

## Who are members of GIRL GUIDES South Africa?

Teddies: 4½ - 7 years    Brownies: 7 – 10 years  
Guides: 10 – 14 years    Rangers: 14 - 18 years  
Young Leaders: 18 – 30 years

We all belong to one of the world's largest international youth movements, the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts.

### What do Brownies wear?

Brownies now wear a new uniform: navy skorts, a white shirt, yellow scarf and a special GIRL GUIDES South Africa woggle. As the Brownie works through her programme, she is awarded various badges that are stitched onto the shirt.



[The "old" Brownie uniform was a light brown skirt with shoulder straps or waistcoat, worn with a white school shirt and a yellow scarf. This uniform is being phased out.]

### What do Brownies do?

Brownies have fun! They learn new skills, often by the way of a game, learn to bake, take care of their surroundings and also learn to help those around them, particularly their families. These are some of the badges they can earn:



## Brownie 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 Brownie Law'.



### Brownie Law

A Brownie is truthful, obedient and cheerful.  
A Brownie thinks of others before herself.

### Brownie motto

Lend a hand.



## How will a Brownie be enrolled?

A girl is enrolled as a Brownie once she has learned the Brownie Promise, Law and Motto, understands the meaning of a good turn to others and has attended 4 meetings. She is then enrolled at a special ceremony held during Brownie meeting times, to which her family is invited.



### Opening Song

"We're the Brownies, here's our aim,  
Lend a hand and play the game."

### Linking to Guides

When a Brownie has completed her Golden Hand, or reached the age of ten, whichever occurs first, she becomes eligible to join Guides.