

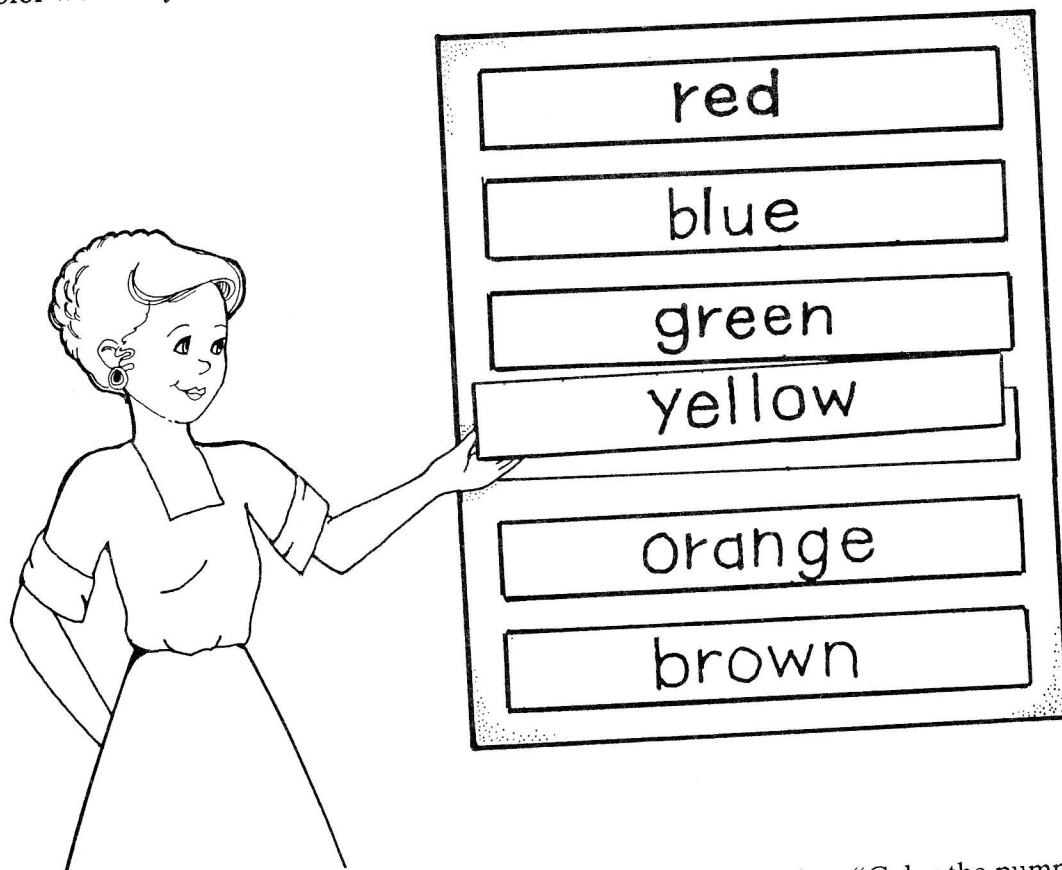
# Listening Skills

**Materials:** one jack-o-lantern paper for each student (page 23); pencil; crayons (red, orange, yellow, brown, blue, green)

**Directions:** The teacher reads the directions one time only. Students are asked to follow the directions.

1. Find the jack-o-lantern with triangle eyes. Color the triangle eyes red.
2. Which jack-o-lantern has a sad face? Color his mouth orange.
3. Find the angry jack-o-lantern. Color his nose brown.
4. Which jack-o-lantern has the longest stem? Color the stem green.
5. Color the mouth of the surprised jack-o-lantern blue.
6. Color the smallest jack-o-lantern orange.
7. Find the happiest jack-o-lantern and color him orange and yellow.
8. Which jack-o-lantern has big eyebrows? Color him three different colors.

**Variations:** Instead of saying the color words, spell them. Or, hold up cards with the color words written on them and let the children read the words. Or, write the color words on the chalkboard and point to the color word as you read the directions.



Add compass directions and have the children follow them as you read, i.e., "Color the pumpkin in the northeast corner yellow." Or, use right and left as you describe which jack-o-lantern you want the children to color, i.e., "Color the eyes of the jack-o-lantern in the lower left hand corner blue."