Spooky Ghoul Makeup with CBTV Live

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(upbeat rock music) - Hi, everybody, it's Frate, woo, Faith, from Creativebug. I got too excited. Coming at you live like we do every Tuesday and Thursday, and this is going to be a particularly wacky one. We're celebrating my favorite month, October, which is also the month of Halloween, and we're gonna be doing some spooky ghoul makeup. Now, I'm not very good with normal lady makeup, but I've really enjoyed practicing dead lady makeup. Recently I hope you saw our October promo, with, I don't know if I want to call her my best friend or my alter ego Joycee on Dead Netter, but I'll be replicating that makeup here with you today, so join me on this adventure of really inexpensive makeup techniques. What you'll mainly need is, I got this from the Spirit store. It's like $3.50, black and white grease paint. This is basically all you need, but there's a couple of extra things that will make this process easier and smoother. You'll need a base, so you can use primer, or I'm using this Eucerin. It's an ointment, and I'm just gonna slick it all over my face so that it's easier to wash off. Also, you'll need a dark shadow. And I told everyone in the office, check out these rainbow tube socks, they're my secret weapon, but I wouldn't tell them what it was for. But you're gonna pour baby powder in the tube sock and tie a knot, and we're using this to set our powder. This is a super secret technique I learned from a professional clown when I attended Clowning for Jesus camp as a young teen, and it really works, and you'll see shortly. You'll also need some tissues, and I'm gonna be showing you a liquid latex technique just because it's really fun to glue tissue to your face, but it's certainly not necessary, and I would not recommend it for children or if you have sensitive skin. I do not have sensitive skin. I have the skin of a rhinoceros, and probably also the stomach of one. I'm very hardy, I'm sure you can tell. Some hair clips, hair ties, baby wipes, and some makeup brushes. You can also use paintbrushes, but the last time I did it then I was watching Courtney use them for like beautiful dainty watercolor, and I felt really guilty that I'd used it for my ghoul face. So let's start putting my hair up. And we are live, so if you have questions, don't hesitate to ask. And you'll want to start with a clean face, of course. This is very intimate. You get to see how I look in my private time. Also, please tell me, ooh, lots of topics that I'd love to hear from you while I put my makeup on, such as, have you ever been to clown camp? If you were a Clown for Jesus, what would your clown name be? Mine was Sparkles. What are you going to be for Halloween? Do you love Halloween? Do you not love Halloween? If so, why? Maybe you're allergic to pumpkins. Okay, so thick layer of this thick stuff. Do you think that I should use public transportation on my way home with the makeup still on? That's always an option. Now we're going to use the grease paint, and I'm just gonna use my fingers. You can use a makeup sponge or a beauty blender if you want, but I find this to be very efficient. And we're just going to get this white on everywhere. Now, ooh, another topic. What are you feelings about clowns in general? Apparently the phobia of clowns is very common, and my hypothesis is because when you put on this really white face paint, your teeth automatically look super yellow, which can be a little scary. So that's why you use big red lips around it, I think, is to really separate between your terrifyingly decrepit-looking yellow teth, which are really just normal teeth, and your stark white face. If you're doing this for a costume, I'd suggest putting on your costume first, because you don't want to pull this over your head. And also, if you're really committing, you're gonna want to do your ears and your neck and any exposed skin as well. For the promo video, I did my hands, too, which, there are still remnants of all over my workspace.

