MARIGOLD
STORY BLAZERS

HALLOWEEN COLORS

Coloring Book

Name, choose, and color friendly Halloween scenes with a grown-up.

Ages 3–5

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Welcome to Marigold Ridge

We ask questions, help our friends, and find stories in surprising places. What will we notice today?

This book is a place to choose, try, and share colors. Your grown-up can read the words and show you the crayons.

Every child can color in their own way. It is okay to point, talk, pause, or leave a page for another day.

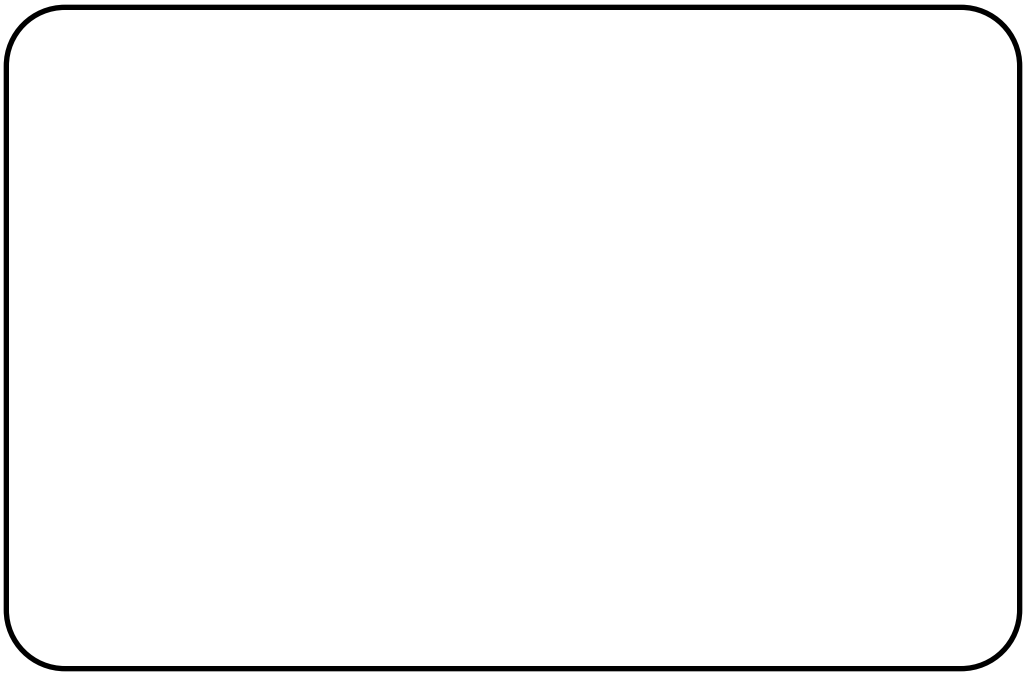
Be kind. Be curious. Be brave.

That's the Marigold way.

This book belongs to

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Write your name. Choose a crayon. Make your first color mark below.



Every color belongs here.

For Grown-Ups

Read each short direction aloud. Show and name the actual crayon before your child fills a labeled swatch. The printed pictures are black and white.

For a named swatch such as RED, show that crayon and help your child try it. On the picture, imaginative color choices are welcome.

White can mean leaving the white paper uncolored. Never grade a child's skin-color choices or tell them one skin color is correct.

Crayons and colored pencils work well. If using markers, put a protective sheet behind the page. Ink can still pass through paper.

Every art page has an intentional blank back. The blank pages are part of the coloring format.

COLOR START

Grown-up: show two crayons and name both colors. Help your child fill the two swatches. Then choose colors for Hana's card and Miles's chalk.

