



Queen's Guide Mentors

The Queen's Guide Award is the highest award in Girlguiding and is open to any member of the Senior Section aged 16-25.

The Queen's Guide Coordinator is the main point of contact regarding any queries or clarification during a candidate's progress through the Award.

The candidate's personal Mentor offers advice and guidance through the Award and helps to plan and review progress.

Role of the Mentor

A Mentor can be your Unit Leader, Commissioner or anyone else known to the candidate through Girlguiding. The official start date is the first planning meeting with the Mentor. The candidate should send a copy of the agreed plan and signed form to the Queen's Guide Coordinator, that is created at the first meeting.

A Mentor to a Queen's Guide candidate is a personal choice and it is expected that they should:

- be a facilitator
- has experience of whom to contact and where to go for help
- discuss initial plans
- be in regular contact with the candidate
- help come up with ideas and discuss with the candidate what they want from the Award
- contact the Queen's Guide Coordinator as and when necessary
- Know the candidate and ensure she pushes herself to the best of her ability.

Upon completion of their Award, it is a time to celebrate their achievements. Please work with the candidate and their local area to ensure their achievement is recognised.