Always October
Door Hangers!

Sometimes you feel like having company, and sometimes you just need to be a monster all on your own. This door hanger is perfect for telling your friends and family what kind of mood you’re in!

INSTRUCTIONS:
• Cut along the dotted lines below.
• Fold the cut-out in half along the solid line so that the sides of the door hanger match up.
• Glue or tape the folded sides together.
• Hang it on your door knob!

KEEP OUT!
I’m feeling MONSTROUS

COME IN!
I’m feeling HUMAN

Always October
By Bruce Coville

Safety Note: When making crafts, it is important to keep safety in mind. Children should always ask permission from an adult before using scissors.

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In *Always October* by Bruce Coville, Jake and Lily find a decoder that helps them unravel the mystery around Always October, a strange world populated with monsters. Your mission is to use the decoder to discover a hidden message!

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Cut out the disc and the small arrow.
- Fasten the arrow to the middle of the disc with a brass fastener. Then use the arrow to point to one of the four circular symbols on the disc ( ), based on the puzzle below.
- To solve the puzzle, start reading the coded message below from left to right. When a circle appears above a word, move the arrow to the matching circle on the disc.

**PUZZLE:**

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WE’VE ONLY GOT TWO WEEKS BEFORE
“WE’VE ONLY GOT TWO WEEKS BEFORE
____ ____ __ __ ____ __ __
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OFPJ MFX YT YZWS UZFA M YAZEFQD
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YHK MAX YBKLM MBFX
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Now it’s your turn! Can you encode a secret message to share with your friends?

The answer to the puzzle is the first line from *Always October*. What comes next?

Keep reading in *Always October* by Bruce Coville!
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