

PEDAGOGICAL GUIDE

Escenarios
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English exercises for: What Another Halloween Night!

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Activity 2:

Put each word/expression from the vocabulary in Activity 1 in its corresponding column of the chart below:

<u>Noun</u>	<u>Verb</u>	<u>Adjective</u>
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(and put it in its correct tense in the case of a verb):**

- a) Little Johnny is hungry for revenge and therefore wants to continue with Old Florence's quest.
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Activity 4: Read the synopsis from the play and put the verbs into the present

tense:

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Roy and Michael _____ (not / to talk) to each other and barely (to _____ see) each other around Lexington neighbourhood. Roy is seeing Amy, and Michael _____ (to feel) envious of that.

The three adolescents will go through a new adventure that will prove to them that friendship is always more important than anything else.

Activity 5:

Listening comprehension:

1. Songs from the play:

- Read the lyrics and underline the words you don't understand.
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2. Scene from the play:

- Read the whole scene and underline the words you don't understand.
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- Read the whole scene with a partner.

Activity 6: Halloween Boardgame. Use a die, counters and bring sweets to class!



Activity 7:**Look for the following words on the grid:**

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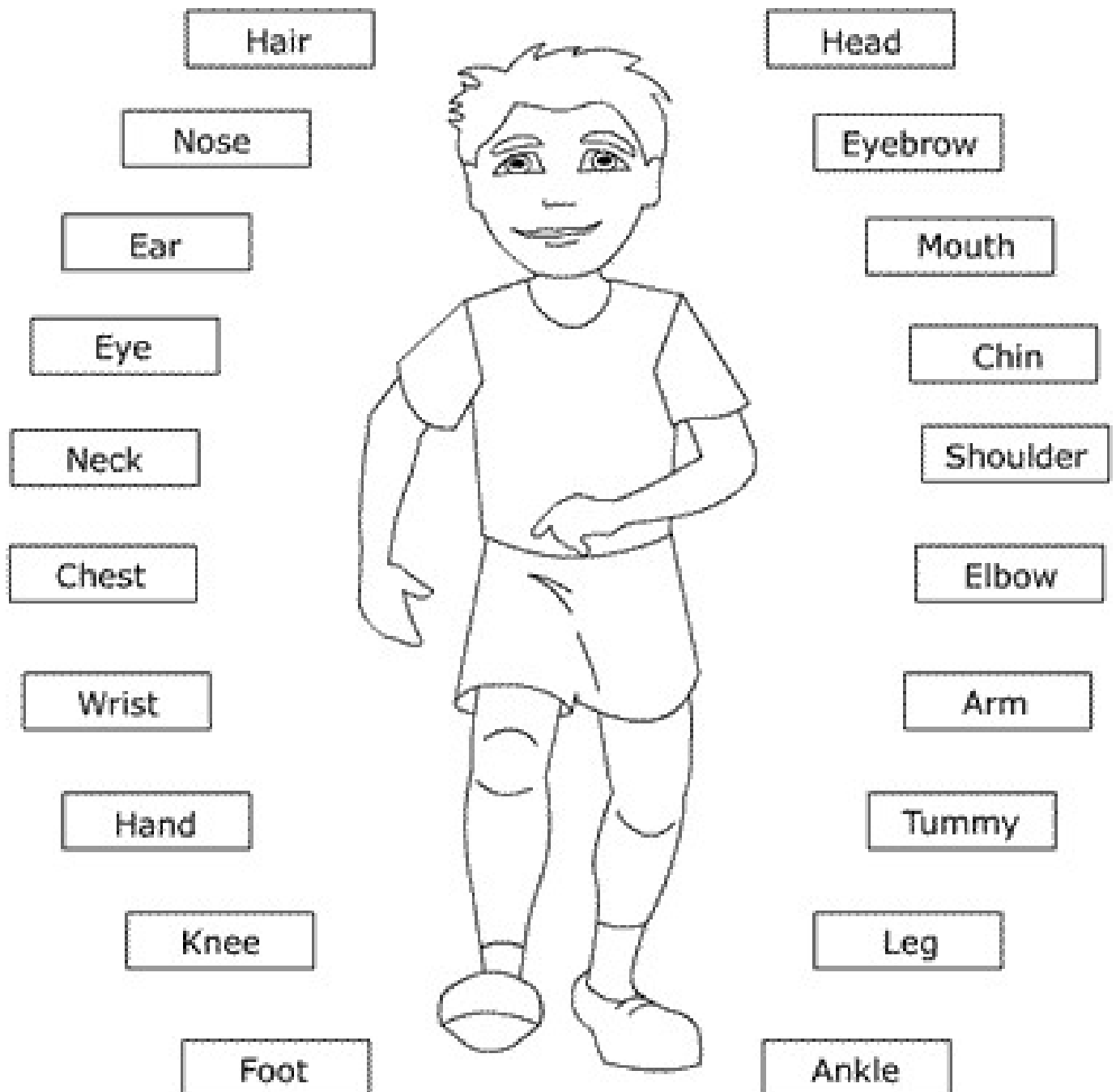
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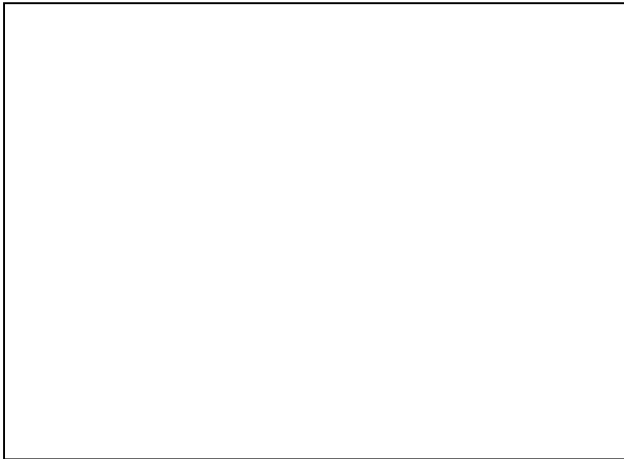
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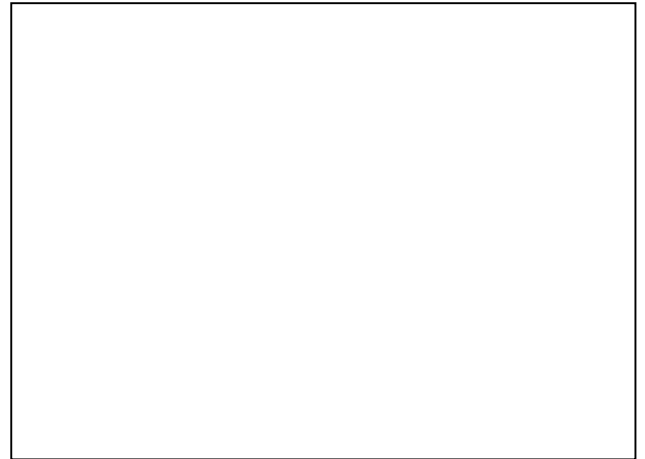
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Activity 2: Put the following sentences in order:

