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Halloween & Fall Word *Ladders*

A Free Sampler, Grades 1 to 5

One real page from each grade pack, two ladders on every page, exactly as they print in the full packs.

THIS IS A SAMPLER · ONE PAGE FROM EACH GRADE

WHAT'S INSIDE

- 5 print-and-go pages, one from each grade, 10 word ladders picked for their Halloween words and clues
- Two PDFs, just like the full packs: Standard, and Assisted with an arrow on the box that changes. This is the Standard one.
- A clue under every step, and an answer key for all 10 ladders

GET THE FULL HALLOWEEN & FALL PACKS

50 Halloween and fall ladders per grade, four levels that climb, Standard and Assisted versions, and a complete answer key. Tap your grade to open it on Teachers Pay Teachers.

Grade 1 | **Grade 2** | **Grade 3** | **Grade 4** | **Grade 5**

Bundle, Grades 1 to 5 • *Best value: all five grades for less than the price of four.*

AFTER HALLOWEEN

Winter Word Ladders keep the same routine from December to February, with a winter theme and no holidays.

Grade 1 Grade 2 Grade 3 Grade 4 Grade 5
Bundle, Grades 1 to 5

ALL YEAR LONG

Word Ladders: 100 ladders per grade.

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Made by an elementary teacher, for elementary classrooms.

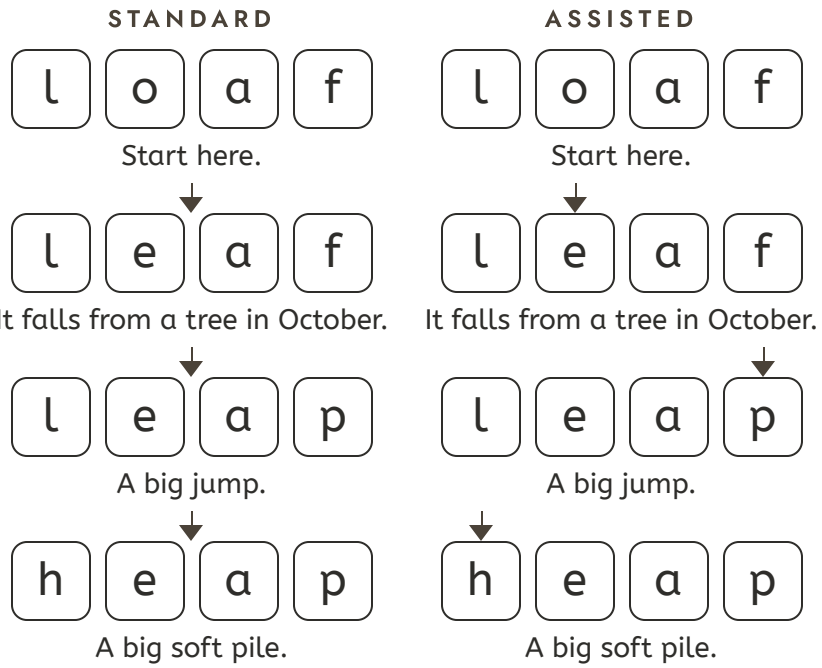
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Using This Sampler

Five real pages, one from each grade pack.

Each page here is lifted straight from one grade of Halloween & Fall Word Ladders, from Level 1 or Level 2: two ladders per page, with the top and bottom words given.

1 How a ladder works, two ways



- Only one letter changes from each word to the next. Everything else stays put.
- The top and bottom words are printed in. The words in between are the answers.
- Use the clue and the one-letter rule together. If a word does not fit, try another letter.
- Two PDFs, like every full pack. You're reading the Standard one; the Assisted one holds the same ten ladders.

Assisted: the arrow points at the box that changes, so a student new to ladders knows where to look. Choose Standard or Assisted to match each student's needs; both use the same words and clues, so the choice stays quiet. Model the example and read clues aloud as needed.

2 Ways to use it

- Word work centers and literacy rotations
- Early finishers who need something real
- Morning work in the weeks before Halloween
- Try a sample to choose a starting point

3 What the full packs hold

- Halloween & Fall packs: 50 ladders per grade
- Standard and Assisted versions of every page
- On 25 student pages, in four levels that climb
- A complete answer key in every pack
- Winter Word Ladders: the same routine from December to February, with no holidays
- Word Ladders, all year long: 100 ladders per grade

- **Printing.** Print the grade page you need from pages 3 to 7. Keep page 8 as the teacher key, with a link to every full pack.

