

Scottish Scout Thistle Award

Complete all 12 tasks within each section

SCOUTS

At home edition!

Outdoor & Adventure

- 1. Take part in 3 virtual Nights Away experiences. You can camp in your garden or indoors as long as it's not in your bed!
- 2. Record a radio advert for one of the three Scottish Scouts Adventure Centres (Lochgoilhead, Meggernie or Fordell Firs).
- 3. Plan a Scottish themed camp including Scottish activities and a menu using Scottish produce where possible. Think about the venue for your camp and how you will get there.
- 4. Plan a route, using public transport, from the Northern most settlement in Scotland, Unst (Shetland) to the Southernmost settlement, Cairngaun (Wigtownshire). Plan appropriate stops using campsites (where possible) along the way.

Skills

- 1. Under camp conditions (whatever this means to you while staying safe) plan, prepare and cook a full traditional Burns supper.
- 2. Find out about the history of Scottish clans and tartans; try creating your own tartan.
- 3. Investigate Robert Burns and his life; recite one of his works.
- 4. Investigate Charles Rennie Macintosh and his work; create a similar piece of his art.

World

- 1. Make international contact with other Scouts from around the world (make sure you stay safe online).
- 2. Investigate International Scouting opportunities that will be available for Scouts and Explorers in 2021. Make a presentation to share these with other Scouts.
- 3. Create and film an original sketch, piece of music or song inspired by Scotland. Share your performance with others.
- 4. Find out about a well-known Scottish myth or legend and retell the story in a comic strip

Top tips! If you haven't finished your challenges, you can carry on and complete them in your first term as an Explorer Scout. Please note that any of these badge requirements can be done in conjunction with the UK badge programme.

If you need any support and guidance on the requirements, get in touch with us at hello@scouts.scot

Signed