MY COLOR

MY COLOR

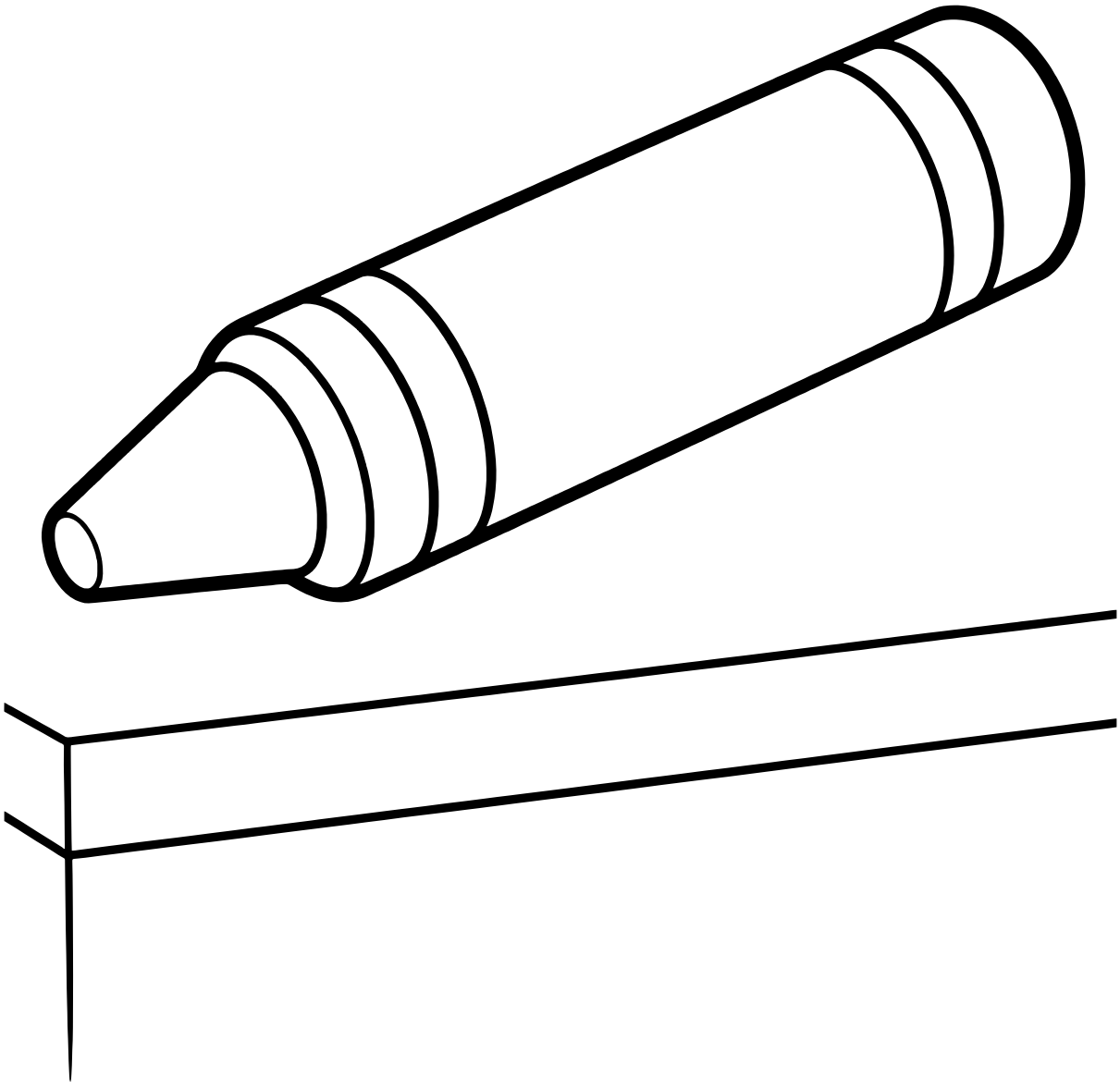


MAKE A COLOR SWATCH

Grown-up: let your child pick one crayon and say its color name. Fill the big swatch.

MY COLOR

CRAYON

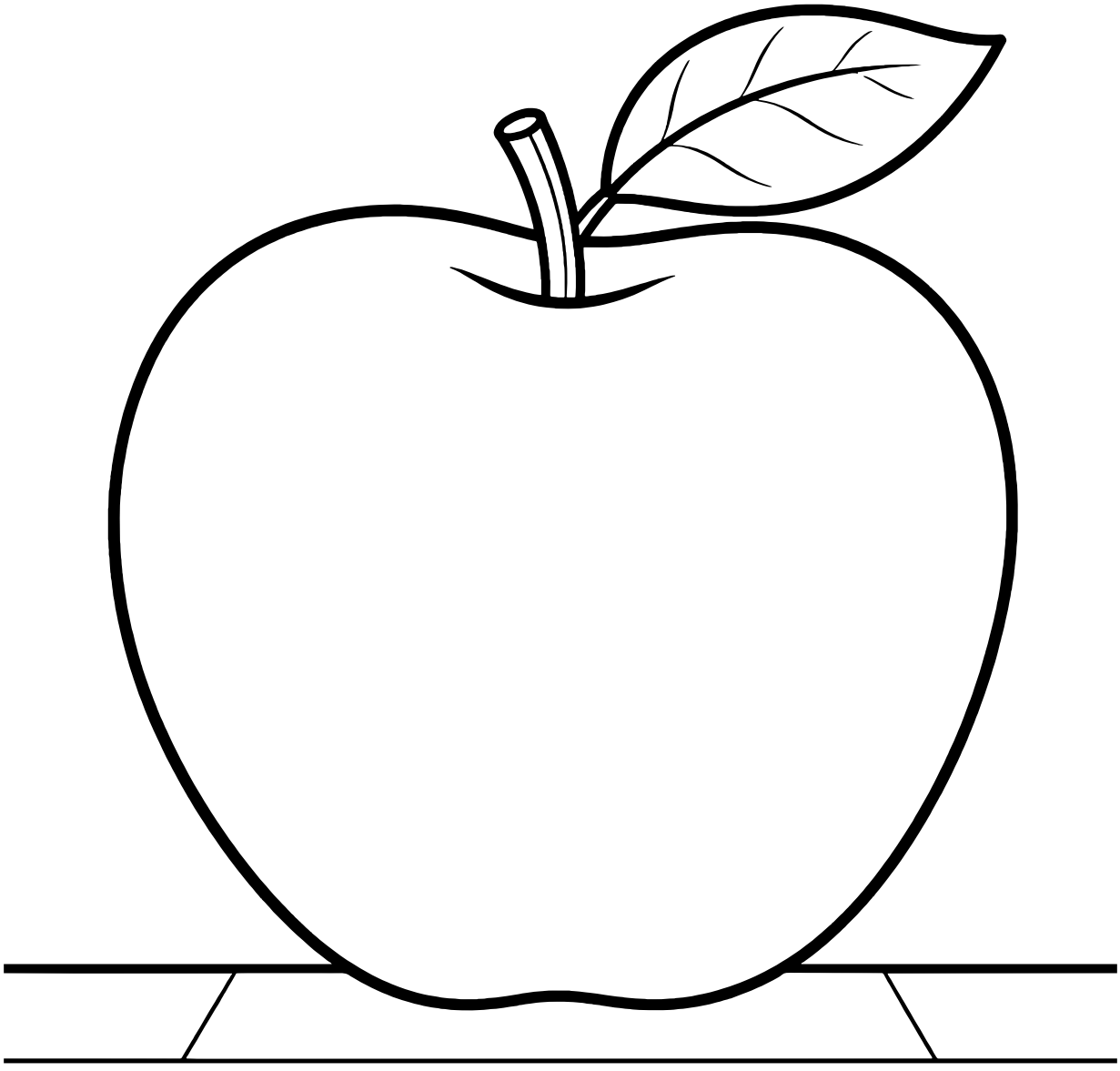


RED

Grown-up: show a red crayon. Fill the RED swatch. Then color the apple red—or choose a different apple color.

