



Special Interest Award (SIA)

Theme: Performing Arts (Music)

Section: Venturer Scout (Approx. 12 hours)

How to earn your badge:

1. Reach Grade 4 AMEB or Trinity College. It can be on an instrument of your choice or by singing
2. Sing or Play, three different types of songs on your chosen instrument. One should be solo and one should be played with other musicians in an arrangement of your choice. Your performance should be public, such as at a Group show, school concert or church service.
3. Demonstrate some of the musical exercises that you use to practice your skills (e.g. repetition, reading music, listening to music, pitch and rhythm) and talk about one of these
4. Talk about one of these:
 - a. Your instrument and why you enjoy playing it
 - b. The songs you sing/ play and why you enjoy singing them.Give examples to justify.
5. Talk about your own interests in music, including what you listen to most and how it's similar or different to the music you play or sing.

Steps to Completing your SIA

1. Complete the Activities (don't forget to take some photos or videos, and keep a record of what you did and learnt)
2. Report back to your Unit
3. Receive your SIA badge

