



Halloween Scavenger Hunt



The neighbourhood Halloween hunt for treats may be limited so we've designed a hunt at home. Whether trick or treating your “neighbour” (aka fellow residents in the house whose bedroom doors can be knocked upon) and/or following the clues for our scavenger hunt, young witches, wizards, ghosts, pumpkins or spiders are in for a great surprise! No tricking!

Materials Required:

- Scavenger Hunt clue cards on the following pages.
- Scissors to cut out the clue cards.
- Confectionery treats or non-confectionery treats as rewards.

Instructions:

The idea of a scavenger hunt is to hide clues for your Community Hero/es to find. You can decide whether to have a reward (eg. confectionery item) located with each clue or to provide a reward at the end. The reward can be confectionery or anything you wish.

1. Ensure there is at least 1 reward per person looking for the clues. This hunt can be done as a team with older children helping the younger ones – you’re never too old or young to experience a scavenger hunt!
2. Print out clue cards on the following two pages and cut them out. If you don’t have a printer, you can re-write the clues on your own paper.
3. Keep Clue #1 and ensure the final clue is the very last one placed down.
4. Read the clue hints and hide all the clues (except #1) around your house. Ensure you follow the clue card based on the previous clue hint that you have left in its hiding spot. The clues can be hidden in any order except for #12 which must be the last clue to be found. Note your first clue that you hide will be placed in the shoe cupboard.
5. Depending on the ages of the children, you can make the clues easy to discover or a little trickier. You can also play “hot/cold” to help your Community Hero/es locate the clue.
6. For the last clue, hide something in front of the front door or outside the front door as the final reward.
7. When you’re ready to start the hunt read out the below rhyme and enjoy the Halloween Hunt!

*Today is Halloween
There are clues hiding
Which cannot be seen.
I’ll give you a clue
And then the rest
Is up to you!*

(At this point Adult to hand the first clue out to the Scavenger Hunt participants)

To help here are the hiding places for each clue: 1. Shoe cupboard. 2. Dining table 3. Computer 4. Dishwasher. 5. Refrigerator 6. Pillow 7. Clothing cupboard/draw 8. Mirror 9. Washing machine. 10 TV 11. Bookshelf. 12. Front door



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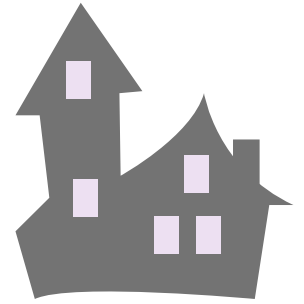


Have you heard the news? The first clue is where we keep our shoes.



#1

I have four legs, but I don't have feet. I come in handy when it's time to eat.



I can take you to places you've never seen, but first, type your password in on my screen.



I'm loaded and unloaded, but I'm not a truck. Having a helper like me is a great piece of luck.



I make it possible to have fresh food. Everyone agrees I'm one cool dude.



I'm filled with feathers or other soft fluff. To sleep without me can be quite tough.





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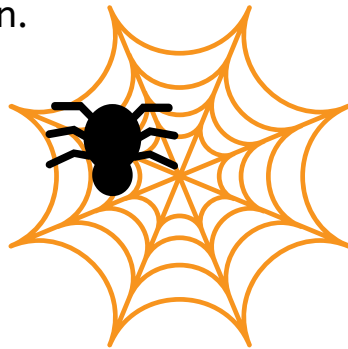
Find the next clue if you dare.
I am where you keep your
underwear.



I'm not a selfie, but I do show
faces. Find me in bathrooms
and a few other places.



I take your clothes for quite a
spin....but first, they get wet.
That's how I begin.



Watching your favourites is
lots of fun...but don't watch
too much! Kids need to run.



A story, they say, can take you
away...but a book still needs a
place to stay.



This is your final clue, there
won't be more. So go and check
the front door.



#12 Final Clue