

THE BOYS' BRIGADE - GLASGOW BATTALION

JUNIOR SECTION



GO FOR GOLD THE BLUE AWARD WORKBOOK

NAME: _____

COMPANY: _____

THE BOYS' BRIGADE, GLASGOW BATTALION
IBROX PARISH CHURCH, CLIFFORD STREET, GLASGOW G51 1QL

To gain the blue award I shall need 10 Achievements, 2 from each section.

For Spiritual Achievements it will have to be one from Section A and one from Section B.

I Hope to achieve the following: -

- | | | | |
|------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|---|
| ADVENTURE | The Country Code
Timetables | PHYSICAL | Aiming Skills
Agilities |
| COMMUNITY | Set a table
Highway Code | SPIRITUAL | Rules & Regulations
Bible Character - Paul |
| INTEREST | Famous Character
Spotting | | |

**WHEN I GAINED MY
ACHIEVEMENTS**

ACHIEVEMENT	DATE
The Country Code	
Timetables	
Set a table	
Highway Code	
Famous Character	
Spotting	
Aiming Skills	
Agilities	
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Bible Character - Paul	

I was awarded my Blue Award on _____

ADVENTURE

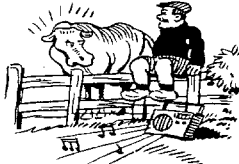
The Country Code

There are two activities for you to complete through which you should learn the rules of the Country Code, One is a code breaker and the other is a word search. Complete the two to gain this achievement.

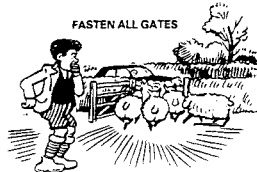
TAKE SPECIAL CARE ON COUNTRY ROADS



MAKE NO UNNECESSARY NOISE



FASTEN ALL GATES



ENJOY THE COUNTRYSIDE AND RESPECT ITS LIFE AND WORK



KEEP TO PUBLIC PATHS ACROSS FARMLAND



TAKE YOUR LITTER HOME



GUARD AGAINST ALL RISKS OF FIRE



USE GATES AND STILES TO CROSS FENCES, HEDGES AND WALLS



LEAVE LIVESTOCK, CROPS AND MACHINERY ALONE



Oor Wullie just loves being in the country — and always obeys the Country Code. But his pals, Fat Boab, Soapy Soutar and Wee Eck are right rascals. Make sure YOU don't break any rules of the Country Code the way they are doing.

