



# TREAT TAKE OUT BOXES

## SUPPLIES & TOOLS

- Small Take Out Box Die Cut\* - Bright Green Cardstock
- 2 qty. - 1" x 3" Black Cardstock - hair, front & back
- 2 qty. - 1" x 2 1/2" Black Cardstock - hair, sides
- 2 qty. 2 1/2" x 1 3/4" Black Cardstock for Hair top
- 2 qty. 2" x 3" Black for hair top
- 2 qty. 1" x 2" White or Silver Cardstock for neck bolts
- 2 qty. 1/2" circles White or Silver Cardstock for neck bolts
- 2 qty. 3/4" White Circles for eyes
- 1/4" Double Stick Tape #30013284
- Black fine tip Sharpie Marker #91029
- Pencil for tracing
- Ruler
- Scissors
- Low temp Glue Gun & Glue sticks
- Craft Knife
- Scrap Cardstock

**NOTE:** The Small Take Out Box was made using an Accu Cut die at our HouseMart Ben Franklin Crafts stores. You can substitute a small square box and adjust the other cardstock pieces.

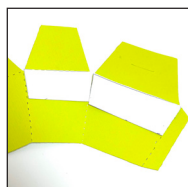


## INSTRUCTIONS



1. Cut out small take out box from bright light green cardstock.

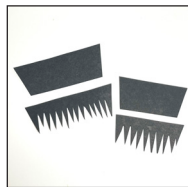
**NOTE:** The Accu Cut Small take out box die was used. It is available for use with cardstock purchase at HouseMart Ben Franklin Crafts stores. See store for details.



2. On the larger end of the box, fold in flaps and trace panel outline on scrap cardstock.

Measure 1" down from the top and mark straight across. Cut piece into a 1" tall strip.

Do the same and trace the smaller panel next to this one. These are your hair templates.



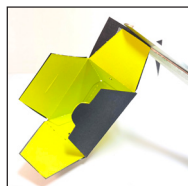
3. Use the hair templates and trace and cut two large and two small strips from black cardstock.

With the wider edges on the top, take the strips and cut a pointy zig zag edge on the bottom for the hair.



4. Fold and assemble the takeout box, taping the tabs in place.

Place the black cardstocks around the top edge of the box, matching the sides with the sizes. Tape the pieces in place for the hair.



5. Take the Black cardstocks for the hair top. Match up with each of the top flap closures. Tape to match the box flaps. Trim off excess by cutting along flap edges.

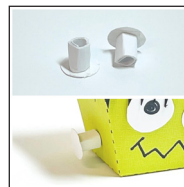
Use the craft knife to cut a slit in the black cardstock where the box has a slit. Close up box.



6. Punch out two 3/4" circles from white cardstock for the eyes. Place on the front of the box below the hair and glue in place. Use the black marker to draw in the pupils of the eyes.

Or, you can glue on moving eyes.

Use the marker to draw in a nose and mouth below the eyes.



7. Roll up the 1" high x 2" long white cardstock. Glue ends down, making a tube. Cut two pieces about 3/8" long. Cut out two 3/8" circles and glue to the ends to make the "neck bolts".

Glue one to either side of the head near the bottom.



8. Fill the box with treats.

**NOTE:** For more Halloween characters, see add-on project sheet "Frankie's Friends - More Halloween Take Out Box Character Ideas".



### Frankie's Friends - More Halloween Take Out Box Character Ideas

For all the following characters, the take out box is turned upside down, with the closure on the bottom.

#### Ghost or Jack O' Lantern

Cut take-out box cardstock in white for the ghost and/or orange for the Jack O' Lantern. Assemble take-out box and turn upside down.

Use scraps of black cardstock to cut eyes and mouth to glue on. You can also glue on moving eyes or draw the faces on with a black Sharpie marker.

Dress up with leaves and a bow on the Jack O' Lantern and a bow on the ghost.

