

Welcome to Rangers

Be prepared to be challenged, learn new life skills, make life-long friends, discover new things and have FUN.

Who are members GIRL GUIDES South Africa?

Teddies: 4½ - 7 years Brownies: 7 - 10 years
Guides: 10½ - 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 & Girl Scouts.

Who are Rangers?

Rangers are 14 - 18 years and members of a Ranger Crew. A Crew is made up of a group of girls who work together to achieve the Crew's goals. Any girl may become a Ranger as long as she is prepared to make the Promise.

What do Rangers wear?

Rangers wear a navy skirt, white blouse/shirt with a yellow scarf and woggle.

How does the Ranger Crew function?

Rangers are run by a committee. All Rangers in the Crew contribute to the ideas for the programme. The committee consists of a group of Rangers who each have different functions to fulfil. Together with the Adult Leader, they are responsible for the day-to-day affairs of the Crew.



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'.

Ranger Challenge

'My Challenge as a Ranger is to render service by taking the Promise out into the wider world and by being aware of my responsibilities as a young adult.'

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.



Ranger motto: Look Wide

How is a Ranger invested?

A girl is invested at a special investiture ceremony once she has attended at least four Ranger meetings, learned her Promise and has discovered what being a Ranger is all about. At her investiture she makes the Promise and is welcomed into the worldwide Girl Guide movement. She can invite her family and friends to her investiture.

The Ranger programme

The programme consists of 8 Adventures:



The top award for a Ranger is the Protea Award which has a variety of service related clauses which show that the Ranger is meeting the Ranger Challenge.

How does a Ranger benefit from Guiding?

This is an opportunity for a girl to become part of a World Wide Organisation which helps to provide girls and young women with the opportunities for self training in character, responsible citizenship and service to the community. It offers opportunities for widening



her horizons and for making friends. Rangers can enjoy activities including boating, hiking, camping, mountaineering and abseiling.

What other activities could Rangers be involved in?

A Ranger can gain:

- ♣ Outdoor, Peer Educator and Special Skills Trainer Qualifications
- ♣ She could also become an Adult Leader.