

SGRAFFITO MASK

TAKE & MAKE CURBSIDE CRAFT FOR OCTOBER



CREATE YOUR OWN SGRAFFITO MASK

1. Use the scraping tool in the bag to scratch off the top black layer to create shapes or patterns.
2. Attach the elastic band or strings.
3. Put on your mask and say, "Trick or Treat!"

FAB VOCAB!

Layers: Sgraffito and scratchboard use two layers. The bottom layer can be just one or many and the top layer is often black.

Pattern: In art, pattern is the repeated use of shapes or lines. The pot on the lower left has many patterns including stripes and swirls.

Subtractive Process: In art, the subtractive process is when you take away or subtract something. In this project, we are subtracting the top layer of black to reveal the colorful bottom layer.

Did You Know?



People in Ancient Greece made clay pots (left) and wall paintings using sgraffito 2,500 years ago. Usually, the bottom layer is orange and the top layer is black. Where the black is scraped or scratched off, the orange shows through. This orange and black sgraffito or scratchboard drawing (right) was inspired by Greek pots.

Frightful Books

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Pete the Cat Five Little Pumpkins

You Read to Me, I'll Read to You: Very Short Scary Tales to Read Together

Pick a Pumpkin

Olivia Loves Halloween

The Happy and Heinous Halloween of Classroom 13

Halloween Howlers : Frightfully Funny Knock-knock Jokes

Boo! Haiku

Scary Stories to Tell in the Dark

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Frightful Songs

Blow, Blow, Blow Your Nose! (to the tune of Row, Row, Row Your Boat)

Blow, blow, blow your nose
Sick and stuffy ghost.
Pick it
Poke it
Pull it out
And spread it on your toast!

If You're Scary and You Know It (to the tune of If You're Happy and You Know It)

If you're scary and you know it, clap your claws.
If you're scary and you know it, flap your jaws.
If you're scary and you know it and you really want to show it,
If you're scary and you know it, clap your claws.

Source: Sipping Spiders Through a Straw Campfire Songs for Monsters, lyrics by Kelly DiPucchio