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(laughs) So be careful. You're gonna want to go over your eyebrows, too, and we will be doing black in our eye sockets, so you don't need to go too close into your eye just yet. - [Ally] Okay, first comment comes from Jean Peterson. Jean says, "I was a Clown for Jesus. (Faith gasping) "My name was Faith. "My daughter was a clown, too. "Her name was Patience. "Faith bears Patience." - Holy smokes. So we just got the best comment I could have ever hoped for. Thank you so much for writing in. Jean says she was a Clown for Jesus, and her clown name was Faith, which I feel like a black hole is gonna open up and swallow me into it, and then I'll pop out on the other side as Sparkles, and Jean will be there with her. So who was Patience, the other clown? - [Ally] It was her daughter. - And her daughter was Patience. That's amazing. Thank you so much for sharing that. And here we come to a special technique I learned at clown camp, which is the baby powder. So you can see, I'm very greasy and shiny, which is, oh. - [Ally] To that note. - To that note, Ally says. - [Ally] Lisa says, "The cosmetic wedges "are $2 at any grocery store. "Question, could you apply this with a cosmetic wedge?" - Cosmetic wedges are super cheap. Yes, you can apply it with a cosmetic wedge. I like to be down and dirty with it, and I love using my fingers as tools, which doesn't work well in a fancy restaurant, but works just fine when you are applying ghoul or clown makeup. Now, we have about two tablespoons of, I have Baby Bedusting Powder, but you can use talcum powder, and you can also use setting powder if you have it. Don't use anything flesh-toned, though. So if it's your normal powder you use for makeup. That's going to make you look too alive. So we're gonna dab, oof, it's everywhere. (laughing) This is something I normally do in private, so forgive me my yelps. - [Ally] Next comment comes from Amy. (Faith laughing) I'll speak while you laugh. - Thank you. - [Ally] Amy says she hates that Halloween is in the middle of the week. They should make it the last Saturday of the month. - Amy says she hates that Halloween is in the middle of the week. Thinks for making it the last Saturday of the month. My question to you, Amy, is then how do your coworkers get to see your costumes if you don't go to work wearing your costume? But no, you're absolutely right. Halloween should be weekend-only. I can barely, I don't know if there's powder in my eyes or if I just put too much of it in the air. But as long as you all can still see me, that's just fine. Now we're going to get into it with our black grease paint, and we're going to do the inside of our lips, and our eyes, before moving onto some new details. - [Ally] For folks just joining us, can you tell us what your secret weapon is? - For folks just joining us, my secret open is talcum powder in a sock. And this is what I learned at a clown camp, which is truly one of the best summer camp experiences of my life. Except for when we learned prat falls, and we learned how to open a door into our face, but you put your foot out and then you hit the door with your hand, so it would bang against your foot, and you'd slap it with your hand, and it would look like you bonked yourself on the face. I'm sure you can guess what happened to me, which was that I did bonk myself on the face, which might explain things. So that was the one downside to clown camp. But other than that, it was marvelous. And you can see my white is kind of drifting into the black. And that's okay. The grimier, the better for zombie makeup. - [Ally] All right, next comment comes from Sue. Sue says, "You freaking rock. "Love this. "I'm a school bus driver, no masks, "so I'm always looking for makeup ideas." - Sue says she's a bus driver, and that she loves this idea because she can't wear masks when she drives. This is an amazing idea. I think that's the most terrifying costume imaginable, is to be a zombie bus driver. There's so many terrible things that could be, why, there's a lot of bus accidents in horror movies. I watched one recently, and I think that that would be really special if you did zombie makeup on your route. - [Ally] There is Nightmare on Elm Street. Freddy does a bus driver scene. - (gasps) Ally says Nightmare on Elm Street, Freddy does a bus driver scene. Oh, who's gonna go see Halloween this weekend? The new one is opening, and that's my only weekend plan, is

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to see the movie. Also to watch the old one, just because it's been a while. Okay, once you have... This is very greasy. - [Ally] Okay, more comments coming in. Lena says, "I do special effects makeup, "and I learned everything I know from film makeup artists. "These clown hacks are genius. "I'm amazed I've never seen the sock powder." - (gasps) We have a message from-- - [Ally] Lena. - Lena, who says she is a makeup artist and did not know about the sock powder. Well, that makes me believe that maybe it's a really low-budget version of a nicer hack (laughs) you could be doing. But thank you so much for writing in. And make sure you get really close to your eye. You don't want any flesh colors betraying that you actually are one of the living. - [Ally] And then Boo wants to know, "Can I post a pic of my daughter in the comments?" So I said, of course, obviously we want to see. - Boo is posting a picture of her daughter in the comments, and I cannot wait. Does anyone have a craft-related Halloween costume? Are people even doing costumes? - [Ally] Yes, so Melanie, who lives in Australia, says Halloween is not really celebrated so much. She doesn't really dress up, but her kids and hubby do, and she makes their costumes. This year her daughter wants to be a Klingon from Star Trek, and she's made her ridges, the Klingon ridges, (Faith gasping) by building up layers of liquid latex. - Someone is making a Klingon costume for their daughter, building up layers of liquid latex. That's absolutely brilliant. I was going to use liquid latex, and then I got overexcited and just slapped on the base coat, so we're gonna have to do it, I dunno, next time, or for a special bonus episode. I'm gonna use my big fluffy brush and my dark shadow to se this black around my eyes. The shadow doesn't exactly match, but we're just, we're setting it as much as possible so it doesn't smudge or smear. Also, if you're someone like me who touches their eyes a lot, you're definitely going to want to put this on. - [Ally] Flip said, "Literally sitting, "Googling ideas for costumes..." - There's ideas being Googled as we speak. - [Ally] Yes, because, the son needs to be dressed up for tomorrow, and, any ideas? - Zombie makeup's an easy one, because you can have on whatever costume you want, but then it's just zombie. So one time I had friends coming in from out of town, and we went to thrift shops and we got 80s party gowns, and we were prom zombies. I'm now gonna use my black crayon to draw on some spooky details, and to carve out like a skull face. So let's do some cheekbones, and you want them just underneath your real cheekbones, and then have the line going down basically parallel with the corner of your eye. - [Ally] Okay, first question came in. Melanie wants to know, "As someone who is allergic to latex, "is there an alternative?" - As someone who's allergic to latex, Melanie wants to know, is there an alternative? You can probably build... (laughs) It's really hard to have a serious face when looking like this. And I appreciate you all bearing with me. Wants to know if there's an alternative to latex. I would say the best alternative is just to not use it, because it's not essential. But maybe like cornstarch and Elmer's glue, or I know a lot of like drag queens will use glue stick to slick down their eyebrows, so that might be something that can be built up in layers. You probably want like glue stick with some thinly-crumbled tissue paper. Please give that a try and tell me how it works. I've switched from using this crayon to using a paintbrush, because I can be a little bit more specific with what I'm doing, and then this will all, I'll do the powder on top of it, because the powder gives us more shadows. That's why it's called eyeshadow. - [Ally] Sarah says, "You are rocking this video. "Love the laughter." - (laughs) Sarah says I'm rocking this video, love the laughter, which I know means why aren't you being more serious, lady? This is very important topic. Thank you for writing in. I do, I always appreciate the support. I never have long nights, because I know that my Creativebug family is always with me regardless of how ridiculous I look at any given moment in time. (laughs) So thank you so much for your kind words. It is kind of hard to do this with friends around, because it's so silly. - [Ally] All right, so Lena commented agan, and she said silicone is reusable, if you're able to remove your

