## **Introduction to Scouting - Cub Scouts**



One of the first things you will do when becoming a Cub Scout or if you have had a break from Scouts will be to learn about Scouting. To help you do this, you should complete the "Introduction to Scouting" and the "Introduction to Cub Scout Section". This will help you understand what Scouting is all about.

Please talk with your Cub Scout Leader or another Scout about the key facts of Scouting and get them signed off below.

This is not a test. You do not have to do it all at once. It can happen over a few weeks. You can also do your Introduction to the Cub Scout Section at the same time.

We have discussed	Date	Initials
The World Organisation  • Who started Scouting  • Fun facts about Scouts around the world		
Scouting in Australia  • When Scouting started in Australia  • Fun facts about Scouts Australia		
Our Scout Group  • When our Scout Group Started  • Some interesting facts about our Group		
What is special about Scouting?		
Youth Program What How		
What are SPICES		
SOCIAL PHYSICAL INTELLECTUAL CHARACTER EMOTIONAL SPIRITUAL		
What does Personal Progression mean?		
What is the Australian Scout Promise and Law? Refer to your Section Australian Scout Promise and Law guide		
<ul> <li>Symbols, Traditions and ceremonies</li> <li>Why do we wear a scarf?</li> <li>What is the scout sign?</li> <li>Why do we do ceremonies?</li> <li>Why do we shake with the left hand?</li> </ul>		
What is a mentor and who is my mentor?		
What is Investiture and when does it happen?		

When you have finished your "Introduction to Scouting", you will be invested into the Unit in a special ceremony. This is your formal welcome. It marks the beginning of your Scouting journey.

You will be given the World Scout badge and Australian Scout Flag badge at your ceremony.

Investiture date and badge awarded:	Leader signature:
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