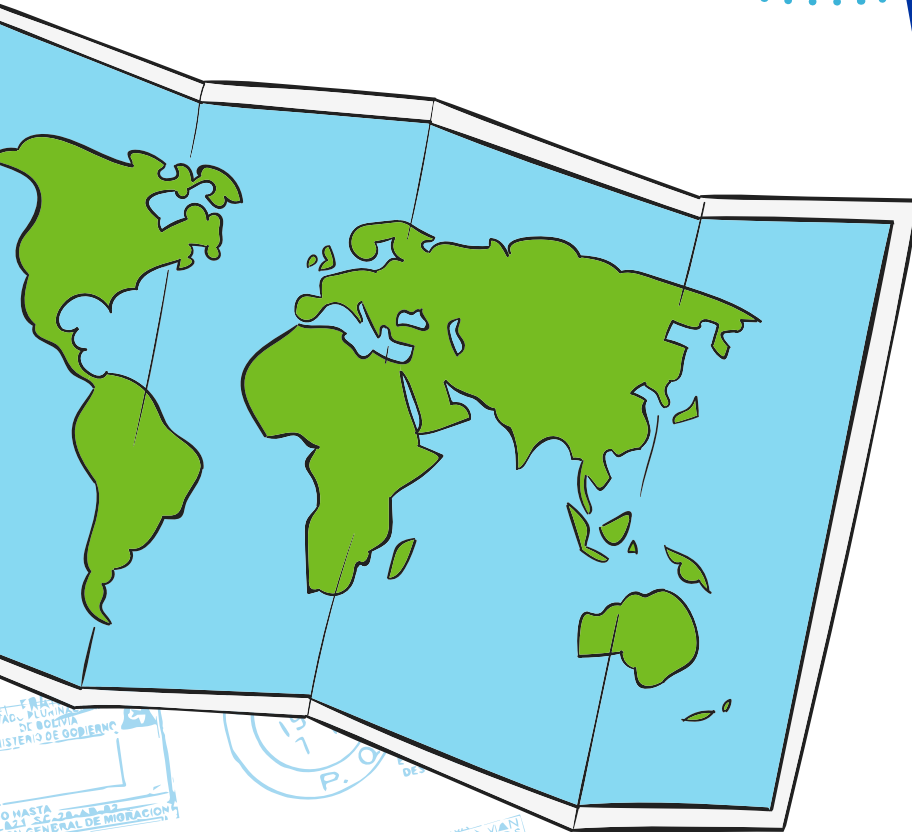


Guides Go **GLOBE** **TROT**TING



Welcome to World Guiding & the exciting world of WAGGGS!

There are currently 153 countries that are members of WAGGGS (May 2021).

Join us as we travel virtually to some of these members. Let's discover more about Global Guiding – the lifestyles and culture of Guides in countries that make up our 5 World Regions.

Have a blank map of the world with you so that you can mark the locations of the countries that we visit during our globetrotting odyssey.



South Africa

Land of Great Natural Beauty, & Cultural Diversity

GENERAL

1. Mark South Africa and its capital on a world map.
2. Name the capital of South Africa.
3. How many official languages does South Africa have? Can you name all of them?



4. What tree is South Africa's capital known for? (Hint – it is also the capital's nickname, and we have them in Australia)
5. Draw the flag of South Africa. It is one of the world's most colourful flags. What do the colours and the shape represent?
6. South Africa is home to the 'Big 5 animals'. Name them and explain why they are called the Big 5.

GIRL GUIDING

1. To which World Guiding Region does South Africa belong?
2. How many national Girl Guide and Girl Scout organisations (also called Member Organisations) can be found throughout the continent & Region?
3. Draw the badge for Girl Guides South Africa
4. South Africa Guides has a group aged 4 ½ – 7 years. What is the name of this group?
5. Which was the first Guide Company in South Africa? Where was it? In what year was the first Guide company of South Africa formed?
6. Here is the South African Guide Law and the Promise. Can you see any similarities with *our* Promise and Law?



PROMISE

I promise that I will do my best: To do my duty to my God and my country, To help other people, and To keep the Guide Law.

