

Who can earn the badge?

- ▶ Any member, youth or adult!

How is the badge earned?

- ▶ Guides aged 5-9 years old complete 1 challenge from each of the 4 elements plus one of their choice. The badge can be received after the completion of 3 challenges
- ▶ Guides aged 9-17 years old and adults complete 2 challenges from each of the 4 elements plus one of their choice. The badge can be received after the completion of 5 challenges

Can the challenges be completed in groups?

- ▶ Completing the activities in patrols or as a unit is encouraged, but some challenges may be more individual in nature

A lot of the challenges require sharing, what are some different ways of doing this?

- ▶ Photos
- ▶ Drawing
- ▶ Noticeboard
- ▶ Newsletter
- ▶ Social Media
- ▶ Interpretative dance
- ▶ Song
- ▶ Video



Where can I purchase the badge?

- ▶ From your State Girl Guide Shop

Where is the badge worn?

- ▶ On the sash, on the back towards the top, until the end of 2016
- ▶ No sash? On your camp blanket, book bag, camp hat ...

Still enjoying the outdoors?

- ▶ For an extra challenge, achieve the Outdoors Explore a Challenge or an Adventure, Boating, Camping or Outdoors Achieve a Challenge Trefoil (above what you already hold) during 2016



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“Life without adventure would be deadly dull”

Lord Baden Powell



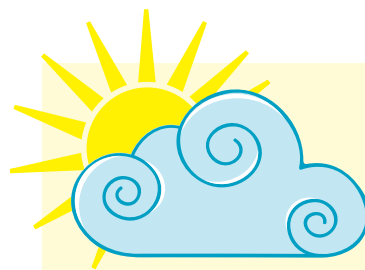
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AIR

- ▶ Participate in a night stalk
- ▶ Be able to identify 3 constellations, including the Southern Cross
- ▶ Make your own wind turbine/ pinwheel
- ▶ Have a turn on a flying fox, zip line, or a giant swing
- ▶ Go abseiling, rockclimbing or try a ropes course
- ▶ Go cloud watching and use your imagination to make 5 shapes
- ▶ Make and/or fly a kite
- ▶ Discover ways to reduce air pollution and share these ideas with others



FIRE

- ▶ Build and/or plan and/or participate in a campfire
- ▶ Learn about fire safety in the outdoors and share this with others
- ▶ Using an alternative method, cook something new outdoors and share with others
- ▶ Discover the role fire plays in the natural environment and share it with others
- ▶ Learn two new methods of fire lighting and share these with others safely



WATER

- ▶ Participate in a boating activity
- ▶ Demonstrate at least two lifesaving techniques
- ▶ Complete a floating adventure course
- ▶ Build a simple solar hot water system
- ▶ Build and safely launch a homemade raft
- ▶ Explore a local waterway and identify animals that live there



EARTH

- ▶ Participate in Clean Up Australia Day / National Tree Planting Day / Earth Hour
- ▶ Find out about a conservation organisation and share their work in an interesting way
- ▶ Create a vegetable garden or a scarecrow from recycled materials
- ▶ Attend an open day at a community garden
- ▶ Create an ant farm, worm farm or a compost bin
- ▶ Participate in a caving activity