

Activity Sheet - Conduct an interview!

Materials required: A willing interviewee, pen & paper or recording equipment

Materials provided: None.

Method: Find an older Shetland person who went out fishing when they were young - or perhaps their father or grandfather went out fishing. Come up with useful questions to ask the older person and conduct an interview with them. Present your findings in an imaginative way - a filmed documentary, or an interview style newspaper article etc...

Remember to find out about:

- What they thought about the fishing?
- What was the work like?
- Do they remember people they went fishing with?
- What tools did they have?
- What boats did they use?
- What fish did they catch?
- How long were they out at sea for?