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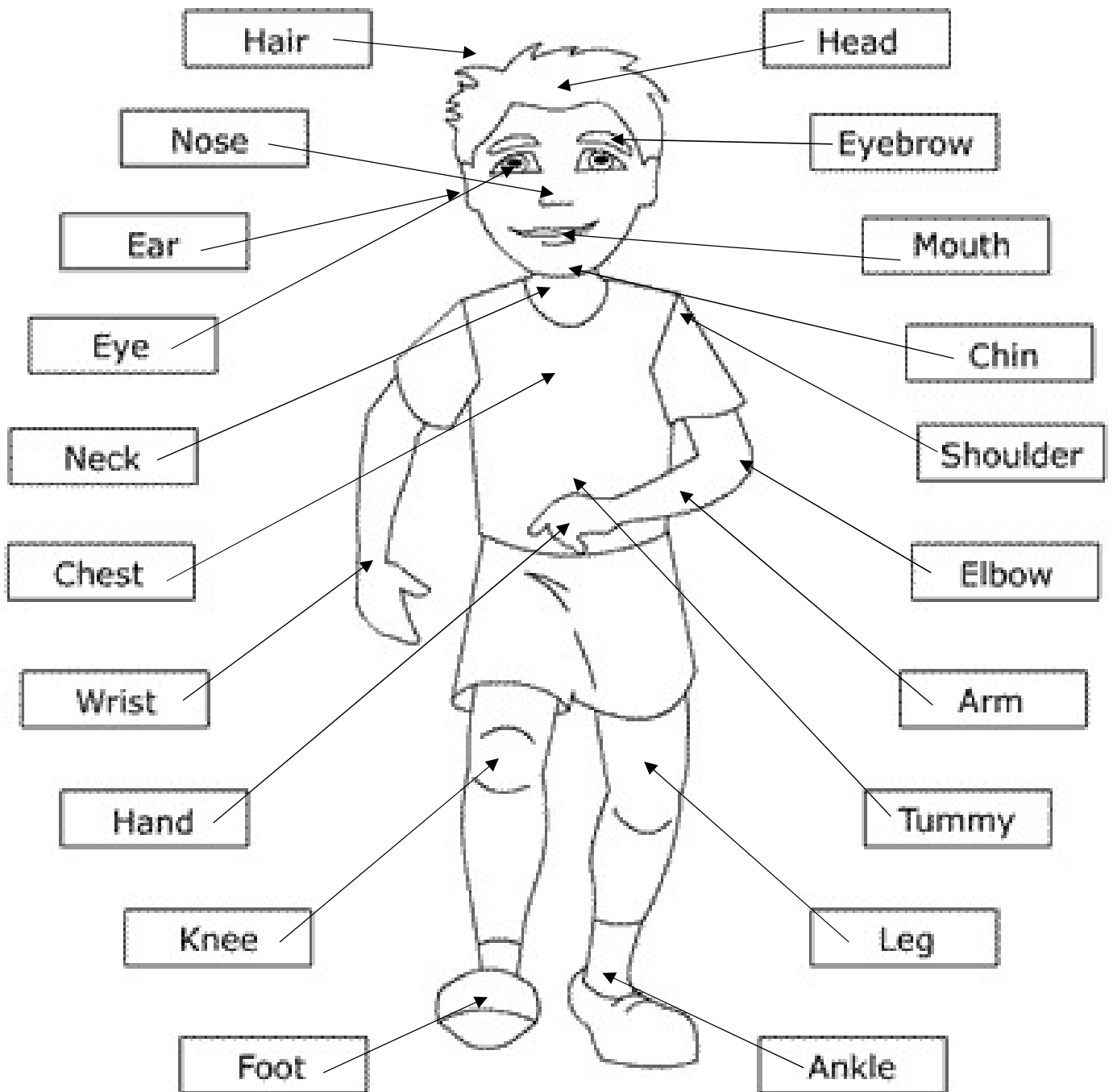
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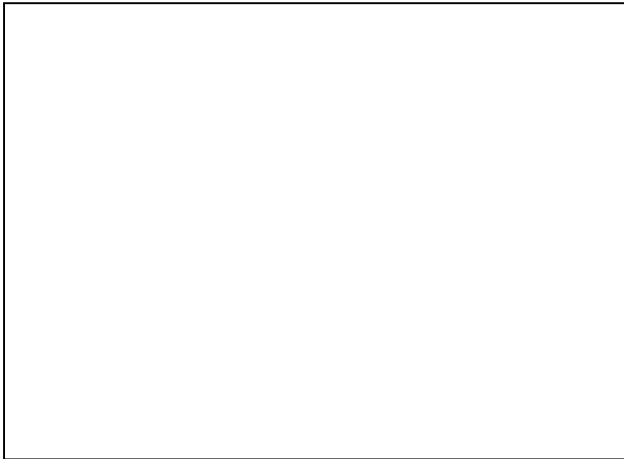
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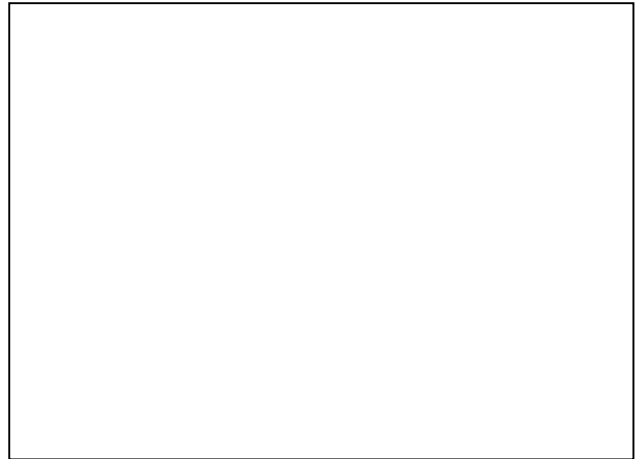
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