RED

APPLE

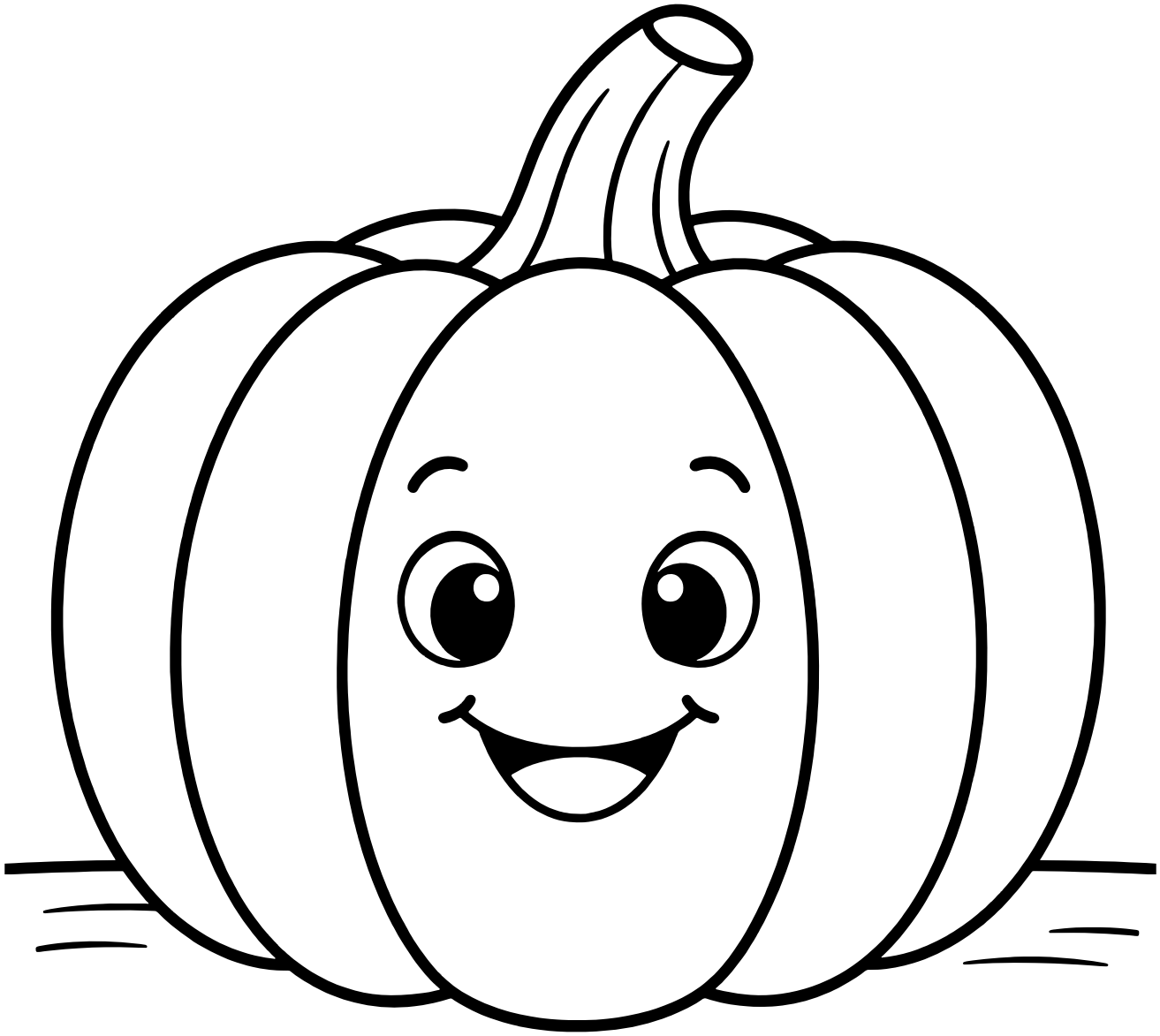


ORANGE

Grown-up: show an orange crayon. Fill the ORANGE swatch. Then color the pumpkin orange—or choose a different pumpkin color.

ORANGE

PUMPKIN



YELLOW

Grown-up: show a yellow crayon. Fill the YELLOW swatch. Then choose colors for the lantern.

YELLOW

LANTERN



GREEN

Grown-up: show a green crayon. Fill the GREEN swatch. Then color the leaf green—or choose a different leaf color.

GREEN

LEAF

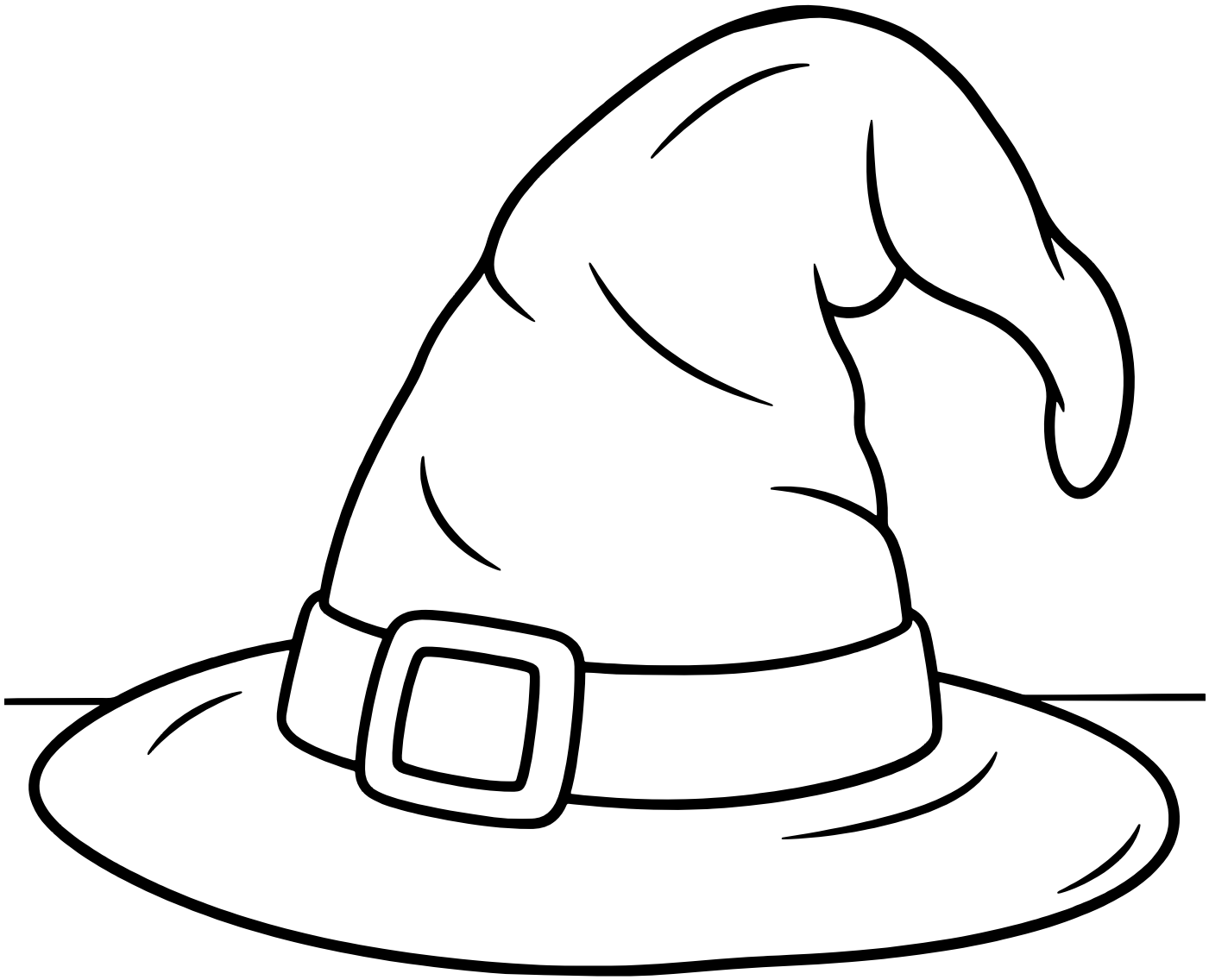


BLUE

Grown-up: show a blue crayon. Fill the BLUE swatch. Then choose colors for the costume hat.