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prosthetic carefully with baby powder. - Oh, okay. So silicone is removable if you're able... - [Ally] To remove it carefully, you can reuse it. - If you can remove it carefully, you can reuse it. So that is a great tip. Oh, I'm massacring this nice dark shadow. We're probably going to have to buff it off with a gentle sandpaper afterwards. That's a pro tip for if you borrow somebody else's eyeshadow and they're gonna want it back later, boss. Thanks for letting me use it. (laughing) Now we're gonna do some brow details. Let's see. What does everyone think of this incredible lighting behind me, by the way? Which I'm not responsible for, but I cam up to the studio, and went, ah! Because my dreams are always made true. My dreams always come true when I come up here, whether I know they're my dreams or not. So we're adding some forehead depth. Ooh, here's a good topic that I always love. What was your best costume? - [Ally] Well, Phil just commented that rigid collodion, I'm not pronouncing that right, but I've never seen that, is awesome for creating scars. If you use a red liner pencil as a base layer, it gives real depth. He says he used this when he went to a party as a blind knife-thrower. - Oh, my goodness gracious. Please read in the comments what Phil says about what he used when he was a blind knife-thrower, which sounds like a really, really good costume, and I wish I could have seen it, and if you have a picture, please post it below. My worst costume was, one year I went as the guy I was dating's ex-girlfriend, and he did not think it was funny. (Ally and crew laughing) I thought it was really funny. It wasn't, it was weird. I just happened to find a wig that looked a lot like her hair. (Ally and crew laughing) Maybe I shouldn't have said that. Erase the tapes. Also, the thing that would be most helpful for your spooky ghoulish makeup is low lighting and a strong selfie filter when you are finished and show people, because then it will look flawless. So I'm just adding more dark to the cheekbones. - [Ally] Macy said, her best costume was a Sith from Star Wars. - Macy says her best costume was a Sith from Star Wars. That sounds terrific. I really like the idea of that. I think also these lights are not helping with the setting of my grease paint. So when you try this at home, don't do it under full studio lights, is a tip I have for you. - [Ally] Kathleen said, she always dressed up as Raggedy Ann for Halloween, because she's a preschool teacher. Perhaps she should be a zombie Raggedy Ann. - (gasps) Kathleen says she always dresses up as Raggedy Ann. Maybe this year she should be a zombie Raggedy Ann. Yes, please, you must. I love the idea of this. That sounds really, really scary. You can do any character, and then just call it a zombie, and then you're good to go. Let's see, okay. I think I'm in the home stretch. Oh yeah. This is too fun. Ooh, okay, while I am in the home stretch, what's your favorite Halloween movie? That's like a real personality test question. Oh yeah, you can totally see. So this is the side of how it should be. This is the side that's like literally melting under the lights. But I'm gonna do some more of my secret rainbow trick, and set the powder. Oh yeah, see, and it like kind of buffs out the sharp lines, too. - [Ally] Sarah said her best costume ever was Pippi Longstocking. She had the monkey on her shoulder, and she took hangers to make her braids stick out straight. - Sarah said her best costume was Pippi Longstocking. I think that sounds absolutely adorable. Anything where you can get your hair involved is really fun. If you haven't seen the October promo, I know we're nearing the end of October, so it won't be so much of what to look forward to, but I definitely want you to check that out, because I had so much fun making it, and I forgot to tell one of my coworkers, Erica that I was doing it, and then had tapped on the glass, and she didn't know that I was in full ghoul makeup, and she screamed, and it was so much fun. Sorry, Erica. Thank you for screaming, though, even if you maybe were just pretending. I don't know. - [Ally] Everyone's favorite opinion, honestly, which makes me so happy, everyone's favorite Halloween movie is Hocus Pocus. - Everyone's favorite Halloween movie is Hocus Pocus. Yeah, Hocus Pocus is really good. I absolutely agree. I'm gonna call this a night on the ghoul makeup, and I think I have determined I will in fact, you know what, I'm

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not gonna wear it on the train, but maybe I'll wear it on the drive home. Thank you so much for joining us as usual, and we'll see you next week. (upbeat rock music)

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