



The Scouts of the World Award Guidelines

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- Peace, security and disarmament;
- Development and the eradication of poverty;

- The protection of our common environment.

It is proposed to young people from 15 to 26 years old, Scouts (Senior-Scouts and Rover sections) or non-Scouts, willing to contribute to make the world a better place. It should help to improve the programme of the senior sections (over 15). This is why National Scout Organisations are invited to integrate the Scouts of the World Award within the programme of their Senior-Scout or Rover sections.

The Scouts of the World Award has been developed in the framework of the Strategic priorities 'Youth Involvement' and 'Adolescents' approved by the World Scout Conference in Thessaloniki 2002.

This Guidelines comprises a number of very simple and concrete sections covering the following topics:

1. Introduction

2. Scouts of the World in brief

3. How to implement the SW Award

4. Propose the SW Award to all young people

5. How to develop the SW Partnership

6. How to set up a SW Base

7. How to organise and evaluate a SW Voluntary Service

8. How to deliver the SW Award

9. How to develop the SW Network

10. The SW Discovery

11. SW Visual Guidelines