

Young Leaders in Girlguiding Hampshire West

- **GO** Login to GO <https://go.girlguiding.org.uk/> choose the option don't have a login and enter the email address on your GO account, check with your unit leader what email address this is.
- If your parents have logged into GO whilst you were a Brownie/Guide, they will need to login to change your email address to your personal one. Details on this link show how they do that.
https://gggoportal.blob.core.windows.net/goportal/help/Parents_HelpZone_v2.pdf
- The email address on your GO record will receive an invite to login to GO, check junk folder just in case, then activate your GO account.
- Login to GO and check your current emergency contact details and check your medical information.
- Check marketing preferences YES for emails and to enable National, Region and County emails to be received
- You may find the username of your GO account is locked to what your parent/carer chose, if you email membershipsystems@girlguiding.org.uk and request this to be changed.

- **Safe Space Learning Platform** 24 hours after your GO account is activated you can create an account on www.learning.girlguiding.org.uk
- Choose forgot password and use the email address option to activate this account, again check for an invitation from Girlguiding for the learning platform and then activate this account. This email address is the one you use for GO.
- Complete Safe Space 14-17 it will take you about 30 minutes, please do discuss with a parent/carer or leader in Girlguiding anything you wish from this Safe Space training.
- The Safe Space 14-17 lasts 3 years and must be renewed unless in this time you have turned 18 and so this then requires the Safe Space 1 & 2 to be completed through the learning platform as an adult volunteer.

Young Leader Qualification

- Module 1 page- Please ask a leader in your unit to add to the bottom of the page a signature confirming Safe Space 14-17 completed and expiry date
- Element 1b- Please watch the 3 videos called Being a Leader on the Girlguiding website <https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/making-guiding-happen/learning-and-development/leadership-skills/> and discuss these with a leader from your unit.
- OR via the Learning Platform enroll on the Programme Overview e learning module and complete this and discuss it with a leader from your unit.
- Module 3b- Attend a unit planning meeting and ask for a copy of the programme plan as evidence for a term showing how the themes have been covered by the unit.
- Module 3c- You should be able to show how UMAs and Skill Builders support the programme along with other resources
- Module 3d – Plan, deliver and evaluate 3 activities – this **MUST** include 1 official part of the programme (UMA or SB). Evidence of these activities should include, planning notes, safety plans, photos or examples of the activity along with the evaluation on p14.
- Your YL qualification must be completed 6 weeks before you turn 18 and the workbook and evidence should be passed to either the Division Young Leader Adviser or your District/Division Commissioner. They will then check it through and contact you for any further details they need to verify your qualification.

When you turn 18, you could become a Leader in Training and work towards your Adult Leadership Qualification and wear the leaders blue or white polo shirt or you could become a Unit Helper and wear the members top. After your 18th Birthday a member of your division team will contact you to complete a DBS check and your unit leader will complete a letter of commendation to verify your role as an adult volunteer.

Opportunities for Young Leaders in Girlguiding

- Emails from County Young Leader Adviser re County Young Leader events
- County Newsletter & Region Newsletter full of great opportunities for members aged 14-18yrs old

- Member of a Ranger Unit
- D of E- Bronze, Silver & Gold
- Commonwealth Award
- Peer Educators
- Queens Guide Award
- International Opportunities at County and Region level
- GOLD (Guiding Oversees Linked with Development)