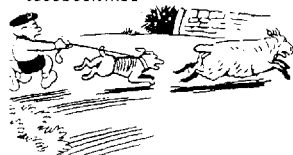
HELP TO KEEP ALL WATER CLEAN



PROTECT WILDLIFE, PLANTS AND TREES



KEEP DOGS UNDER CLOSE CONTROL



ADVENTURE

Code-Breaker

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26

Use the above Code to decipher the important messages below: -

- 1 $\overline{20}$ $\overline{8}$ $\overline{5}$ $\overline{3}$ $\overline{15}$ $\overline{21}$ $\overline{14}$ $\overline{20}$ $\overline{18}$ $\overline{25}$ $\overline{3}$ $\overline{15}$ $\overline{4}$ $\overline{5}$
- 2 $\overline{7}$ $\overline{21}$ $\overline{1}$ $\overline{18}$ $\overline{4}$ against all $\overline{18}$ $\overline{9}$ $\overline{19}$ $\overline{11}$ $\overline{19}$ of $\overline{6}$ $\overline{9}$ $\overline{18}$ $\overline{5}$
- 3 $\overline{6}$ $\overline{1}$ $\overline{19}$ $\overline{20}$ $\overline{5}$ $\overline{14}$ all $\overline{7}$ $\overline{1}$ $\overline{20}$ $\overline{5}$ $\overline{19}$
- 4 Keep $\overline{4}$ $\overline{15}$ $\overline{7}$ $\overline{19}$ $\overline{21}$ $\overline{14}$ $\overline{4}$ $\overline{5}$ $\overline{18}$ Proper Control
- 5 Keep to the $\overline{16}$ $\overline{1}$ $\overline{20}$ $\overline{8}$ $\overline{19}$ across $\overline{6}$ $\overline{1}$ $\overline{18}$ $\overline{13}$ land
- 6 $\overline{1}$ $\overline{22}$ $\overline{15}$ $\overline{9}$ $\overline{4}$ damaging $\overline{6}$ $\overline{5}$ $\overline{14}$ $\overline{3}$ $\overline{5}$ $\overline{19}$ hedges and walls
- 7 $\overline{12}$ $\overline{5}$ $\overline{1}$ $\overline{22}$ $\overline{5}$ no $\overline{12}$ $\overline{3}$ $\overline{20}$ $\overline{20}$ $\overline{5}$ $\overline{18}$
- 8 Safeguard $\overline{23}$ $\overline{1}$ $\overline{20}$ $\overline{5}$ $\overline{18}$ $\overline{19}$ $\overline{21}$ $\overline{16}$ $\overline{16}$ $\overline{12}$ $\overline{9}$ $\overline{5}$ $\overline{19}$
- 9 Protect wild $\overline{12}$ $\overline{9}$ $\overline{6}$ $\overline{5}$ wild $\overline{16}$ $\overline{12}$ $\overline{1}$ $\overline{14}$ $\overline{20}$ $\overline{19}$ and trees
- 10 Go carefully on $\overline{3}$ $\overline{15}$ $\overline{21}$ $\overline{14}$ $\overline{20}$ $\overline{18}$ $\overline{25}$ $\overline{18}$ $\overline{15}$ $\overline{1}$ $\overline{4}$ $\overline{19}$
- 11 $\overline{18}$ $\overline{5}$ $\overline{19}$ $\overline{16}$ $\overline{5}$ $\overline{3}$ $\overline{20}$ the $\overline{12}$ $\overline{9}$ $\overline{6}$ $\overline{5}$ of the countryside

ADVENTURE

Word Search

K S E G D E H R E T T I L
T H D O G S W O F S R Y O
Y T D N U E F A S T E N R
L A T E A C B D U S E L T
L P R H R L F S P E S W N
U I R E D N M O Q C Y J O
F L E D I S Y R T N U O C
E W T M G X A E A E V F T
R M A W I L D L I F E H E
A S W A L L S G Y U E R C
C Y P O S G C H S E T A G

_____ against all risk of _____

_____ all _____

Keep _____ under proper _____

Keep to the _____ across _____

Avoid damaging _____ / _____ and

Leave no _____

Safeguards _____ supplies

Protect _____ /wild plants and _____

Go _____ on country _____

Respect the life of the _____

ADVENTURE

Timetables

Your officer will explain to you how to read a timetable. We will use a bus timetable in this particular achievement. Remember that timetables use the 24-hour clock.

What times are these: -	1	16.15
	2	17.20
	3	18.45
	4	21.50
	5	23.00

COMMUNITY

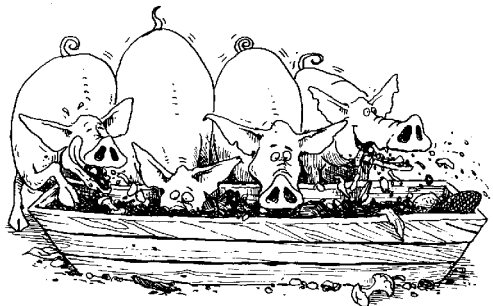
Set a table

Your officer will show you how to set a table for: -

- 1 Breakfast
- 2 Lunch
- 3 Dinner

List all the items that you would use when setting a table

- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____
- 7 _____
- 8 _____
- 9 _____



COMMUNITY

Highway Code

You will find the rules of the Highway Code behind this page together with a sheet explaining how to cross the road and the Green X Code. You will also find useful Road signs and rules for cyclists. To pass this achievement, complete the road safety word search. In addition your Officer may ask you to list the 10 Highway Code rules: -



