



Halloween Popcorn Snack

**8 cups popped corn
1/2 cup salted pumpkin seeds
1/2 cup dried raisins
1/2 cup crushed banana chips
1 1/2 cups sugar
1/2 cup corn syrup
1/4 cup water
1/4 cup butter
1 teaspoon vanilla**

In large buttered bowl, combine popcorn, pumpkin seeds, raisins and banana chips and set aside. In medium saucepan combine sugar, corn syrup and water; bring to a boil. Cook, covered 3 minutes. Uncover and cook, without stirring, until mixture reaches hard-ball stage (260 F), 4 - 5 minutes. Add butter and vanilla; cook, stirring 1 minute. Pour over popcorn mixture; stir with wooden spoon quickly to coat all pieces. Turn mixture out onto greased baking sheet and spread using buttered hands. Cool and break into pieces. Makes 10 cups.

