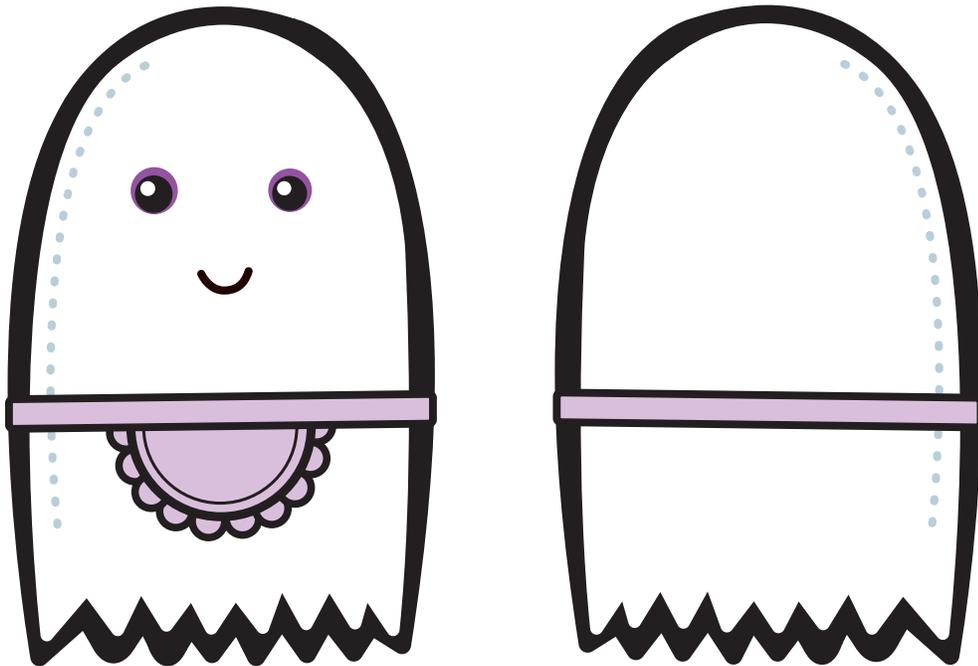
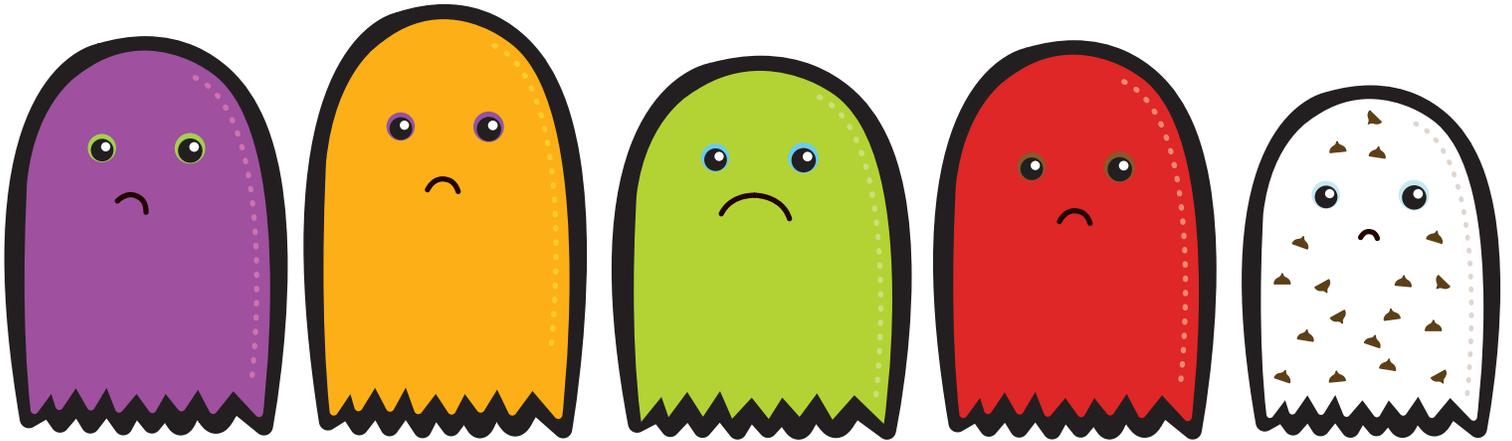
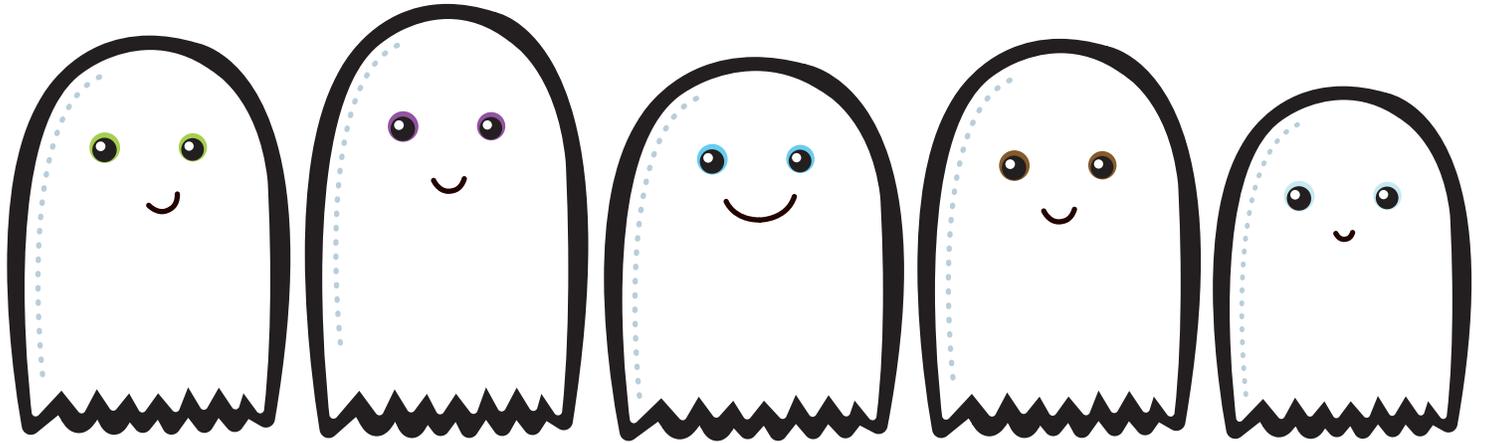


