

# **Rover & Ranger Unit**

## Code of Conduct, Discipline & Patrol Systen



#### 1. Uniform and Turnout

- Full Rover/Ranger uniform is mandatory during all activities, parades, and events.
- Shoes must be polished, scarves properly tied, and badges correctly placed.
- During sessions/classes without full uniform, always wear your scarf.
- Patrol leaders may conduct uniform inspections to ensure compliance.

## 2. Punctuality

- "On time" means 10 minutes before reporting time.
- Latecomers without valid reasons will be marked absent.
- Repeat latecomers may face suspension from upcoming activities or events.
- Patrol leaders are responsible for ensuring their patrol arrives on time.

## 3. Obedience and Respect (Most Important)

- Orders from Unit Leader, Rover Mate/Ranger Mate, and Group Leader must be obeyed immediately and respectfully.
- No arguments, disrespect, or backtalk will be tolerated.
- Greet seniors and instructors politely: "Good Morning etc."
- Patrol members must support each other and maintain mutual respect.

## 4. Training Discipline

- Silence and focus are mandatory during drills, parades, and instructions.
- No mobile phones, casual talking, or laughing during training.
- Fall-in and fall-out must be done in proper formation and order.
- Patrols are expected to practice drills together, reinforcing teamwork.

## 5. Attendance and Participation

- Minimum 75% attendance required for certificates, events, and camps.
- Absence without permission is a disciplinary violation.
- Participation in college and public service activities is mandatory, unless medically exempted.
- Patrol leaders must report patrol attendance to the Unit Leader daily.

#### 6. Team Spirit & Patrol Cooperation

- Every Rover/Ranger must support and motivate fellow patrol members.
- Gossiping, complaints, or public criticism of members is prohibited.
- Remember: "One Unit, One Team, One Spirit."
- Patrols are encouraged to solve small issues internally before escalating.
- Patrol leaders act as mentors and mediators for their team.

## 7. Cleanliness and Responsibility

- Maintain clean uniforms, surroundings, and camp areas.
- Leave every place better than you found it.
- Each member must take care of their own equipment and patrol/unit materials.
- Patrols are responsible for keeping their area or patrol zone organized.

#### 8. Behavior and Conduct

- Members represent Bharat Scouts & Guides and the college, so dignity is mandatory on and off campus.
- No alcohol, tobacco, or abusive language.
- Maintain discipline even on social media posts related to the unit.

## 9. Leadership and Initiative

- Be ready to lead when required, both individually and within patrols.
- Take initiative in planning, volunteering, and problem-solving.
- Patrol leaders are responsible for guiding new members, delegating tasks, and reporting progress.

#### 10. Patrol System Roles

- Each patrol will have:
- Patrol Leader: Leads, motivates, and reports to Unit Leader.
- Assistant Patrol Leader: Supports leader, steps in when leader is absent.
- Patrol Members: Participate actively, maintain discipline, and help peers.
- Patrols must work as a cohesive unit, fostering teamwork, cooperation, and healthy competition.
- Patrol competitions, badges, and rewards will encourage active engagement and leadership.

#### 11. Punishment and Rewards

Violations:

1st time: Verbal Warning

2<sup>nd</sup> time: Written Warning or Suspension from Event

3<sup>rd</sup> time: Removal from Unit Activities

Patrols demonstrating exemplary teamwork, discipline, and leadership will receive recognition and rewards.

#### 12. Additional Rules

- Communication: Inform leaders in advance if absent; check official group for updates.
- Photography/Social Media: Only post approved photos/videos reflecting discipline and spirit.
- Camps/Outdoor: Follow all camp rules, maintain zero-waste, respect property.
- Learning & Growth: Each member should aim to earn at least one new badge or skill each term.