BLUE

HAT



PURPLE

Grown-up: show a purple crayon. Fill the PURPLE swatch. Then choose colors for the cape.

PURPLE

CAPE



PINK

Grown-up: show a pink crayon. Fill the PINK swatch. Then choose colors for the treat bag.

PINK

TREAT BAG

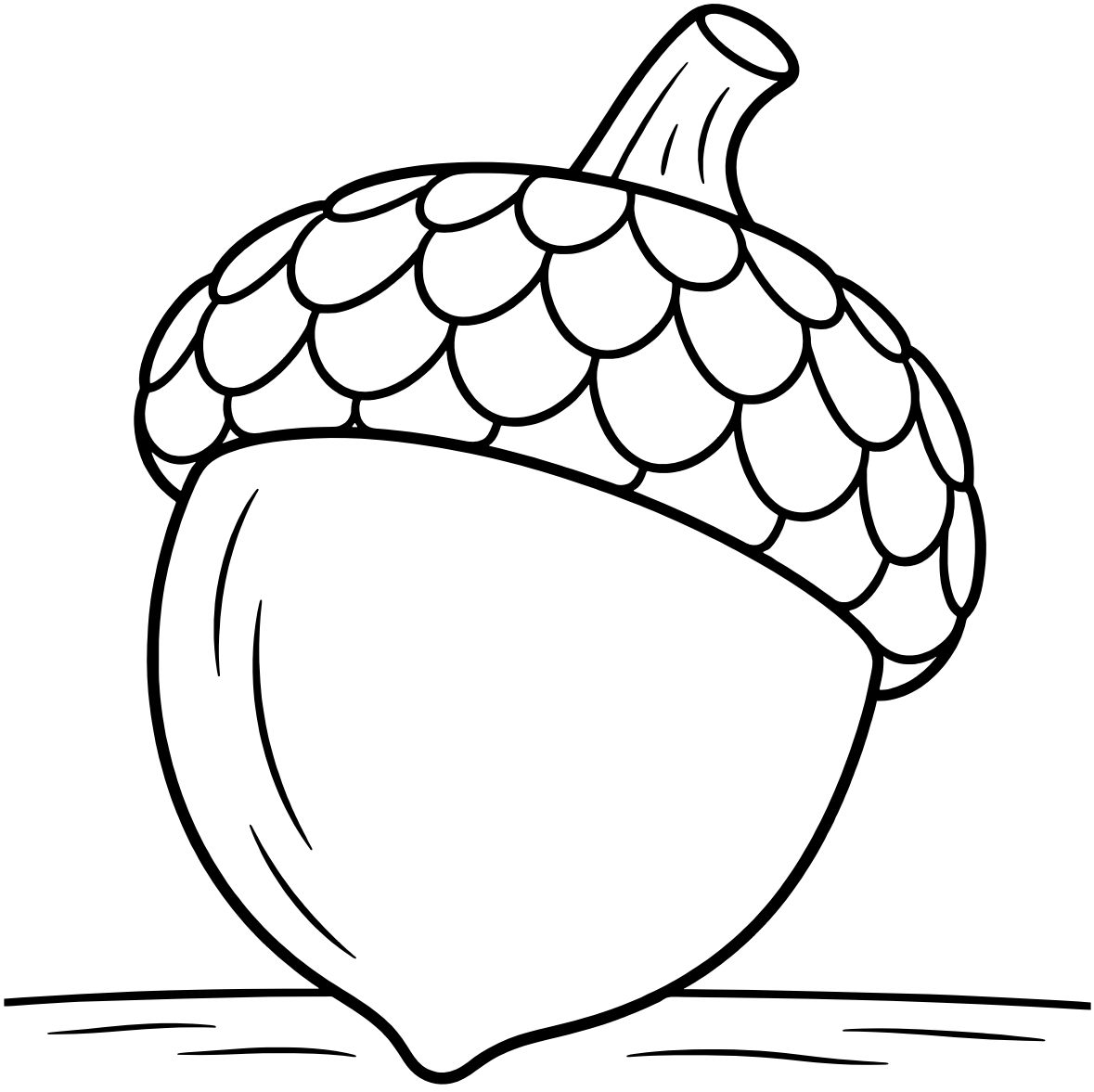


BROWN

Grown-up: show a brown crayon. Fill the BROWN swatch. Then color the acorn brown—or choose a different acorn color.