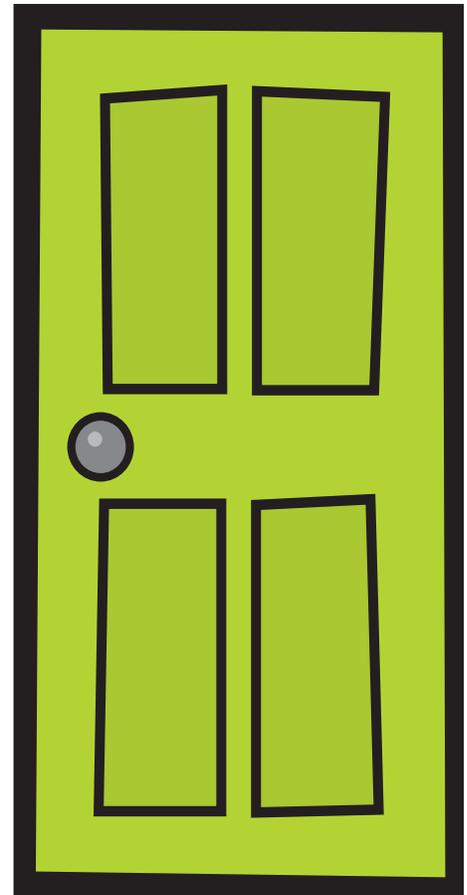
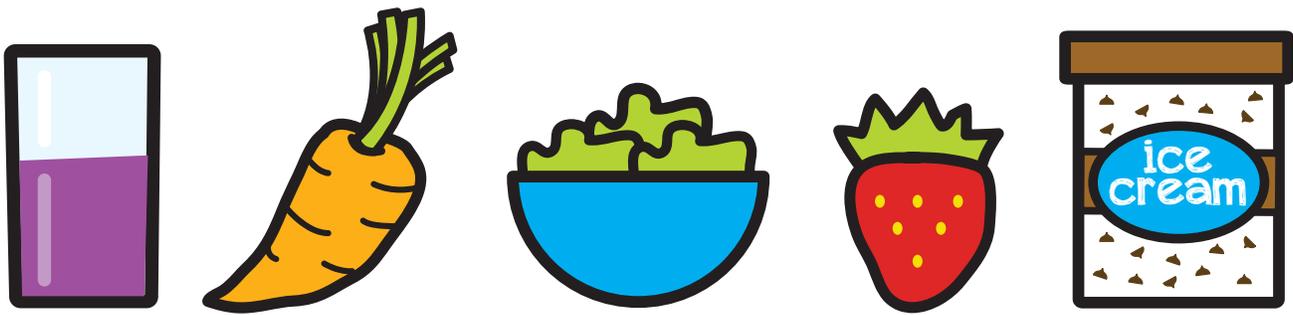
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