

Stylish Pumpkins!



Simple Supplies:

- Pumpkin
- Acrylic Paint (Various Colors)
- Painting Supplies
- Glue
- Pom-Poms (Various Colors)
- Glitter (Optional)
- Medium to Large Googly Eyes (Optional)

*Tip – This fun activity can get a LITTLE messy. Adult supervision is highly recommended.

What's A Stylish Pumpkin:

Most of us have seen the traditional Halloween pumpkins at one point in time. Some of them are carved simply with eyes, a nose and a toothy smile, while others are really awesome to see, complete with celebrity faces. But have you ever gone to a store and seen those small, or long, or skinny, or even bumpy pumpkins? Not exactly what comes to mind when we think of a Halloween pumpkin, but why not? Here is a cool way to liven-up Halloween pumpkins with a new make-over that will turn them from traditional to stylish!

How To:

1. Select a pumpkin. You can go with the traditional pumpkin or select one of those neat ones that look either haunted or as if they're punk-rock stars.
2. Wash your pumpkin to make sure that it is free of dirt. This will allow the paint to work better.
3. Select some colors and paint the pumpkin. Don't hold back. This will be your masterpiece that expresses your personality.
4. Allow to dry.
5. When the paint is completely dry, decorate away! There are no limitations on how you decorate it!
6. Take a picture of your pumpkin and send it to us so we can share your creation with the WORLD!

More Fun:

Here are some other neat ideas you can try:

- Make the pumpkin look like you. Use yarn for hair, paint on eyeglasses, etc. Your entire family can be stylish pumpkins.
- Zombie pumpkins can also be cool to make. With an adult, carve out parts of the pumpkin (eyes, nose, mouth or even part of the side). Paint with zombie friendly colors and use yarn for the hair and even glow in the dark Plato for the guts. Remember, to clean the pumpkin out first if you are carving it to avoid gross messes.