND GHOSTS?** Ireland

**WHAT CANDY IN AMERICA WAS THE FIRST ONE INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED AND SOLD FOR ONE PENNY?** The Tootsie Roll

**WHAT IS THE MOST POPULAR CANDY BAR AMONG TRICK-OR-TREATERS?** Snickers

**THE ANCIENT CELTS THOUGHT THAT SPIRITS AND GHOSTS ROAMED THE COUNTRYSIDE ON HALLOWEEN NIGHT SO THEY BEGAN WEARING WHAT TO AVOID BEING RECOGNIZED AS HUMAN?** Masks and Costumes

**HALLOWEEN CANDY SELLS AVERAGE ABOUT HOW MANY MILLION DOLLARS ANNUALLY IN THE UNITED STATES?** Two Million

**TRUE OR FALSE: HALLOWEEN RANKS THIRD AMONG THE MOST COMMERCIALY SUCCESSFUL HOLIDAYS, WITH CHRISTMAS BEING FIRST AND SUPER-BOWL SUNDAY BEING SECOND.** False, Halloween is the Second most commercially successful holiday.

**WHAT ANIMAL WAS ONCE THOUGHT TO BE A WITCH'S FAMILIAR WHO PROTECTED HER POWERS?** The Black Cat

**TRUE OR FALSE: THERE ARE NO SUCH THINGS AS VAMPIRE BATS?** False, Vampire Bats live in Central and South America and feed on the blood of cattle, horses and birds.