Sparky's Pumpkin
Template

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Directions

1 Transfer your design onto the pumpkin by copying it freehand onto your pump-kin with a water-based marker (so you can erase mistakes), or simply tape your template to the pumpkin, and score the design into the skin by poking holes through the paper with a nail or poking tool that comes in pumpkin-carving kits.

2 Use a carving saw and start with the inside shapes first, beginning with the smallest details. Gently push cut shapes out of the pumpkin with a finger or a dull pencil point.

3 Your Sparky-o-lantern is ready to go. Put a battery-operated candle inside your pumpkin and put it somewhere where everyone can see!