

Scout and Guide Entertainment Badges

Brownie Entertainer Badge



1. Choose and plan an entertainment doing three of the following.

- Recite a poem or tell a short story.
- Act, mime or use puppets to tell a story of an historical event.
- Perform a national dance or create your own dance to music.
- Sing with or without accompaniment.
- Play a piece on a musical instrument.
- Perform a short magic show.
- Act as compare for a show put on by other Brownies who are working for their Entertainer badge.

2. Do each of the following:

- Rehearse for your show. Plan make-up, costume and lighting.
- Make a programme for the event.

3. Entertain an audience and clear up afterwards

Guide Performing Arts Badge



1. Do four of the following:

- Make someone up using stage make-up or face paints.
- Design and make a costume, suitable for a play or pantomime, using recycled materials.
- Make a prop suitable for a play or pantomime.
- Prepare a poster or programme for a performance.
- Make a tape of at least 12 sound effects and use it to hold a quiz with your Patrol.
- Paint a back cloth or some scenery for a play or pantomime.
- Make a puppet and use it to put on a performance for others.
- Help to organise and run a storytelling session. This could be for Rainbows or Brownies, or a local library or nursery.
- Make up or learn a dance and teach it to your Patrol.
- Learn to juggle successfully with at least three objects.
- Write a short drama or play.
- Make up and run a game for your Patrol or unit which uses mime.

2. Take part in a performance as a member of the cast or of the back stage crew.

3. Go and watch a performance and tell an interested adult or your Patrol about it.

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Cub Scout Activity Badge: Entertainer



The Cub Scout must carry out at least two of the following - either with a group of other Cub Scouts or alone.

- Help to make up a mime or play and perform it.
- Perform a puppet play or shadowgraph using puppets, which they have made.
- Help to plan and make an entertainment recorded on video or audiotape.
- Sing two songs.
- Perform some folk or traditional dances.
- Make a selection of simple rhythm instruments and use them as accompaniments.
- Take part in a gymnastic display.
- Make up and perform a dance to a piece of music of their own choice.
- Help plan and perform a series of magic tricks.
- Take part in a gang show, concert or band performance.

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A Scout must complete all the requirements as a member of a group in one of the following alternatives.

Alternative A

Write and plan an original entertainment with a group. This could take the form of a sketch, film or slide and tape presentation, camp fire or stage routine involving some of the following: mime, drama, music, storytelling, conjuring, photography, sound recording.

Prepare the entertainment, ensuring that everyone has a job to do, for example, actor, producer, stage manager, publicity manager.

Present the entertainment to an audience such as a school, Pack or Troop Parents'/Carers' Evening.

Alternative B

Take an active part in a Scout Show or other production. This should require a commitment to regular rehearsals.

An adult with some expertise in stage entertainment may be consulted to help with the choice of projects and preparation of alternatives.

Explorer Scout Activity Badges: Performing Arts



Complete the requirements below:

1. Demonstrate involvement and improvement in a chosen creative activity. A total of at least 25 hours work is required. Evidence of improvement should be produced in suitable form. Examples of possible activities are:
 - Dance.
 - Taking part in a Show.
 - Being a member of a band.
2. Perform or exhibit the activity to an audience.