BROWN

ACORN

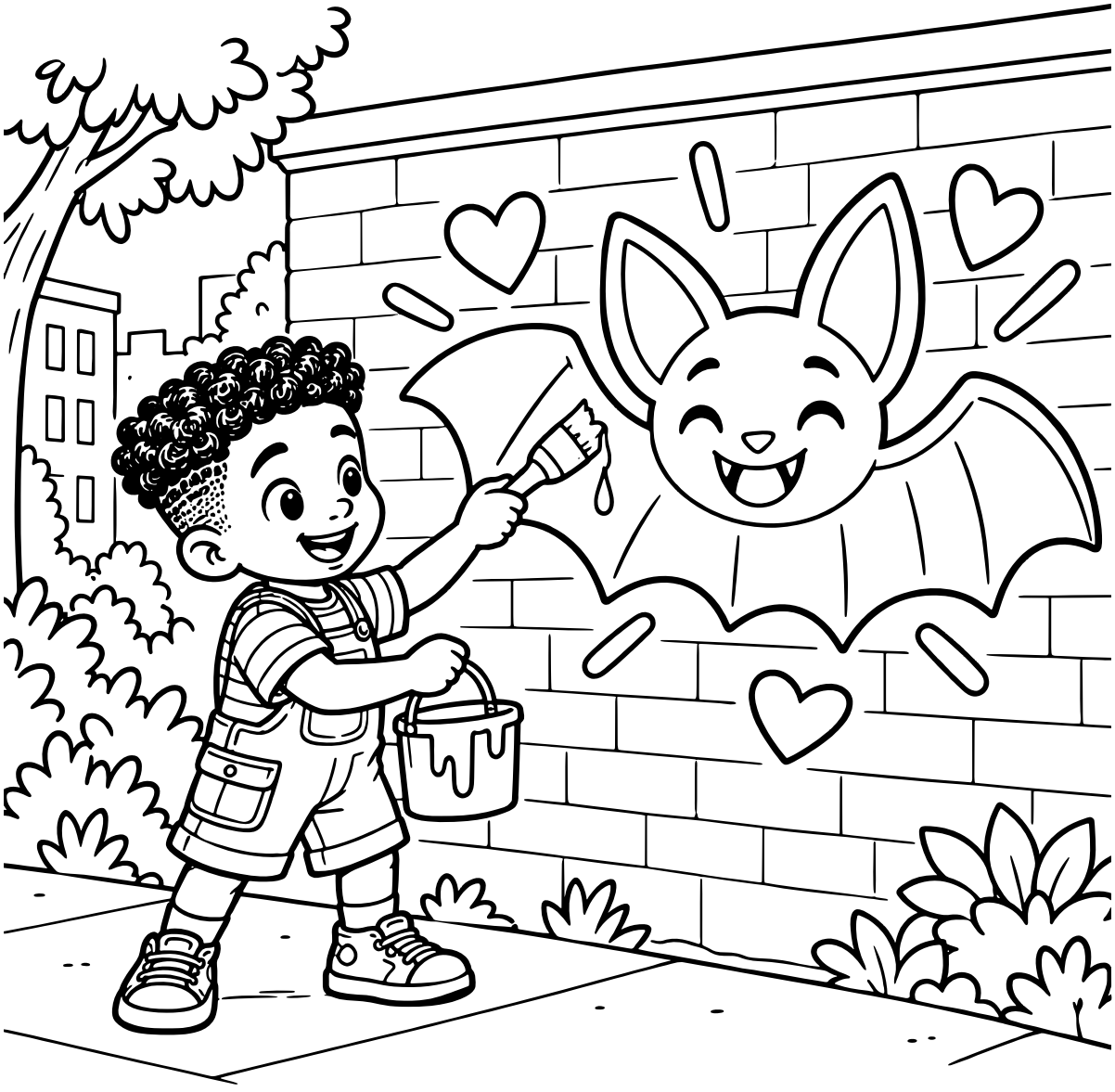


BLACK

Grown-up: show a black crayon. Fill the BLACK swatch. Then color the bat decoration black—or choose your own color.

BLACK

BAT DECORATION



WHITE

Grown-up: show and name a white crayon. Leave the WHITE swatch uncolored so the white paper shows. Leave the ghost's sheet white; color its bow any color.

WHITE

SHEET GHOST



RED LEAF

Grown-up: show a red crayon. Fill the RED swatch. Color the big leaf red.

RED

LEAF



ORANGE PUMPKIN

Grown-up: show an orange crayon. Fill the ORANGE swatch. Color the pumpkin orange.

ORANGE

PUMPKIN

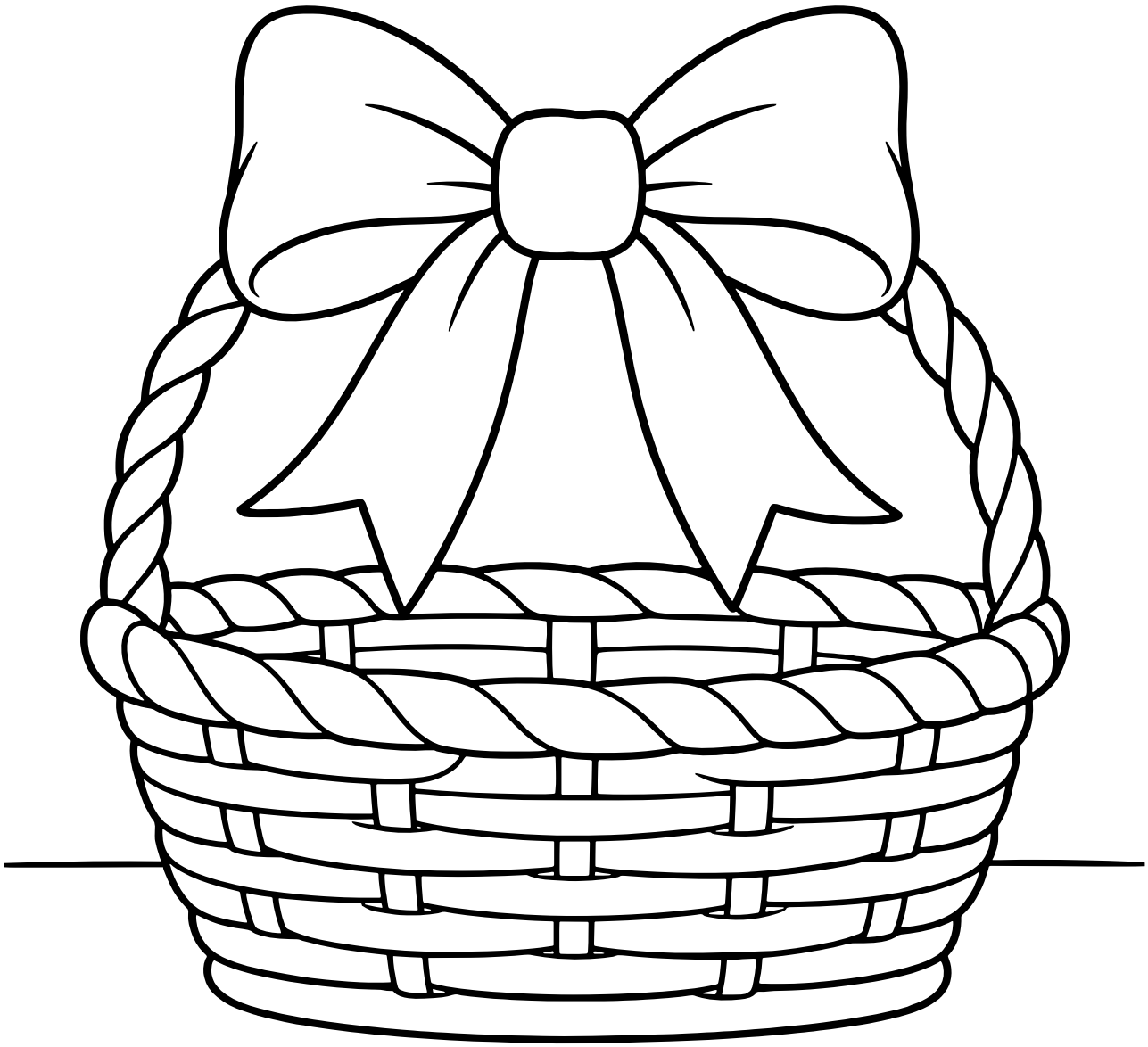


YELLOW RIBBON

Grown-up: show a yellow crayon. Fill the YELLOW swatch. Color the basket ribbon yellow.

YELLOW

RIBBON



GREEN MITTENS

Grown-up: show a green crayon. Fill the GREEN swatch. Color both costume mittens green.

GREEN

MITTENS



BLUE MOON FLAG

Grown-up: show a blue crayon. Fill the BLUE swatch. Color the moon on the flag blue.

