

SCOTS SHELL NAMES

Lori collects seashells. In her collection, she has:

cockles



spoots (= razor clams)



wulks (= whelks or periwinkles)



and a **cowrie**

Here are some more Scots words for types of seashell:

buckie (= whelk, also a snail shell)



lempit (= limpet)

Did you know?

A word for someone who collects or studies shells is a **conchologist**.

1) The **Shellycoat**'s bonnie blue shell is shaped like a **mussel** shell – but it is *mair muckle*!

Here is an ordinary mussel. Can you draw the **Shellycoat**'s bonnie blue shell next to it?



2) If you were a **Shellycoat**, what kind of shells would you like to have on *your goon*?

Draw a picture of your **Shellycoat** with a **bonnie shell goon**.