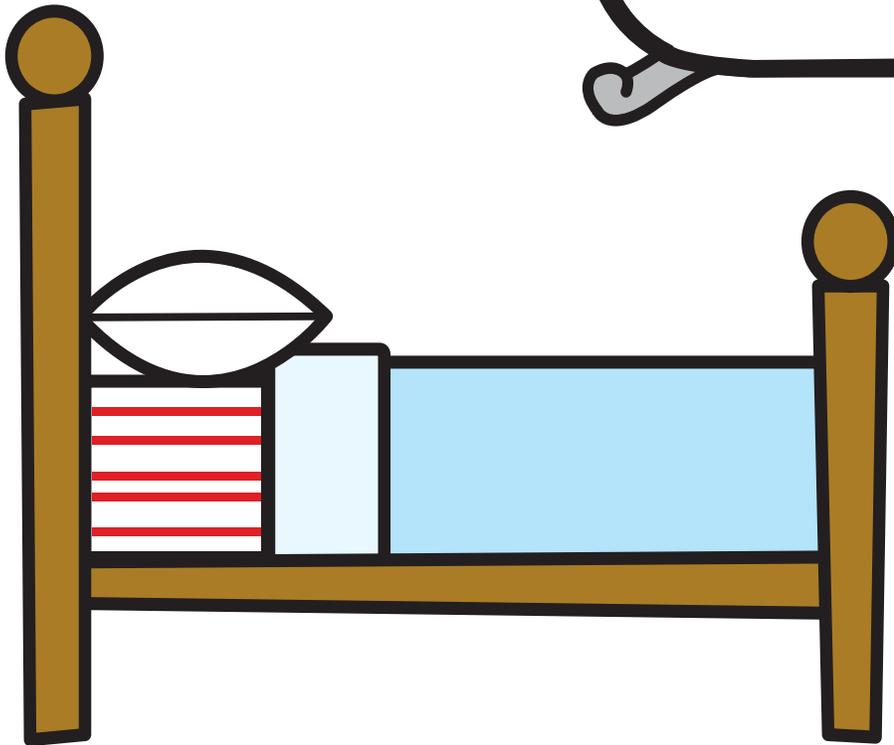
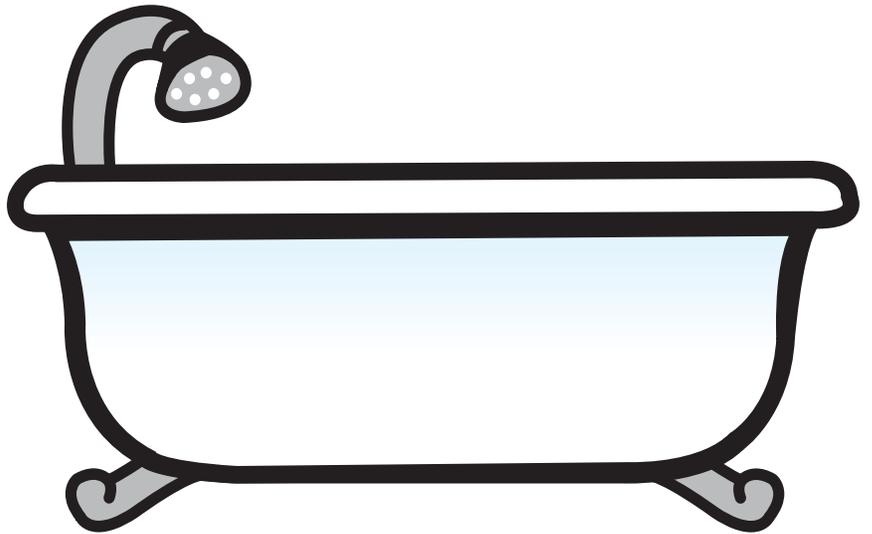


