

Activity Eight

Using the Poster:

Pairs o the Boadie

Suggested Learning Intention

Children are learning:

- Ulster-Scots names for parts of the human anatomy.

Suggested Learning and Teaching Activities

The teacher points to his/her head and asks 'What is this called?'

See how many different colloquial terms for *head* the children can come up with. Suggestions may include:

- bonce, noggin, bap, dome etc.

The teacher introduces the Ulster-Scots term 'heid' and refers children to the **Pairs o the Boadie** resource poster.

- Discuss the different body parts listed. How many of these terms have the children heard of before?
- Translate the song 'Head, Shoulders, Knees and Toes' into Ulster-Scots. This can be done in groups. Then perform the song and carry out the actions.
- Play a game of Simon Says (or Baxter Blethers/ Gordon Guldres/Scottie Scraichs) touch your heid, show your oxters, close your een, open your mooth, hold your neb etc.
- In pairs, the children draw an outline of a child on a large sheet of paper, for example, wallpaper. Using sticky labels, they label the location of the parts of the body.

