



Cornerstone Christian Academy's Storybook Pumpkin Patch

Our Elementary Library is growing a Storybook Pumpkin Patch, and we need your help! Decorate a pumpkin to look like one of your favorite book characters, and bring it to the library to plant in our Storybook Pumpkin Patch!

NO CARVED OR CUT PUMPKINS WILL BE ACCEPTED

- Think of your favorite book, and design your pumpkin based on your favorite character from that book.
- Purchase a pumpkin that is **no larger** in size than a basketball.
- Gather your decorating supplies. **Acrylic paints or permanent markers work best.** Watercolors tend to run, and spray paint will gradually dissolve the pumpkin. Other options include adding materials such as yarn, buttons, wiggly eyes, etc.
- **Decorate your pumpkin *without* carving, cutting, or poking holes in it.**
- Print out and answer the questions on the following entry page.
- Bring your pumpkin and entry page to the library on **Tuesday, October 27th** upon arrival to school.
- **Pumpkins are to be taken home at the end of school on Thursday, November 5th.** If your child needs assistance getting it home, please make arrangements to do this. All pumpkins that are left behind will be disposed of by 3:30 that afternoon.
- Participation is completely voluntary. This is not a contest, however **each decorated pumpkin will earn the owner one participation reward** (limit one pumpkin per student). You will get your participation reward the week of November 9th.
- Have fun and be creative!

Storybook Pumpkin Patch Entry

Child's name: _____

Pumpkin's name: _____

Book Title: _____

Author: _____

Illustrator: _____

Describe your character: