

Monster color match

Educator guide | Flexible starting ages: 3 to 5 years

Match friendly Halloween monsters to orange, purple, green and yellow.
Then choose colors to create a monster of your own.

AT A GLANCE

About 5 to 10 minutes per activity, with pauses as needed.

Materials: Activity page printed in color; crayons or washable markers.

Learning goals: Notice and match colors; connect spoken color names to what the learner sees. Reading the labels is not required.

INVITE, EXPLORE, CREATE

- 01** Look at the monsters together. Invite the learner to choose one.
- 02** Find the swatch with the same color. Point, say or draw a line.
The adult can name the color while pointing to the picture and swatch.
- 03** On the creation page, choose one or more colors for the blank monster.
Color, make marks or tell an adult which colors to use.
- 04** Invite the learner to show a color they used or find it nearby.

MAKE IT WORK FOR YOUR LEARNERS

Easier: Show one monster and two swatches at a time. Cover the rest.

Model a match first, then invite the learner to try a different color.

More challenge: Find an object nearby that matches, or use two colors on the creation page and name or point to each one.

Accept looking, gestures, spoken choices or adult-assisted responses.

If colors are difficult to distinguish, describe them together without testing. Skip any step and respect a request to pause.

PRINT & USE

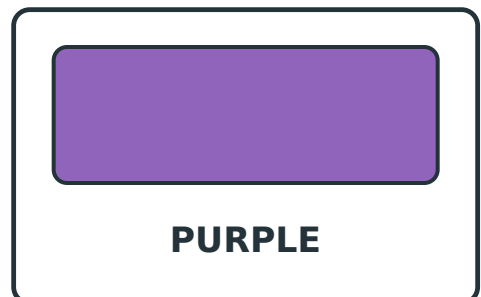
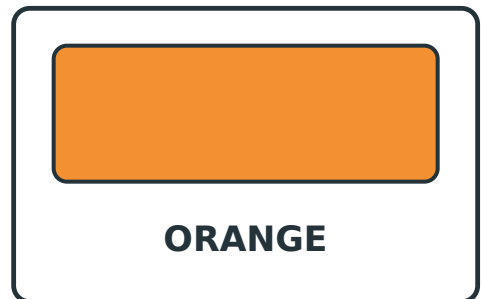
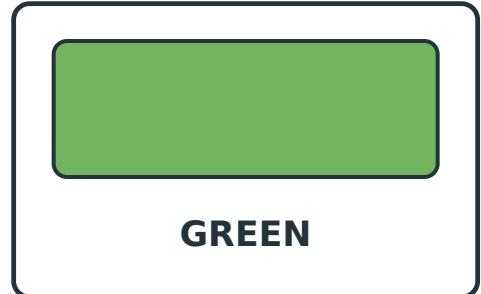
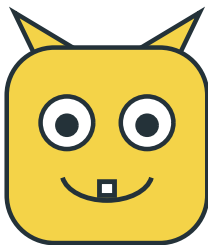
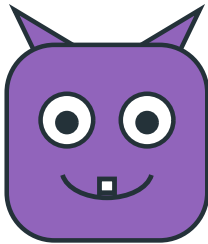
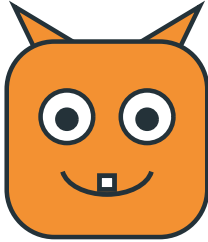
Print at 100% / actual size on US Letter paper. Page 2 needs color.

Page 3 can be printed in black and white. No personal information is needed.

These are playful invitations, not a test.

Match the monster colors

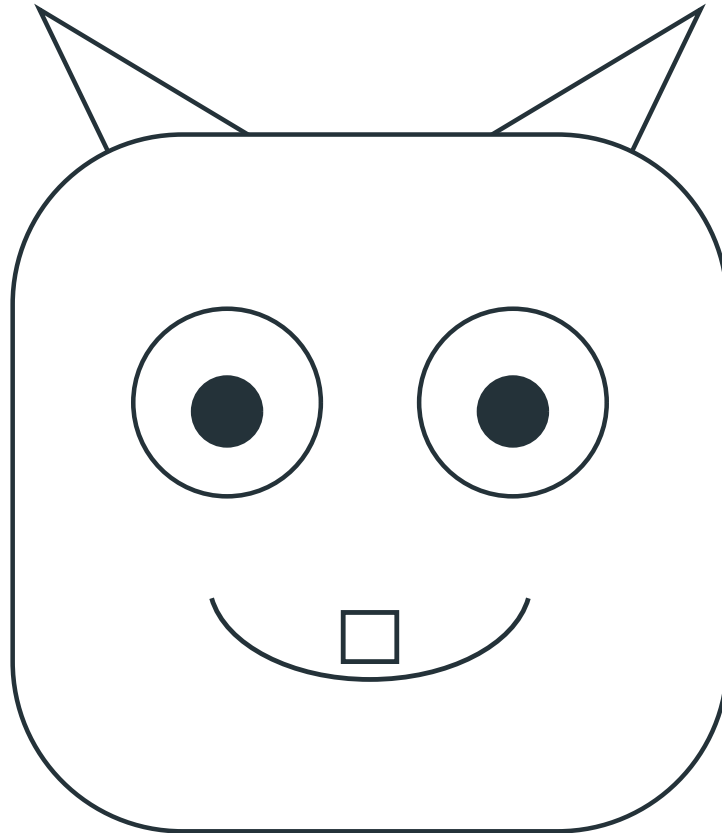
Find the same color. Point, say or draw a line.



Print this page in color. A grown-up can read the color names aloud.

Your colorful monster

Choose colors for your monster. One color or many is welcome.



What colors will you choose?

ORANGE

PURPLE

GREEN

YELLOW

A grown-up can read the choices. Other colors are welcome too.

Color, make marks or tell someone which colors to use.