BLUE

MOON FLAG



PURPLE PATCH

Grown-up: show a purple crayon. Fill the PURPLE swatch. Color the scarecrow patch purple.

PURPLE

PATCH



PINK BOW

Grown-up: show a pink crayon. Fill the PINK swatch. Color the porch bow pink.

PINK

BOW



BROWN BASKET

Grown-up: show a brown crayon. Fill the BROWN swatch. Color the basket brown.

BROWN

BASKET



BLACK CAT SIGN

Grown-up: show a black crayon. Fill the BLACK swatch. Color the flat cat decoration black.

BLACK

CAT SIGN

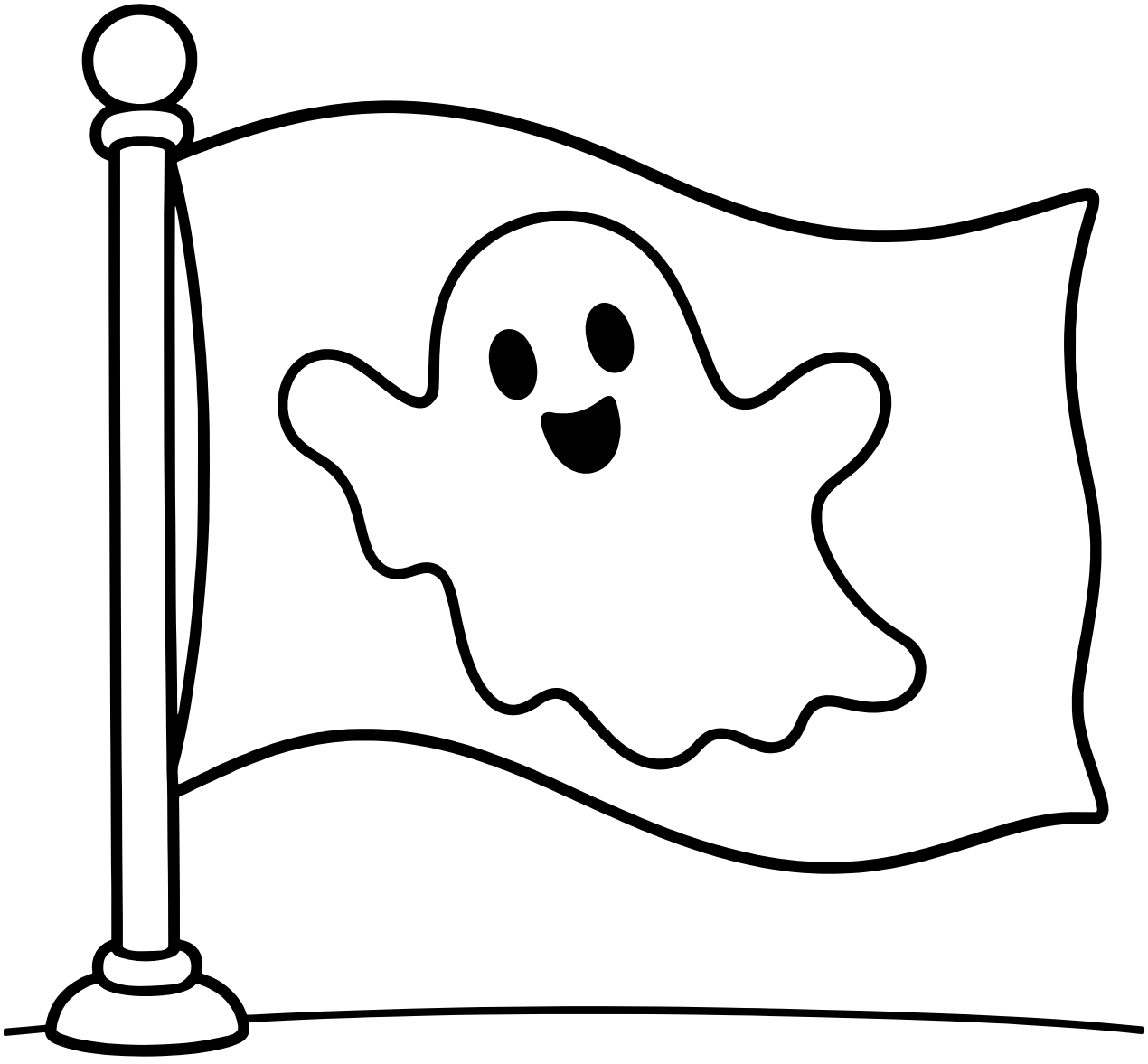


WHITE GHOST FLAG

Grown-up: show and name a white crayon. Leave the WHITE swatch and ghost shape uncolored. Color the flag border any color.

WHITE

GHOST FLAG



RED APPLE + ORANGE PUMPKIN

Grown-up: show red and orange crayons. Fill both swatches. Color the apple red and the pumpkin orange.

RED **ORANGE**

APPLE / PUMPKIN



BLUE CAN + PURPLE RIBBON

Grown-up: show blue and purple crayons. Fill both swatches. Color the watering can blue and its ribbon purple.

BLUE **PURPLE**

WATERING CAN / RIBBON



ONE COLOR FOR TWO PUMPKINS

Grown-up: let your child choose one crayon and say its color name. Fill the MY COLOR swatch. Color both pumpkins with that same color.

MY COLOR



TWO LANTERNS, TWO COLORS

Grown-up: help your child choose two crayons and name them. Fill one swatch with each color. Color the two lanterns different colors.

MY COLOR

MY COLOR



RED OR ORANGE?

Grown-up: show red and orange crayons. Fill both swatches. Choose which paper mask gets red and which gets orange.

RED **ORANGE**

CAT MASK / MOON MASK



YELLOW OR GREEN?

Grown-up: show yellow and green crayons. Fill both swatches. Let your child point to one color word, then color the wreath ribbon with that color.

YELLOW **GREEN**

RIBBON



BLUE OR PURPLE?

Grown-up: show blue and purple crayons. Fill both swatches. Color one hanging cape blue and the other purple. Choose which color goes where.

BLUE **PURPLE**

CAPES



BLACK AND WHITE

Grown-up: fill the BLACK swatch black. Leave the WHITE swatch uncolored. Color the bat black and leave the ghost white. Color the small ties any color.

BLACK **WHITE**

BAT / GHOST



MY LANTERN COLORS

Choose colors for the three lanterns. Fill one swatch for each lantern. Ask a grown-up to write the color word under each swatch.

MY COLOR 1 **MY COLOR 2** **MY COLOR 3**



A SURPRISE PUMPKIN

Grown-up: show an orange crayon and one different crayon. Fill both swatches. Color the mural pumpkin with the color that is not orange.

