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## The Bharat Scouts and Guides

### Upholding the Ideals of Discipline, Loyalty, Service, and Integrity

The **Bharat Scouts and Guides (BSG)** is a **voluntary, non-political, and educational movement** dedicated to the **holistic development of young people**, nurturing them to become **responsible citizens** and **true servants of the community**.

As proud members of this **global fraternity** 🌐, it is our collective duty to **preserve the dignity, values, and traditions** of our Movement. Every **Scout, Guide, Rover, and Ranger** is expected to live by the **Promise** 🤝 and **Law** ⚖️, which form the foundation of our **character and service**.

## Fundamentals of The Bharat Scouts and Guides

### (a) Definition 📖

The Bharat Scouts and Guides is a **voluntary, non-political, educational movement** for young people, **open to all without distinction** of origin, race, or creed, in accordance with the purpose, principles, and methods laid down by our Founder, **Lord Baden-Powell (1907)**.

### (b) Purpose 🎯

The purpose of the Movement is to contribute to the **holistic development** of young people — helping them achieve their **physical** 🏃, **intellectual** 🧠, **emotional** ❤️, **social** 🤝, and **spiritual** 🌱 **potential** as individuals, responsible citizens, and members of local, national, and international communities.




### (c) Principles ⚙️

The Scout/Guide Movement is based on three core duties:










- 🙏 **Duty to God**
- 🤝 **Duty to Others**
- 💪 **Duty to Self**

## The Scout/Guide Promise

*On my honour, I promise that I will do my best —*





-  *to do my duty to God and my country,*
  -  *to help other people,*
  -  *and to obey the Scout/Guide Law.*
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## The Scout/Guide Law


1.  A Scout/Guide is trustworthy.
  2.  A Scout/Guide is loyal.
  3.  A Scout/Guide is a friend to all and a brother/sister to every other Scout/Guide.
  4.  A Scout/Guide is courteous.
  5.  A Scout/Guide is a friend to animals and loves nature.
  6.  A Scout/Guide is disciplined and helps protect public property.
  7.  A Scout/Guide is courageous.
  8.  A Scout/Guide is thrifty.
  9.  A Scout/Guide is pure in thought, word, and deed.
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## Directive to Adult Leaders and Institutional Heads / Group Leaders

To maintain the **integrity and discipline** of the Movement, the following directives must be **strictly observed**:

-  **Uniform Issuance:** No Scout, Guide, Rover, or Ranger uniform shall be issued to any individual who has not **completed training, made the Promise**, and been **formally enrolled**.
-  **Record Maintenance:** Keep **detailed records** of all enrolled members, their training progress, and enrolment status.
-  **Proper Use of Uniform:** The uniform must be worn only during **authorised Scouting/Guiding activities**. It represents **dignity, discipline, and service**, and must **never be misused**.
-  **Counselling and Conduct:** Leaders must **counsel members regularly** on the **correct use of the uniform** and the **standards of conduct** expected **in and out of uniform**.

The **Scout/Guide uniform**  is earned through **commitment and service**  — it is **not simply purchased or given**.

Let us uphold the **honour of the Movement**  by ensuring that those who wear it **truly embody our ideals**.

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