Halloween & Fall Word Ladders - Level 2

Read the clue, write the word. Change one letter on each step, and every step is a real word.

LADDER 15

b	o	o

Start here.

A ribbon tied in loops on a candy bag.

A straight line of things.

To go bad and break down.

j	o	t

To write a quick note.

LADDER 16

h	a	y

Start here.

To speak words.

A tool that cuts wood.

To stitch a costume with needle and thread.

s	e	a

The big salty ocean.

Halloween & Fall Word Ladders - Level 1

Read the clue, write the word. Change one letter on each step, and every step is a real word.

LADDER 05

n	a	p	s

Start here.

They show you where places are.

Small rugs by a door for trick-or-treaters.

b	a	t	s

They fly at night and hang upside down.

LADDER 06

r	a	m	p

Start here.

Male sheep.

Long-tailed animals bigger than mice.

c	a	t	s

Pets that purr, black ones on Halloween.

Halloween & Fall Word Ladders - Level 2

Read the clue, write the word. Change one letter on each step, and every step is a real word.

LADDER 19

s	a	g	e

Start here.

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When candy costs less after Halloween.

↓

A boy or a man.

↓

A big building full of shops.

↓

f	a	l	l

The season after summer.

LADDER 20

f	a	c	t

Start here.

↓

The front of your head, covered by a costume mask.

↓

Not real, like a costume mask.

↓

A dessert, birthday or pumpkin spice.

↓

c	a	v	e

A hollow space in a hill.

Halloween & Fall Word Ladders - Level 1

Read the clue, write the word. Change one letter on each step, and every step is a real word.

LADDER 11

t	r	e	a	t

Start here.

To step carefully along.

Slices of it make a sandwich for the hayride.

b	r	o	a	d

Very wide from side to side.

LADDER 12

p	a	r	t	s

Start here.

Wheeled baskets for hauling pumpkins.

Feels concern and looks after someone.

c	a	p	e	s

What superheroes wear flapping behind them.

Halloween & Fall Word Ladders - Level 1

Read the clue, write the word. Change one letter on each step, and every step is a real word.

LADDER 05

m	a	s	k	s

Start here.

Jobs on your Halloween to-do list.

Armored vehicles, or big containers.

b	a	n	k	s

The sides of a river, or places that keep money safe.

LADDER 06

b	l	a	c	k

Start here.

Empty, or a space to fill in.

A single sawed board of lumber.

p	l	a	n	s

Ideas for what to do next.

FOR THE TEACHER

Answer Key

GRADE 1	Ladder 15	boo → bow → row → rot → jot	**Full Grade 1 pack**
	Ladder 16	hay → say → saw → sew → sea	
GRADE 2	Ladder 05	naps → maps → mats → bats	**Full Grade 2 pack**
	Ladder 06	ramp → rams → rats → cats	
GRADE 3	Ladder 19	sage → sale → male → mall → fall	**Full Grade 3 pack**
	Ladder 20	fact → face → fake → cake → cave	
GRADE 4	Ladder 11	treat → tread → bread → broad	**Full Grade 4 pack**
	Ladder 12	parts → carts → cares → capes	
GRADE 5	Ladder 05	masks → tasks → tanks → banks	**Full Grade 5 pack**
	Ladder 06	black → blank → plank → plans	

Standard and Assisted share the same answers. The arrows only show where to look.

Thank you

Thank you for trying these ladders. I hope they buy you a few quiet minutes this October, and give your students something real to climb.

READY FOR THE FULL CLIMB?

Every full pack is a tap away, and each bundle gathers every grade in its line. Or **browse the whole shop**.

Halloween & Fall Word Ladders October, 50 ladders per grade

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Winter Word Ladders December to February

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Word Ladders all year 100 ladders per grade

Grade 1 **Grade 2** **Grade 3** **Grade 4** **Grade 5** **Bundle, Grades 1 to 5**

Prefix and Suffix Word Ladders Grades 3 to 5

Grade 3 **Grade 4** **Grade 5** **Bundle, Grades 3 to 5**

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