ORANGE **MY OTHER COLOR**



BROWN AND BLACK BROOM

Grown-up: show brown and black crayons. Fill both swatches. Color the broom handle brown and the brush black.

BROWN **BLACK**

HANDLE / BRUSH



PINK OR BLUE?

Grown-up: show pink and blue crayons. Fill both swatches. Choose one color for the treat bag and say the color name before you begin.

PINK **BLUE**

TREAT BAG



THREE-COLOR BANNER

Grown-up: show red, yellow, and blue crayons. Fill the three swatches. Use all three colors on the banner, one color in each big section.

RED **YELLOW** **BLUE**



THREE FRIENDS, THREE COLORS

Each friend chooses one crayon. Fill three swatches. Color one treat box for each friend, using three different colors.

MY COLOR 1

MY COLOR 2

MY COLOR 3

TREAT BOXES



ASK, THEN COLOR

Grown-up: show yellow and blue crayons. Fill those two swatches. Color one lantern yellow and one blue. Ask your coloring partner to choose the last lantern color.

YELLOW	BLUE	FRIEND'S COLOR



THE LEAF TRAIL

Grown-up: show red, orange, and brown crayons. Fill the swatches. Use all three colors on the leaf trail in any order.

RED	ORANGE	BROWN



NAME THE COLOR TAGS

Choose two crayons. Fill one swatch for each color. Ask a grown-up to write the color words. Color one big basket tag with each color.

MY COLOR 1

MY COLOR 2

BASKET TAGS



THE PATCH THAT HELPED

Choose one crayon for the new patch. Fill the MY COLOR swatch.
Color the patch and tell Tomi the color name.

MY COLOR

REPAIR PATCH



TWO GOOD CHOICES

Grown-up: show pink and green crayons. Fill both swatches. Color one big panel pink and the other green. Choose which side gets each color.

PINK **GREEN**

MURAL PANELS



NIGHT GARDEN COLORS

Fill the BLACK swatch black. Leave the WHITE swatch uncolored. Fill the YELLOW swatch yellow. Color the bat black, leave the moon white, and color the lantern yellow.

BLACK	WHITE	YELLOW

BAT / MOON / LANTERN



FOLLOW THE COLOR PATH

Choose four crayons with a grown-up. Fill the four swatches. Color each path stop. Say each color as you follow the chalk line.

MY COLOR 1

MY COLOR 2

MY COLOR 3

MY COLOR 4



SAVE A COLOR SPOT

Choose colors for two pennants. Leave the third pennant blank for someone else to choose. Ask a grown-up to write your two color words.

MY COLOR 1 **MY COLOR 2** **FRIEND'S COLOR**



FIVE COLOR REVIEW

Grown-up: show and name red, orange, yellow, green, and blue crayons. Fill the five swatches. Use all five colors on the big Halloween wreath.

RED

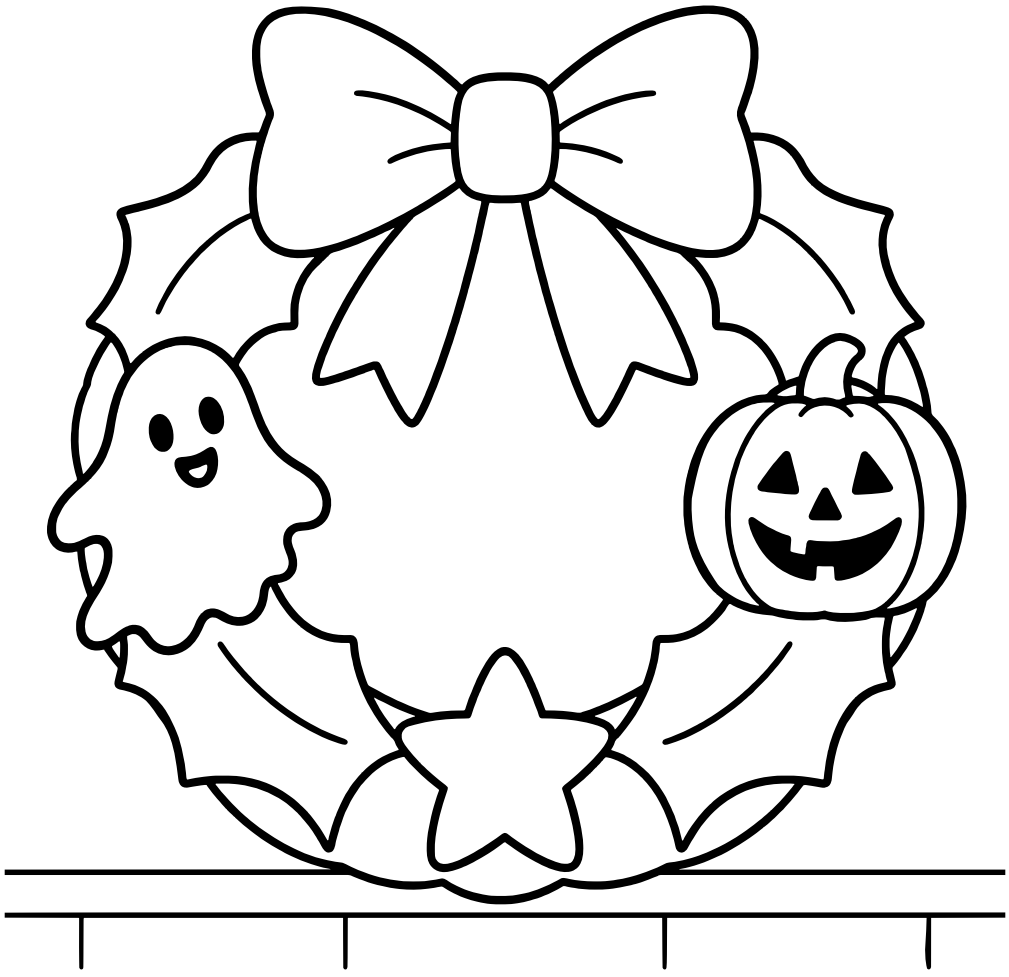
ORANGE

YELLOW

GREEN

BLUE

HALLOWEEN WREATH



FIVE MORE COLORS

Grown-up: show and name purple, pink, brown, black, and white. Fill the first four swatches. Leave the WHITE swatch uncolored. Use all five colors in the big window display; leave one pane white.

