

Escape the House Clue for Digit 1

Convert these nouns and adjectives into verbs by adding the **suffix -ate, -ise or -ify**.
How many of the words need the suffix -ate?

vaccine diverse medicine

stable active advert

pollen pure navigation

beauty complication terror

Escape the House Clue for Digit 2

One word in each of these sentences is missing a prefix. Add the missing prefixes and count how many times the **prefix over-** is used.

The ghost simply _____ appeared before my eyes.

I don't mean to _____ react but I'm terrified of zombies!

We'll have to _____ trace our steps to find the vampire.

I _____ takenly thought the house was haunted.

We will have to _____ fend ourselves against the zombies.

I was _____ joyed to reach the safety of my house.

The pumpkin's face became _____ shapen.

Escape the House Clue for Digit 3

Read the sentences below. Count how many sentences contain a **relative clause**.

We got many sweets from the house which is at the end of the street.

The ghost, who scared everybody, moaned and wailed.

My sister and I ate lots of delicious sweets.

They cancelled the Halloween disco that had been scheduled.

I enjoy watching scary movies beneath a blanket.

The zombie, whose arm was hanging off, chased after us.

The trolls which were chasing us suddenly disappeared.

Escape the House Clue for Digit 4

How many of these words are **modal verbs**?

could

may

might

love

should

shall

will

crave

would

must

can

want

Escape the House Clue for Digit 5

Read the sentences below. How many of them contain an **adverb of possibility**?

Simone nervously wore a scary costume to the party.

Perhaps a spooky ghost appeared in the woods.

Zombies will surely climb out from the muddy ground.

Joyously, I went bobbing for apples.

My kind grandma will probably bake a Halloween cake.

The vampire's white teeth definitely shone in the moonlight.

I'll certainly love all of the spooky costumes this Halloween.

Escape the House Clue for Digit 6

Each of the sentences below contain an **adverb of time, place or frequency**. How many of them contain an adverb of place?

Dad hung my dirty Halloween costume outside.

We could still hear the werewolves howling.

My brother will take me trick-or-treating tomorrow.

The ghouls usually appear just before midnight.

We knew the ghostly entity would be nearby.

The vampires often chase us down the street.

Hourly, the wicked witch appears in the window.

The terrifying zombies couldn't be seen anywhere.

Escape the House Clue for Digit 7

Read the sentences below. How many of these sentences contain **correctly punctuated parenthesis**? Correct any errors you find.

The terrifying zombie covered in goo) screamed at us.

My little sister terrified by the ghosts – wanted to go home.

My kind neighbour, Shilpa, gave us some sweets.

The vampire (with sharp, long fangs scared the children.

My friend screamed (in fear as she ran back home.

Zoe my sister, supervised us whilst we went trick-or-treating.

Now that I'm older – 8 years old – I know I don't need to be scared.

Escape the House Clue for Digit 8

Read the sentences below. Count how many sentences are **correctly punctuated**.

After seeing the zombies the children ran up the street.

“Let's drink punch Jamie,” said Smeena at the disco.

Hauntingly the wicked witch gave an evil cackle.

The ghouls who were translucent were difficult to see.

Apple bobbing costumes and party games made the school disco fun.

Amazingly, the family escaped from the vampire's lair.

Linda the school chef, prepared some cobweb candyfloss.

Escape the House Clue for Digit 9

These words are all missing two letters. Add in the missing letters to correctly spell the words. How many words are missing the 'ei' spelling pattern?

cash____r ch____f dec____ve

conc____ve rec____ve bel____ve

perc____ve c____ling ach____ve

w____rd w____ght v____n

Escape the House Clue for Digit 10

Read the clue and write the answer with one letter in each box. Spell the answers correctly to reveal the hidden number in the **orange** squares.

A place where people pay to sit and eat.

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Often seen before thunder is heard.

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An injury which appears after a bump.

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A person who serves in the army.

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A line of people waiting their turn.

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