

Programme Team

Purpose

The District Programme Team helps every section in the District run a safe, enjoyable and high-quality programme. To help do this, they bring Section Team volunteers together with activity experts.

Who's in the team

- Programme Team Leaders
- Programme Team Members
- Team Leaders of any [sub-teams](#) of the District Programme Team - eg. Climbing Sub-Team

Programme Team Members don't need to support a specific Section. Constructing the team in a more flexible way will attract more volunteers, make the most of people's skills and help make sure there are enough people in the team.

Tasks for the whole team

- Help Sections across the District work together.

Allocated tasks

Help Section Teams run high-quality programmes

- Help volunteers with any programme changes, such as new badges and activities, to help young people achieve Top Awards.
- Encourage international trips and activities.
- Support volunteers to include [nights away](#) in their Section's programme.
- Help volunteers gain their [Nights Away Permits](#).
- Organise events for the District when Section Teams decide they're needed.
- Keep an eye out for any learning that'll help Section Teams deliver a fantastic programme. The Volunteering Development Team can then give volunteers opportunities to develop and learn new skills.

Facilitate programme networking opportunities

- Encourage Section Teams to share good practice across the District by creating opportunities to network.

Help Section Teams access expert advice and support

Make sure:

- There are skilled people to support Sections' programmes (in areas that volunteers may not be experts in themselves).
- Sections can access adventurous activities, either through permit holders or external providers.

Approve activities and permits (when delegated by the Lead Volunteer)

- [Visits Abroad](#)
- [Adventurous Activity Permits](#)
- [Nights Away Permits](#)