



## North York Moors National Park Education Service Activities for Uniformed Groups

### Brownies: Out and About Badge

This visit can achieve 4 out of the 5 requirements for this badge:

- Show how to dress for walking and pack a rucksack.
- Go for a walk lasting at least 30 minutes including: how to use a simple map of the area, how to set a map using landmarks, understanding the Green Cross Code, the Countryside Code and the Water Safety Code.
- Take part in a mini-hike.
- Know what precautions you can take against bad weather and being caught in darkness.



On completion of the day each Brownie will be presented with a certificate of merit.

### Activity Day Outline

#### Derek's Day Out (indoor session)

Working in teams, Brownies identify suitable clothing for a walk in the countryside, what to pack in a rucksack and what precautions to take in case of bad weather and being caught in darkness.

#### Map Skills (outdoor session)

Working in the grounds of the Visitor Centre, Brownies learn to set a map to north and follow a simple route. Working in small teams, the Brownies then tackle the Water Safety Code challenge using maps to navigate to hidden signs.

#### Moorland Walk (outdoor session)

As a group, Brownies follow a route on a simple map through woodland, fields and a short section on moorland. Along the way there are quizzes about the Green Cross Code and the Countryside Code.

<b>Duration</b>	3 ½ hours plus a lunch break
<b>Cost</b>	Short day rate per child £5.50 <i>Minimum per group £82.50</i> (all adults free)
<b>Location</b>	The Moors National Park Centre

