

Module 07

Valuing Diversity

Relevant to:
All Appointments

Description

Ensuring that Scouting is available to all and that diversity is valued.

This means:

- identifying The Scout Association's policies that promote diversity
- considering how you in your role can help to make Scouting available to all
- promoting The Scout Association's policies on Co-education, Equal Opportunities and Special Needs
- valuing cultural, social and religious diversity.

Questions

- Do you know The Scout Association's policies on Co-education, Equal Opportunities and Special Needs?
- Do you know the cultural, social and religious diversity in your local community?
- How can you ensure that Scouting is available to all young people?

Delivery methods

- Course
- Small group
- One to one

To validate this module you will need to complete one of the following:

- 1 Show evidence of how you are making Scouting more accessible to one or more of the following groups:
 - a girls and young women
 - b those with Special Needs
 - c those from ethnic minorities
 - d those of differing religious backgrounds
 - e those of differing social backgrounds.
- 2 Incorporate aspects of the Equal Opportunities Policy into an educational activity in your Section programme.
- 3 As part of a recruitment exercise pass on the key aspects of the Equal Opportunities Policy to a new Member of The Scout Association.
- 4 Produce a plan to increase diversity in the area for which you are responsible.
- 5 Increase awareness of Special Needs by running an activity for either young people or adults.
- 6 Any other idea, subject to agreement with a Training Adviser.

And:

Outline the Equal Opportunities Policy and how it applies to your Section or role.
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This module forms part of the OCN unit *The Values of Scouting*.