

Halloween Costumes Are Fun For All Ages

Halloween is not just a kids holiday anymore. Over the last 30-40 years, it has become more and more popular, with adults getting into the spirit as well as children. And of all the Halloween traditions, costumes are the biggest one for all ages.

Even though it is more fun for parents than their children, most people start dressing up for Halloween as babies.

Kids have a nearly endless supply of Halloween costumes to choose from. Despite that, it tends to be a character from a recent movie or a well known TV show that becomes the most popular costume of the year.

Cartoon characters, though, are not the only popular choices. Younger children love classic costumes like aliens, ghosts, pirates, and witches. Older kids will want to disturb their parents more with gory costumes that sport scars, fake wounds, and lots of blood.

There is also a great variety of Halloween costumes for adults. You can choose from classics or popular licensed character costumes.

Many Halloween costume parties follow some sort of theme that requires that all the guests wear similar or somehow matching costumes.

You could choose to dress as if you were from a certain decade by wearing a zoot suit from the 1940's or flappers straight out of the roaring 20's. More historic costumes from the medieval and renaissance periods are also popular.

While kids are usually satisfied with a costume bought in any store, adults are not. They tend to focus on the details of a costume, often arranging it all themselves.

Adult costume can get quite detailed - something that would be right at home on a movie set. Costume makeup and high quality masks and clothing are quite common.

Costume rental stores can help with putting all this together. A high quality costume can cost a considerable amount of money and renting it might make sense, especially if you want to have a different costume every year.

About the Author

It's not too early to start planning your [Halloween costumes](#) for this year. Don't wait until the good ones are all sold out. Get lots of fun costume ideas on the Get In Costume website, where you can also get a free copy of my report "The Family Guide To Halloween Safety." Visit <http://www.getincostume.com> for more information.

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