- 1 _____
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____
- 7 _____
- 8 _____
- 9 _____
- 10 _____

COMMUNITY

Highway Code

- 1 Where there is a pavement or footpath, use It!
- 2 Do not walk next to the kerb with your back to the traffic
- 3 Look both ways before you step into the road
- 4 Where there is no footpath, walk on the right hand side of the road.
the road.
- 5 You must not walk on motorways or slip roads.
- 6 If there is a Zebra crossing always use it.
- 7 Always give drivers plenty of time to see you and to slow
Down and stop.
- 8 Where there are pedestrian signals obey them.
- 9 When you cross at a road junction look out for traffic turning
ing the corner.
- 10 Never cross behind or in front of a bus. Wait till it has
moved off and you have a clear view of the road In Both di-
rections.

Road Sense

Crossing the Road

When walking along the road, always use the footpath if one is provided. When there is no path, walk on the right-hand side of the road; it is safer to walk on the side facing on-coming traffic.

There are no magic safe places to cross roads but you should always look for the safest one available. These are the places to look

Pelican Crossing

Rules 1-25 of The Highway Code are written especially for road users on foot. Here are some things to try:



Subways



Bridges



Crossing Patrol



Pedestrian Crossing



Pelican Crossing



Green
Cross
with care

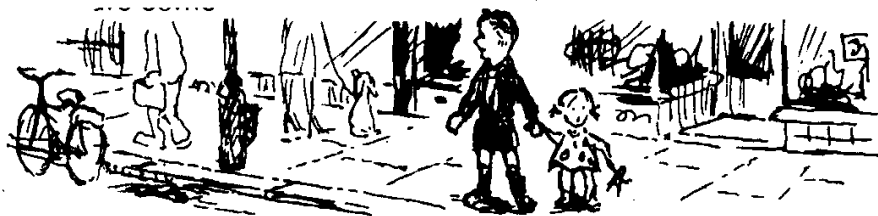


Flashing Green
Don't start
to cross



Red
Don't cross

- ❑ Draw a sketch map of your area and mark on it all the places where it is safest to cross.
- ❑ Draw five sets of traffic lights; now, starting with red, colour each set in the correct order that the lights will change.
- ❑ Make a survey of a Pelican Crossing and see how many people use it properly.



Green Cross Code

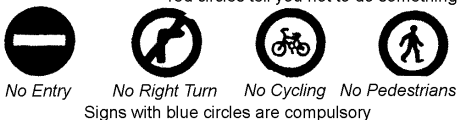
Whenever you want to cross the road, make sure you use the Green Cross Code.

- ❑ Find a safe place away from parked cars, then stop.
- ❑ Stand and wait on the pavement near the kerb.
- ❑ Look all round for traffic and listen.
- ❑ If traffic is coming, let it pass. Look all round again.
- ❑ When there is no traffic near, walk straight across the road.
- ❑ Keep looking and listening for traffic while you cross.

Here are some activities to try:

- ❑ Make a series of pictures to illustrate the Green Cross Code and stick them on a roller TV. Make a tape recording to go with the pictures and give a show to your Pack.
- ❑ Make a poster to help teach younger children about Road Safety.
- ❑ Write the Green Cross Code on strips of card; challenge a friend to put them in the correct order.
- ❑ Teach the Green Cross Code to a younger child.
- ❑ Make up a TV advertisement on the Green Cross Code.

Signs giving orders: these are mostly circular. Those with red circles tell you not to do something



Warning Signs these are mostly triangular with red borders



Information Signs these are usually blue with white symbols



Road Signs

There are four main types of road signs.

- ❑ Signs giving orders (Signs with blue circles are compulsory)
- ❑ Warning Signs
- ❑ Information Signs
- ❑ Direction Signs

Direction Signs: these signs show you the way to different places and differ according to where they are.