PURPLE

PINK

BROWN

BLACK

WHITE

HALLOWEEN WINDOW



CREATE A HALLOWEEN COLOR PICTURE

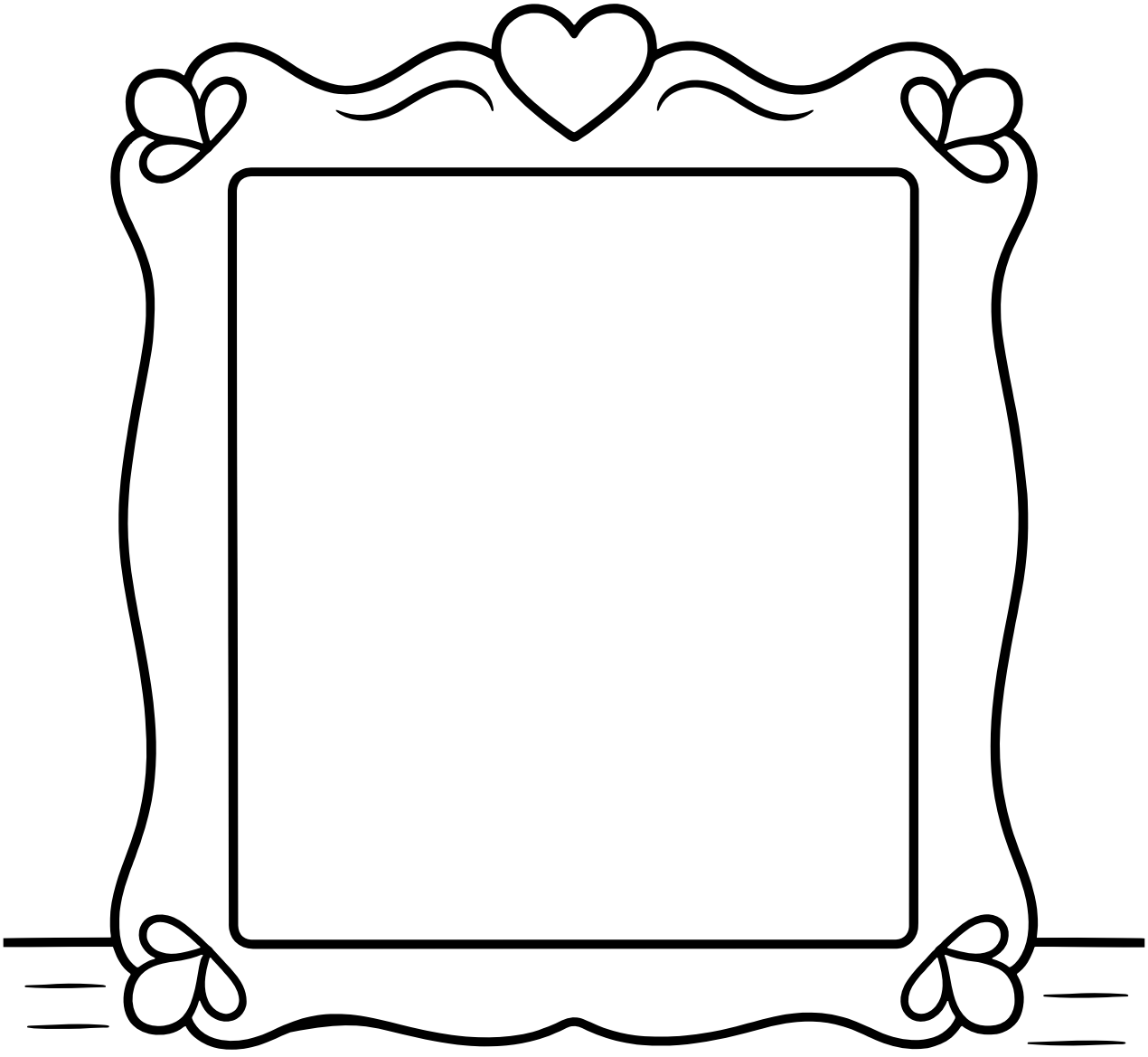
Draw one friendly Halloween object in the big frame. Choose its colors. Fill the three MY COLOR swatches and ask a grown-up to write the color words.

MY COLOR 1

MY COLOR 2

MY COLOR 3

MY PICTURE



SHARE YOUR COLOR STORY

Each Story Blazer chooses one color. Fill three swatches. Color the poster, then tell a grown-up:
“My color story has ____, ____, and ____.”

MY COLOR 1

MY COLOR 2

MY COLOR 3

STORY POSTER



Our Color Words

Show a crayon. Say its name. Let your child point, try a mark, or choose another color.

RED

ORANGE

YELLOW

GREEN

BLUE

PURPLE

PINK

BROWN

BLACK

WHITE

A Guide to Pages 1–24

Read the page direction together. Picture colors may be imaginative; named swatches practice the named crayon.

1. MY COLOR / MY COLOR
2. MY COLOR
3. RED
4. ORANGE
5. YELLOW
6. GREEN
7. BLUE
8. PURPLE
9. PINK
10. BROWN
11. BLACK
12. WHITE
13. RED
14. ORANGE
15. YELLOW
16. GREEN
17. BLUE
18. PURPLE
19. PINK
20. BROWN
21. BLACK
22. WHITE
23. RED / ORANGE
24. BLUE / PURPLE

A Guide to Pages 25–48

Read the page direction together. Picture colors may be imaginative; named swatches practice the named crayon.

25. MY COLOR
26. MY COLOR / MY COLOR
27. RED / ORANGE
28. YELLOW / GREEN
29. BLUE / PURPLE
30. BLACK / WHITE
31. MY COLOR 1 / MY COLOR 2 / MY COLOR 3
32. ORANGE / MY OTHER COLOR
33. BROWN / BLACK
34. PINK / BLUE
35. RED / YELLOW / BLUE
36. MY COLOR 1 / MY COLOR 2 / MY COLOR 3
37. YELLOW / BLUE / FRIEND'S COLOR
38. RED / ORANGE / BROWN
39. MY COLOR 1 / MY COLOR 2
40. MY COLOR
41. PINK / GREEN
42. BLACK / WHITE / YELLOW
43. MY COLOR 1 / MY COLOR 2 / MY COLOR 3 / MY COLOR 4
44. MY COLOR 1 / MY COLOR 2 / FRIEND'S COLOR
45. RED / ORANGE / YELLOW / GREEN / BLUE
46. PURPLE / PINK / BROWN / BLACK / WHITE
47. MY COLOR 1 / MY COLOR 2 / MY COLOR 3
48. MY COLOR 1 / MY COLOR 2 / MY COLOR 3

Tell Your Color Story

What color did you try today?

Which page would you like to show someone?

What would you color a different way next time?

Invite your grown-up to listen. You can point to a picture, name a color, make a mark, or tell a short story.

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