

HUNNERS O SCUNNERS

A LOT OF HORRORS

Creating a horror character in Scots



Scots Hoose invites you to create your own Scunner.

Follow the three steps.

1. Choose a Scunner name
2. Draw your Scunner
3. Write a short backstory

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1. CHOOSE A SCUNNER NAME

Create a name for your Scots horror character. The name can be one or two or three words long. Remember to choose a name for your Scunner that will be easy for you to draw and will be good to write about.

Pick and mix from any of these words (or any other Scots words you know):

Wee

Muckle (big)

Frichtnin (frightening)

Twa-heidit (two-headed)

Greetin (crying)

Auld

Reid (red)

Three-leggit

Slaverin (drooling)

Mr/Mrs/Miss

Captain

Michty (mighty)

Boonce

Birl (spin)

Skelp (hit)

Rammy (riot)

Oxter (armpit)

Shadda (shadow)

Mooth

Heid

Ghaist

Tattiebogle (scarecrow)

Cloon

Deevil

Carline (witch)

Warlock (wizard)

Dug

Speeder (spider)

Partan (crab)

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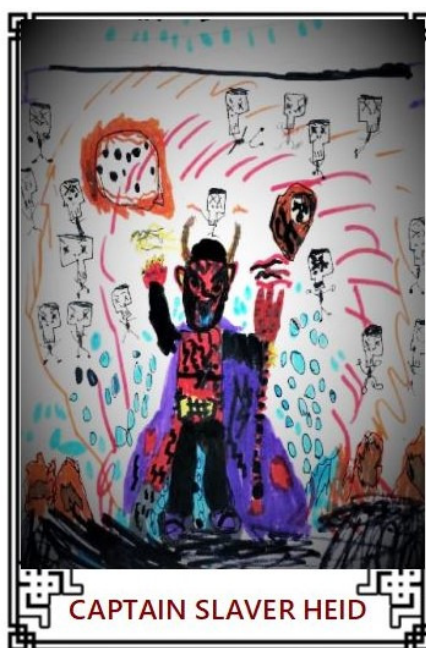
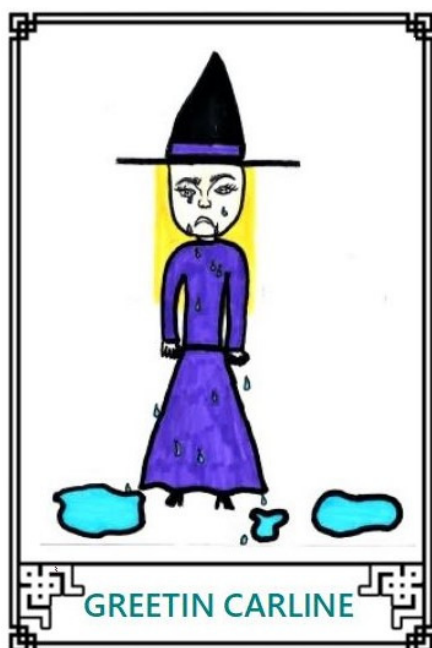
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2. DRAW YOUR SCUNNER

Once you have a scary terrifying name for your Scunner, it's time to show us what your character looks like.

Here to fleg and inspire you are GREETIN CARLINE and CAPTAIN SLAVER HEID and TWA-HEIDIT DEEVIL.

These brilliant Scunners were drawn by pupils at Hill of Beath Primary School in Fife and Braeview Academy in Dundee.



And for more inspiration, look out for amazing horrifying Scunners like CAPTAIN NICHTMARE, MR SLEEKIT and THE REID CARLINE and others created especially for Scots Hoose by professional comic artist Anna Morozova.

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3. WRITE A SHORT BACKSTORY

Write a 20 - 50 word backstory in Scots for your Scunner. A backstory tells us more about a character.

Who are they? What do they do that makes them a Scunner? And why do they do it?

Here is a description of Rammy below to show you what a backstory can look like.



Rammy is a scunner.

His name means Riot or Trouble.

Rammy's got hunners o honk bombs. He likes lettin them aff in the park.

When folk walkin their dugs and weans playin fitba smell the honk, they get aw crabbit and blame each other.

But Rammy doesnae care.

Aw Rammy cares aboot is startin rammies.

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