

Pumpkin Ring Toss with Supplies You Already Have

2-12 players | About 15 minutes | Ages 5+

PRINT & PREPARE

Print one set of target signs and one host score sheet. Attach signs to the three pumpkins. Print single-sided on US Letter at 100% (actual size). For A4, choose Fit. Cut only pages labeled cut-out cards; dotted borders are cutting guides. Adults handle cutting.

GATHER

Small pumpkins with sturdy stems, Plastic toss rings, Painter's tape.

SET UP

Set three pumpkins on a flat surface, spread far enough apart that rings can land around a single stem. Mark an easy throwing line roughly three feet away and a second line farther back.

HOW TO PLAY

1. Give the first player three rings and ask everyone else to stand behind the throwing line.
2. A ring around the nearest stem earns one point, the middle stem two, and the farthest three. A leaning ring does not score.
3. Record the total and retrieve rings only after the thrower has finished.
4. Play three rounds per person and add all round scores. Ties share the win or play one extra round from the same line.

ADAPT IT

Use large upright bottles wrapped in orange paper if your pumpkins have short stems. Test that the rings fit before guests arrive.

HOST NOTE

Use lightweight rings and stable pumpkins. A seated throwing position works well; adjust the line so the challenge feels fair.

Target signs

Cut out and place at the distances in the guide. Use removable tape on a suitable surface.

A large, horizontal, rounded rectangle with a thin black border. The number 1 is centered inside.

1

A large, horizontal, rounded rectangle with a thin black border. The number 2 is centered inside.

2

A large, horizontal, rounded rectangle with a thin black border. The number 3 is centered inside.

3

Score sheet

Print one copy for the host. Record points after each turn; follow the tie rule in the guide.

Player / team	Round 1	Round 2	Round 3	Total