Cut out ghosts. Match up each ghost with their coordinating colorful ghost backings. glue together (place a popsicle stick between if you would like to make them puppets.)

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"Once upon a time, there lived 5 little ghosts. As everyone knows, ghosts are white and to stay white, the only thing they can eat is vanilla ice cream and the only thing that they can drink is milk. One day when Mama ghost went to the refrigerator, there was no vanilla ice cream and no milk. So she had to go to the grocery store and before she left she said, "No matter how hungry you get, do not eat anything or something dreadful will happen."

The first ghost became so very thirsty. He looked in the refrigerator and saw a little glass of grape juice and thought, "just one teeny sip wouldn't hurt." So he took a one teeny sip of grape juice and what do suppose happened? He turned purple! The other ghosts looked at him and said "Mommy told us that something dreadful would happen and she was right." The little ghost did not want his mommy to see him all purple so he ran upstairs and hide in the toy box.

The second ghost became so hungry that he just had to look in the refrigerator for something to eat. He saw a carrot and thought, "just one teeny bite wouldn't hurt." So he took a one teeny bite of the carrot and what do suppose happened? He turned orange! The other ghosts looked at him and said "Mommy told us that something dreadful would happen and she was right." The little ghost did not want his mommy to see him all orange so he ran upstairs and hide in the closet.

The third ghost became so hungry that he looked in the refrigerator and saw a bowl of spinach and thought, "just one teeny bite wouldn't hurt." So he took a one teeny bite of spinach and what do suppose happened? He turned green! The other ghosts looked at him and said "Mommy told us that something dreadful would happen and she was right." The little ghost did not want his mommy to see him all green so he ran upstairs and hide under the bed.

The fourth ghost became so hungry and he looked in the refrigerator and saw a bowl of strawberries and thought, "just one teeny bite wouldn't hurt." So he took a one teeny bite of a strawberry and what do suppose happened? He turned red! The other ghosts looked at him and said "Mommy told us that something dreadful would happen and she was right." The little ghost did not want his mommy to see him all red so he ran upstairs and behind the door.

The fifth ghost said, "I'm so hungry but I will not do what my brothers did. I'll look in the freezer and see if there is just maybe a little vanilla ice cream left." When he looked in the freezer there was some ice cream....and it was almost vanilla - it was chocolate chip ice cream. So the ghost said, "This shouldn't hurt me - those chocolate chips are so tiny." So he ate one spoonful and became a chocolate chip ghost! He certainly didn't want his mommy to see him all spotty so he ran upstairs and hid in the bathtub.

When Mommy ghost returned, she knew something was wrong when she didn't see her children, so she started looking for the little ghosts. She found the first one upstairs in the toy box, and an 2nd one in the closet, and the 3rd one under the bed, the 4th one behind the door and the 5th and last one in the bathtub. When she found all of them, she said, "Little ghosts, I told you that something dreadful would happen and it did." Whatever can we do to get you white again for Halloween?

Mommy Ghost called the ghost doctor and this is what he told her to do. Keep all the little ghosts in bed for five days and give them nothing but vanilla ice cream and milk to eat. If you do this, they should be ready and all white again for Halloween. So that is what she did and by Halloween night, the five little ghosts were all white again to go out haunting and spooking and shouting "BOO!" And they never again ate something they shouldn't. The End!

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