GUIDE LAW

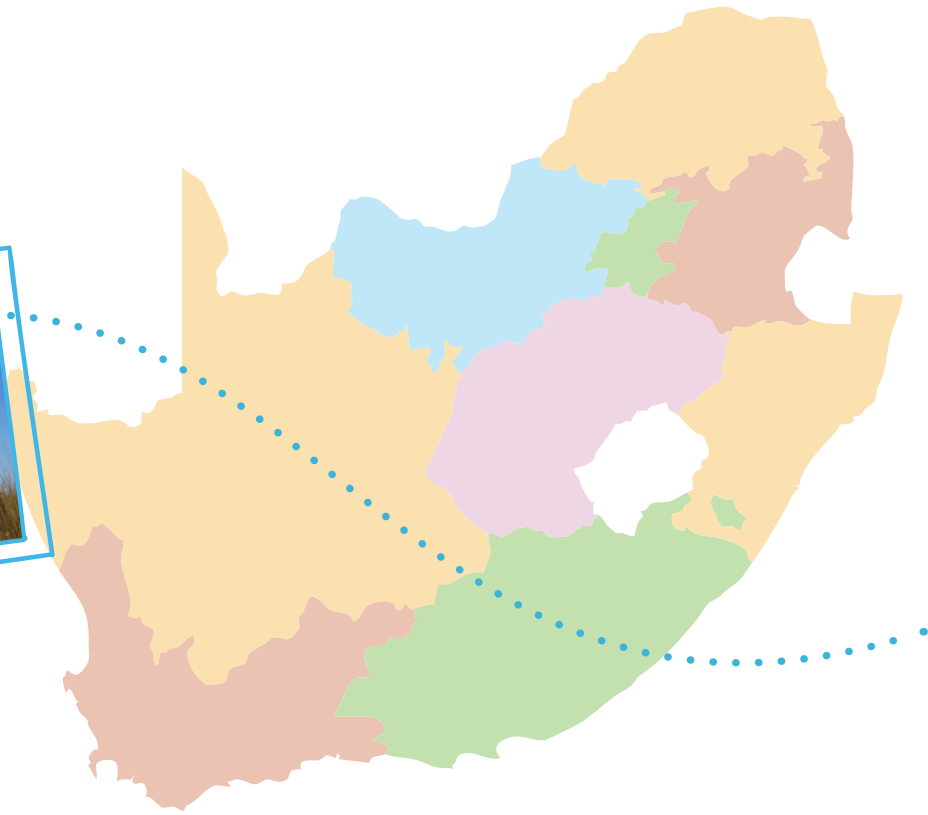
1. A Guide is to be trusted
2. A Guide is loyal
3. A Guide is helpful
4. A Guide is friendly
5. A Guide is polite and considerate
6. A Guide cares for the earth and living things
7. A Guide is obedient
8. A Guide is brave and cheerful
9. A Guide is thrifty
10. A Guide respects herself and others



IN DEPTH

Research the following aspects of culture and incorporate them into your unit program.

1. How are the following connected with South Africa? Namibia, Botswana, Zimbabwe, Mozambique Eswatini and Lesotho.
2. Research the 'Big 5 animals' – chose a favourite and research how poaching and environmental pressures are threatening their survival. Present your findings to your unit/peers in an insightful way.
3. Research some South African traditional foods (e.g. Mieliepap). Cook one and share with your unit.
4. South Africa is known for its music and rhythmic drumming – see if you can follow the instructions in the link to make your own Djembe drum and compose some tunes! Make an African 'djembe' Drum – National Geographic Kids
5. These statues in Capetown (from left to right) are Nkosi Albert Luthuli, Archbishop Desmond Tutu, F.W .De Klerk and Nelson Mandela. Explain why these people are so significant in South Africa and share your answers with your unit.

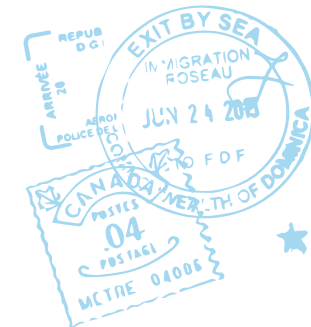
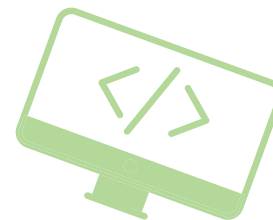


RESOURCES

[World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts – WAGGGS](#)

[South Africa for Kids | South Africa Facts for Kids | Geography](#)





HELPFUL NOTES



You can choose to do this as a Unit program – or Guides can work on it individually.

Should your Guides enjoy working on badges, here are some suggestions for linking the global activities to the recognition system.

1. DISCOVER A CHALLENGE

GEMSTONES

There are relevant clauses in the “People” category for each Gemstone

2. EXPLORE A CHALLENGE

FAITH AWARENESS

Find out and share the Promise and Law from another country

GUIDING

Take part in an activity from one of the World Guiding Regions

LIFE SKILLS

Make a collection of recipes and share your favourite with others

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

Discover how nature works by investigating a natural land form

THE ARTS

Investigate & create a traditional craft from another country, listen to and enjoy different music styles and share your experience

WORLD

Lifestyle investigation, exchange messages, plan an imaginary trip, widen your understanding of the world

3. CREATE A CHALLENGE:

- Feet (dancing styles)
- Food
- Girls (international issues)
- Hands
- Numbers (foreign currencies)
- People
- The Arts
- World

4. ACHIEVE A CHALLENGE:

- Advocacy 1 & 2
- World Guiding 1 & 2
- Life Skills 2
- Leadership 3

5. AWARDS –

Junior BP, BP, Queens Guide and OBP
Award all have sections on World Guiding

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