One Way



No Through Road



Routes Available
for Cyclists



- Signs on motorways:* blue background.
- Signs on main routes:* green background.
- Signs on B Roads:* white with black border.
- Local direction signs:* white with blue border.

See how many different types of sign you can spot on a cycle or car ride.

Set up or draw a model roadway. Make road signs and put them in the correct place.

Rules for Cyclists

Rules 129 to 137 in The Highway Code are specially written for cyclists. Make sure you have read them before setting out onto roads. Here are some:

- Make sure you check your bicycle is safe to ride before you set off check tyres, brakes, lights, etc.
- Never ride more than two side by side and always in single file on busy, narrow roads.
- When you are riding: always keep both hands on the handlebars except when signalling; always keep both feet on the pedals; do not hold onto other vehicles or cycles; do not carry passengers; always use a cycle path when there is one.

Hand Signals



I intend to move out to the right or turn right

I intend to move in to the left or turn left

I intend to slow down or stop

Take the Test

The National Cycling Proficiency Scheme is run all over the country.

Your Local Road Safety Officer will be able to give you full details and may be able to arrange a course for your Pack.

COMMUNITY

Road Safety

I F Y W O U L K E A R N T H E
G R P A V E M E N T E E N C R
O S S I C O D R E R A N D F O
L L S T O P O B S A W A L L T
H E R U L E S Y T F O U W I L
L B E S A F P E R F O N L T H
E N R O L A A G A I N D I I H
O E P E O Y S O I C R O S S U
E A C R O S S N G J O Y T D O
I R N G K W T H H I C S E W O
R D S S E A G A T R O C N N B
E S A A L L R O U N D F E B E
S E E F N K E T A K E E C A R
E D O E N T E P L A Y I N T H
F E R O A D N B N Y L R B S A

Find the following words which are all linked to Road Safety

STRAIGHT	KERB	GREEN	STOP
PASS	SAFE	WAIT	LOOK
TRAFFIC	LISTEN	AGAIN	PAVEMENT
ROAD	WALK	CROSS	CODE
PLAY	NEAR	ROUND	ACROSS

INTEREST

Famous Character

Our famous character is Sir William Alexander Smith who founded the Boys' Brigade. There is a fact sheet to complete as well as a simple test.

You can find out more about our Founder who was called The Pioneer of Boyhood in a book called First for Boys.



This is a picture of William A Smith who founded the Boys' Brigade in Glasgow on October 4th 1883.

Can you work out how old the movement is?

_____ years old

The BB is the oldest uniformed youth organisation for Boys in the World today.



Here is a picture of Smith's birthplace, Pennyland Cottage, near Thurso in the far North of Scotland. He was born here in 1854.

One of the Presidents of the BB had a connection with Thurso. What was it?

William Smith dies in 1914. How old was he when he died?

_____ years.

INTEREST

A Famous Character Sir William Smith



TEST

1 Which organisation did he start?

2 True / False? This is the oldest uniformed organisation in the world. _____

3 Where was he born? _____

4 What was his middle name? _____

5 Which city did he move to when he became 15?

6 Where did the BB start? _____

7 When was the BB founded? _____

8 True / False?

William Smith was a Sunday school teacher _____

9 When did he die? _____

10 Who was the Queen when the BB started?

PHYSICAL

Aiming Skills

To pass this achievement you must successfully on 5 occasions: -

- 1 Throw a bean bag into a hoop
- 2 Roll a ball between two skittles
- 3 Roll a large ball to hit one skittle



PHYSICAL

Agilities

Your Officer will teach you how to do some of the following Activities:

- Forward roll
- Leapfrog
- Dive roll
- Backwards roll

Remember to take care when doing these exercises.



