

# Golden Hind ESU Code of Conduct

As an Explorer Scout, I understand and will uphold the Scout Promise, Scout Law and Scout Values, and agree to follow the GHESU Code of Conduct.

1. I will always show respect and be polite to fellow explorers, younger members, instructors and the volunteers who give their time. I will make sure my behaviour is appropriate and that it does not cause offence to others.
2. I will not use bad, rude or offensive language.
3. I will be kind and tolerant of other people at all times. I understand that bullying or intimidating behaviour towards fellow Explorers, young members or volunteers will not be tolerated. If I notice bullying of any kind, I will tell a volunteer.
4. If I connect with fellow explorers on social media or messaging platforms, I agree to follow this code of conduct.
5. I will join in, participate and actively engage with activities and meetings.
6. I will be a good role model to younger members, by modelling good behaviour.
7. I will attend unit meetings on a regular basis. If I cannot attend I understand it is polite and helpful to inform volunteers with as much notice as possible.
8. I agree to put my phone away in unit meetings, camp or activity, unless specific permission has been given.
9. I will be safe at all times, by listening and following instructions.
10. I will take care of my uniform and scarf, and wear it smartly when I am expected to wear it. I'll make sure the badges I am awarded are sewn on to my uniform.
11. I will look after all equipment belonging to GHESU and possessions and property belonging to others and myself.
12. I agree that smoking or vaping is strictly prohibited and will not be tolerated. I agree that bringing or consuming alcohol or drugs is strictly prohibited and will not be tolerated.
13. I agree that violence, aggression or threatening behaviour toward explorers, young members or volunteers unacceptable and will not be tolerated.

## The Scout Law

A Scout is to be trusted.

A Scout is loyal.

A Scout is friendly and considerate.

A Scout belongs to the world-wide family of Scouts.

A Scout has courage in all difficulties.

A Scout makes good use of time and is careful of possessions and property.

A Scout has self-respect and respect for others.

## The Scout Promise

On my honour

I promise that I will do my best

To do my duty

To help other people

And to keep the Scout Law

## The Scout Values

Integrity - We act with integrity; we are honest, trustworthy and loyal.

Respect - We have self-respect and respect for others.

Care - We support others and take care of the world in which we live.

Belief - We explore our faiths, beliefs and attitudes.

Co-operation - We make a positive difference; we co-operate with others and make friends.

Explorer Name: .....

Date: .....

**I understand and agree with the Scout Law, Promise and Values**

Signed: .....

**I understand and agree to follow this Code of Conduct**

Signed: .....

Parent Signature: .....