



UK Contingent Personal Development Award

#UK24WSJPD

The UK Contingent Management Team will deliver a unique international adventure shaped by young people, where contingent members will develop personally and have a positive longer-term impact on Scouting and beyond.

Personal Development Award

All adult members of the UK Contingent are expected to participate by recognising the learning and development they undertake, from accepting their role through to October 2019 when they submit for their award.

Where do I start...

- Check out the [IST PD zone](#).
- Set up your account.
- Look through the Personal Development Tips - there are examples to suit under and over 18s.
- Consider linking a goal to 'The Big Idea' - you could work on something together with other IST members.
- Decide on three goals - you don't have to decide on three all at once.
- Pick someone to assess your progress - it can be a different person for each goal.
- Discuss your goals and agree an action plan.
- Work on the goals and collect evidence.
- Discuss your success with your assessor once you have completed your goal. Ask them to provide confirmation that you have achieved your goal.
- Upload your evidence to your account.





Once you have completed all three of your goals, complete the evidence upload and click “Submit”. Please note you should not click submit until you are ready to complete the Award. When updating your goals click “Save” to update your progress.

As you go along we encourage you to share your success using the **#UK24WSJPD** hashtag on social media.

When can I start?

The IST PD Zone will go live now. Once live you will need to follow the link through to the IST PD Zone.

Should you have any questions about Personal Development you can ask the member of the Contingent Support Team. If you need technical help or if you would like further support, you can contact the team by using the PDZ Help facility on the website.

Enjoy your personal development journey!

Here are a few additional ways you can get involved in PDZ...

Working with the Units

In the ‘Which Hat Fits’ workshop IST’s involvement in working with Units was discussed. Have you thought how working with Units may contribute to your personal development, as well as those of the young people?

- Sharing your skills.
- Helping sign off the Unit members’ and Leaders’ goals.
- Running an event.
- Supporting activities.

One of your goals may be to teach Unit members a new skill. If it is, it would be great if you asked the Unit members to be your assessor. This will model excellent leadership behaviours.





The size of the site has encouraged people to set goals to improve their fitness



Personal development comes in all shapes and sizes



We've all signed up – join us!



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Join in Jamboree Activities

The UK Contingent has designed a Join in Jamboree programme tool to deliver the Jamboree experience through a series of programme activities that can be run with local Sections, for young people of any ages. Over the summer the programme will be distributed to Units.

In the autumn please consider offering to run some events with younger sections alongside Unit members. Your support will help give Unit members the confidence to deliver this exciting programme.

You can also run the programme yourself - either borrow a Unit bag or we will be making the bag content available to download over the summer from the UK Contingent website. We have set a target of facilitating 4,000 events, so your help to do this would be fantastic.