SPIRITUAL

Rules and Regulations

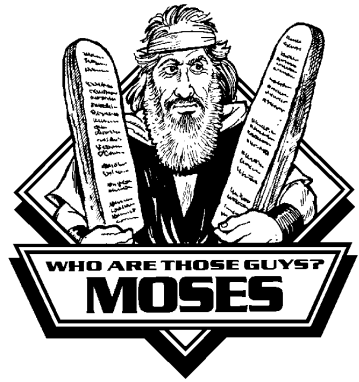
God gave the Ten Commandments to Moses as the people of Israel travelled through the desert.

The Rules are to be found in The Old Testament, which is that part of the Bible written before the birth of Jesus.

Theses are to be found in Exodus Chapter 20, verses 1-17.

The first 4 Commandments deal with our relationship with God whilst the next 6 Commandments deal with our relationships with each other.

To pass this achievement there is a simple test for you to do Ten Commandments



The Ten Commandments

- 1 You shall have no other God before me
- 2 You shall not make for yourself a graven image
- 3 You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain
- 4 Remember the Sabbath to keep it holy
- 5 Honour your father and your mother
- 6 You shall not kill
- 7 You shall not commit adultery
- 8 You shall not steal
- 9 You shall no bear false witness against your neighbour
- 10 You shall not covet

SPIRITUAL The Ten Commandments

TEST

- 1 The ten Commandments are to be found in the _____ testament
- 2 They were given by God to _____ s _____ s
- 3 The first four deal with our relationship with _____.
- 4 The second deal with our relationship with o _____
- 5 Fill in the Blanks: -

Worship no _____ but me

Keep my name H _____

Do not commit M _____

Do not S _____ L

Do not commit AD _____ L _____ Y

- 6 Write down another Commandment not mentioned above



**PLAY IT
BY THE BOOK**

SPIRITUAL

Bible Character - Paul

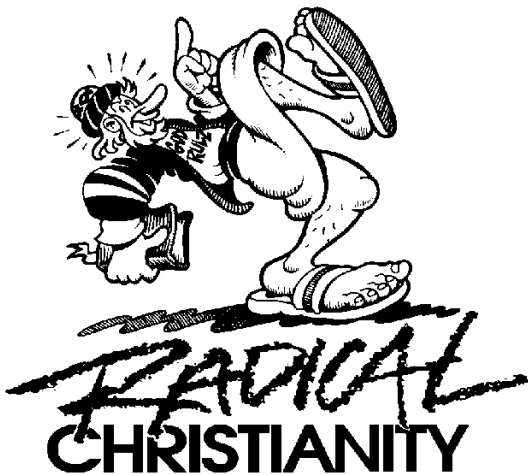
One of the most famous characters in The New Testament is the Apostle Paul. He was a great follower of Jesus although this was not always the case. When he was a young man he was sent on a journey to Damascus to round up and imprison Jesus' followers but something happened on this journey that changed his life forever. Your Officer will tell you about this and about some of the journeys that Paul made.

The strange thing about Paul is we do not know how or where he died. Some believe that the Romans put him to death, others believe that he died in Spain.

Simple question: -

Damascus is the Capital of what modern Day Country; unscramble the letters to spell it.

R A I S Y _____



Over the page there is a word search for you to complete. The towns listed are the places that Paul visited. Some bibles contain maps and you will find the towns listed there.

SPIRITUAL

Paul's Journeys Places He Visited

WORD SEARCH

A D D G H T N I R O C T
R O A R H D R S H Y R H
S J R M C W O O F J E W
X R I M A L T A A D B F
C O F K E S D K C S S V
P M F J S H C Y P R U S
A E V T A R S U S K P R
R E R H R J U A S U K Y
Q F H G E F L H R O H D
U Q O R I C U L L E S B
N O D R W T Y O W R E G
D W E H T S G K B V A W
S H S L A D L E Y S B R
J O W R W T K H Y R E B
T W W I A N T I O C H J

Paul travelled extensively across to spread the good news of Christ. See how many places you can identify in the table above. You should find the following: -

TARSUS	CAESAREA	RHODES	DAMASCUS
ANTIOCH	CORINTH	MALTA	SELUCIA
ROME	TROAS	PERGA	CYPRUS