5 Little Pumpkins
Craft Tutorial &
Rhyme

Supplies:
• Hot glue gun or other, strong glue
• Scissors
• 2 large craft sticks or paint stirrers
• 5 mid-size craft sticks or tongue depressors
• 5 clothes pins
• Orange and black craft foam
• Jack-o-lantern pattern to trace

Instructions adapted from: http://kathygriffinteach.blogspot.com/2014/10/five-little-pumpkins-fall-activities.html

Cut out the provided jack-o-lantern pattern, and trace it 5 times on the orange craft foam.

Cut out 5 jack-o-lanterns.
Cut a small strip of the black craft foam, and make 10 eyes, 5 noses, and 5 mouths (they don’t have to be perfect).

Alternative: Draw faces onto the pumpkins using a permanent marker.

Use the hot glue gun to attach faces to the pumpkins.
Glue one jack-o-lantern to each clothespin.

To create the fence/gate, lay the two large craft sticks or paint stirrers parallel to one another.

Glue 5 “fence posts” across them, one for each pumpkin.
5 LITTLE PUMPKINS

5 little pumpkins sitting on a gate

The first one said, “Oh my, it’s getting late!”

The second one said, “There are witches* in the air!”

The third one said, “But we don’t care!”

The fourth one said, “Let’s run, run!”

The fifth one said, “Isn’t Halloween fun?!”

Woooo went the wind, and out went the lights, and 5 little pumpkins rolled out of sight!

* ”Bats” or “a chill” may be substituted for “witches.”

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