



CAMP CHALLENGE



Shropshire County



WE DISCOVER, WE GROW

Girlguiding



Beginner



Intermediate



Competent



Expert

Demonstrate how to knock in a peg correctly

Sing four camp songs (not necessarily on your own) or tell a story at campfire



Tie up your bedding roll properly and know how to look after your personal kit



Collect a good box/bag of punk and kindling

BEGINNER: DO 6 ACTIVITIES

Demonstrate the safe way of lighting a match and light a candle with it.

Know simple first aid for treating cuts, burns, stings and bruises.



Tie a clove hitch

Sit in the open for 30 mins as still as possible and make a note of every animal, bird, insect and plant that you see or hear.

Make a musical instrument and use it at campfire

Perform a stunt/skit or lead three songs with your patrol at campfire

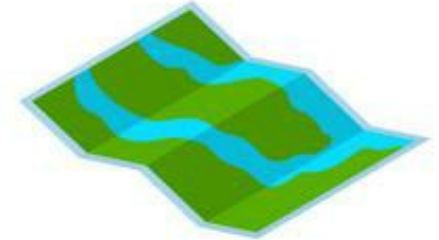
Use and explain four whistle and or hand signals

Draw a map of the campsite showing the important features

Light a fire with less than three matches - can you do it with just one?

Build a woodpile for a cookout or campfire

Tie a reef knot blindfolded or with your toes.



INTERMEDIATE: DO 8 ACTIVITIES

Take part in an adventurous activity/wide game

Lay or follow a simple trail using compass directions or woodcraft trails



Do scouts pace for 3km and deliver a simple message

Make a simple gadget for use at camp

Show how to set a map to north without a compass

Make up a song and sing it at campfire

Spend at least 6 nights under canvas at Guide camp and take part in the activities and duties

Organise pitching and striking a tent.

Know how to fold a flag, hoist it and take part in a flag/colours ceremony

Organise the pitching and strike of a toilet tent/screening



Pass a BP test: - improvise and deal with an emergency, cope with a change of plan or an unexpected situation or a difficult job

Run a campfire for 10-15 mins for your Unit

COMPETENT: DO 10 ACTIVITIES

Know how to take care of tents, bedding and toilets in rain, wind and sun.

Make a gadget using two of the following: - square lashing, tripod lashing, snake lashing, using a clove hitch to start and a reef knot to finish.

A) Organise cooking, serving and clearing away a Patrol cooked meal. (Gas or wood fire). Use two methods of cooking – frying, stewing, boiling, baking etc.

B) Talk through the safety precautions with a leader first.



Make up a new campfire game/stunt and run it/perform it

Keep a camp diary or weather chart

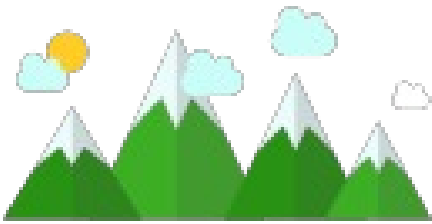
Carry out an emergency repair e.g. Replace a guy, improvise a peg, mend/patch a small tear/hole

Teach some new campers two new campfire songs and sing them at a campfire

Show that you can recycle or dispose of all waste at camp properly

Cook something without using utensils

Improvise a flagpole and fly a flag



Learn to tie three knots new to you.

Tie up a large number of logs or poles using a timber hitch or pole hitch

Cook a two-course meal on a wood fire. To include the following: - rice or potatoes or pasta, vegetables, fish, or meat or eggs or other protein, a cooked pudding and a hot drink.

Tie a knot on a guy line that will act as a runner or tie a knot to shorten a guy line that is too long



Make a shelter and sleep in it

EXPERT: DO 12 ACTIVITIES

Cook using some homemade cooking equipment, - haybox oven, a barbeque coal oven etc.

Make a list of what should be in a camp first aid kit



Know how to empty and clean toilets safely and hygienically

Know how to store groceries including bread, milk, water, meat, butter/spread, sweets etc



Make a grease pit for the camp.

Make a tripod washstand and one other gadget for use at camp

Make a rope ladder or a bridge from ropes and pioneering poles.

Plan a programme of events suitable for a Patrol at camp.