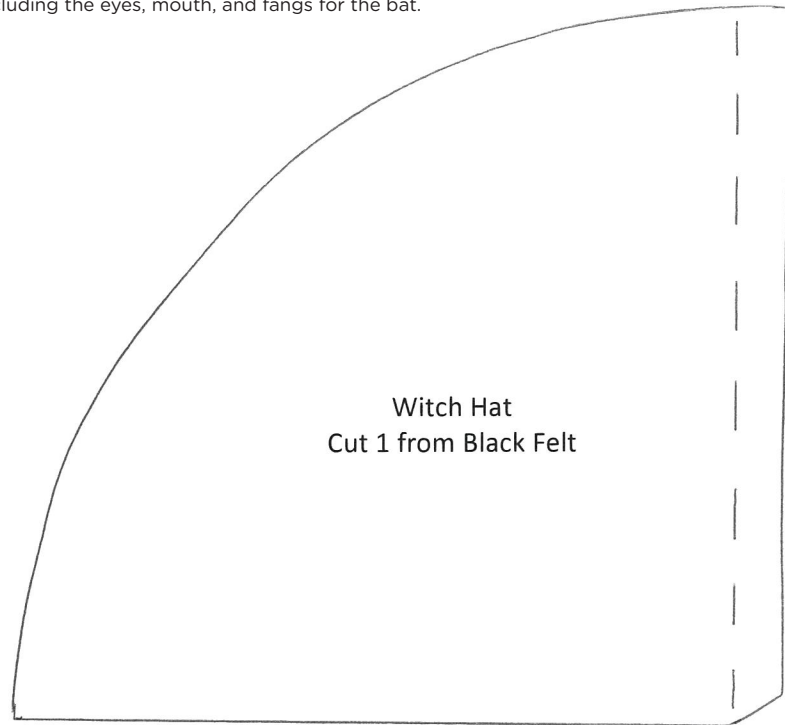
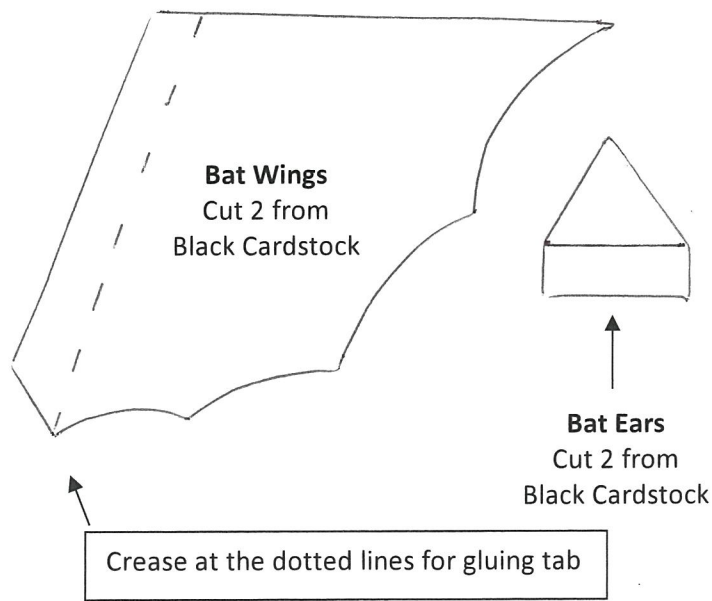


#### Bat

Cut out take-out box from black cardstock. Assemble take out box and turn upside down.

Trace and cut out two wings using the provided pattern. Fold in and crease the 1/4" straight edge as indicated on the pattern to form a tab for each wing. Glue a wing to each side of the box, gluing the tab to the box.

Cut out the two ears as indicated on the pattern. Glue the ears at the top of the box, slipping in between the layers of the box. Use scraps of card stock or paint markers to make the face including the eyes, mouth, and fangs for the bat.



#### Witch

Cut take-out box from bright green or light purple cardstock. Assemble take out box and turn upside down.

Use scraps of black cardstock to cut eyes, nose and mouth to glue on. You can also glue on moving eyes or beads and/or draw the face on with a black Sharpie marker.

You can cut the hair from cardstock the same way Frankie's hair was made. Or, you can bundle bright orange yarn and glue on top of the box.

To make a witch's hat- From black felt, cut a 3 1/2" circle for the brim and the curved triangle following the provided pattern. Roll the triangle into a cone shape, gluing the straight edges together. Glue cone onto the center of the felt circle. Pull along the edges of the hat's brim to stretch the felt into curves.

Glue hat to the top of the hair. Dress up the hat with a bow.