

Language Element:  
Imperative forms

## “Halloween Safety”

Materials poster making materials



### Vocabulary word list:

yohsutahtlut	scary night
ΛswatkΛseni	all look over
teonutakitslaleshuha	candy or sweets
yohsohkwatet	bright color
ΛyΛtsistahawe'	take a light
ΛsatΛnikulalΛ	watch out
nΛ tΛsahahiya:ke	when you cross the road

### Step 1

Introduce the topic by writing the word **yohsutahtlut** on the board and ask what they will be on Hallowe'en (grade 2 lesson). Talk about things they need to be careful about on Hallowe'en.

### Step 2

Bring out some Hallowe'en treats and say: **teyonutakitslale'shuha** (Candy or sweets)

Show a picture of the children going into the dark night and say: **yohsutahtlut** (Scary night)

Hand a flashlight to a student and say: **koh Λtsistahawe'** (Here, you will take a light.)

Show a brightly colored costume point to reflective parts and say: **yohsohkwater Λsatste** (You will wear bright colored clothing)

Show a picture of the child looking before crossing the street and say: **ΛsatΛ'nikulalΛ' nΛtΛsahahiya:ke** (Watch when you cross the street) Mime that you are looking both ways before crossing.

Show a picture of parents and children looking over the sweets before eating them and say: **ΛtwatkΛ'seni** (We will look over.)

### Step 3

Use the Smart Board to review the sentences and repeat together. Invite a student to come up and highlight the pronoun in the first sentence. Continue inviting students one at a time until all sentences have the pronouns highlighted. Use a different color and invite the students to highlight the verb in each sentence. Ask them what tense is being used. Ask them to come up and circle the letters that indicate that the future tense is being used.

### Step 4

Invite the students to make a Hallowe'en safety poster. They will draw a scene depicting one of the safety rules discussed and write the Oneida sentence on the poster. Post these prominently in the hallway.

yohsohkwatet

Asatnikulala  
na tsahahiya:ke



# YOHSAHTAHTLUT

yetsistahawe'



Aswatkaseni



teyonutakitslaleshuha