

## EA – Vocab.builder – Session 2 (Ivana Malovičová) Nov 1, 2017

**Halloween** or **Hallowe'en** (a contraction of **All Hallows' Evening**), also known as **All Hallows' Eve**, or **All Saints' Eve**, is a celebration **observed in a number of countries** on 31 October, the eve of the **Western Christian** feast of **All Hallows' Day**. It begins the **three-day observance** of **Allhallowtide**, the time in the **liturgical year** dedicated to remembering \_\_\_\_\_, including **saints** (hallows), **martyrs**, and all the faithful departed.

It is widely believed that many Halloween traditions originated from ancient **Celtic harvest festivals**, particularly the **Gaelic** festival **Samhain**; that such festivals may have had \_\_\_\_\_ roots; and that Samhain itself was **Christianized** as Halloween by the **early Church**. Some believe, however, that Halloween began solely as a Christian holiday, separate from ancient festivals like Samhain.

Halloween activities \_\_\_\_\_ **trick-or-treating**, attending **Halloween costume** parties, \_\_\_\_\_ pumpkins into **jack-o'-lanterns**, lighting **bonfires**, visiting **haunted attractions**, telling \_\_\_\_\_ stories, and watching **horror films**. In many parts of the world, the Christian religious observances of All Hallows' Eve, including attending church services and lighting **candles** on the graves of the dead, remain popular, although elsewhere it is a more commercial and secular celebration.

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### 1) Learning English – Iconography

<https://www.kaplaninternational.com/blog/how-to-learn-english>

### 2) Text

<https://www.kaplaninternational.com/blog/four-simple-ways-to-learn-english-with-movies>

### 3) word formation exercise

[https://www.examenglish.com/FCE/fce\\_use\\_of\\_english\\_part3\\_test2.htm](https://www.examenglish.com/FCE/fce_use_of_english_part3_test2.htm)

### 4) word formation exercise

<http://www.esl-lounge.com/student/advanced/cae-034-word-formation-exercise.php>

### 5) the text : How many words are there in the English language?

<https://en.oxforddictionaries.com/explore/how-many-words-are-there-in-the-english-language>