

AROUND THE WORLD

With more than 40 million members worldwide, Scouting is the world's leading educational movement. Active in all but five countries, Scouting offers members opportunities to connect with Scouts around the world through Moots, Roverways and Jamborees. These events help us to celebrate the inherent diversity of Scouting and to embrace everyone in our global community.

As an individual outside of Scouting you've probably already made an impact on society – locally, nationally or globally. So imagine the impact that your Explorer Unit or Scout Network have had on the world! One way to visualise this impact is through the Around the World activity.

YOU WILL NEED

- a large world map (either printed or drawn)
- a large UK map
- a large corkboard
- pins of varying colours
- photos of your travels
- any decorations you may want to add

ACTIVITY

1. Attach the world map and UK map to the corkboard using either pins or glue.
2. Ask everyone in your Unit or Network to pick two colours from the pins. One of these colours will represent countries/places visited with Scouting and the other will represent countries/places visited outside of Scouting.
3. Starting with the UK map, get everyone to put pins on the board based on places they've visited either with or without Scouting. Then repeat the process for the global map.
4. For each place that has a pin in it discuss what kind of impact they had on that place. Think about whether they went as a Scout or on holiday and if that made a difference to the impact they had.
5. They could decorate the board with photos from their visits or notes about their impact.
6. Hang the corkboard up in your meeting place and update it as they visit new countries.
7. You could then use another colour pin to create a wish list of countries your group would like to visit in the future!

