

APRO II- CUB SECTION**14 PROGRAMME IDEALS**

	By the time a boy completes the full course of the Cub Programme, he will be able to:
1	Develop habits which lead to good character.
2	Put in efforts of learning directed towards good citizenship.
3	Learn practical Cub skills essential to become a good Scout and a good boy in general.
4	Undertake activities which contribute to his all round development.
5	Do a daily Good turn.
6	Develop fascination for beauties of nature & awareness of God/Dharma.
7	Express himself in creative skills.
8	Collect things of his interest & preserve them properly.
9	Develop a sense of respect for elders, love for youngsters in the family & neighborhood and find ways of such expressions with a spirit of cooperation.
10	Satisfy his needs for adventure.
11	Inculcate a feeling of appreciation for family traditions, be of religious, social or ancestral character and make attempts to follow them.
12	Understand the need of conserving Nature/Environment and public properties.
13	Obey elders and follow their advice even in their absence.
14	Know about his state, people and culture.

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1	2	Cub Pack	(iv) Every Cub Pack shall have a name; where a Cub Pack is a unit of a Group it shall take the name of the group. A group may be named after the locality, an institution or a past hero of India. Every Group shall also have a serial number assigned by the Local or District Association, as the case may be.	Every Cub Pack shall have a name. Where a Cub Pack is a unit of a Group, it shall take the name of the group. A Group may be named after the locality, an institution or any great Personalities (Male) of India; Every Group shall also have a serial number assigned by the Local or District Association, as the case may be.
1	3	Cub Master and Assistant Cub Master:	(i) There shall be a Cub Master for each Cub Pack.	There shall be a Cub Master for each Cub Pack. There may be one or more Assistant Cub Masters for a Cub Pack.
2	4	Qualifications for Cub Master and Assistant Cub Master	(vi) He/She must be a person with special aptitude to deal with children.	He/ She must be a person willing to work with the children of Cub age group between 5 to10 years.
2	5	Uniform for CM/ACM	(iii) Head-Dress:	Beret cap is optional. It is compulsory during all Ceremonies
7	6	The Six System	(iii) Every member of the Six shall wear a shoulder patch of the colour on uniform. Shoulder patch is an equilateral triangular piece of cloth of Six's colour 4 cms a side.	Every member of the Six shall wear a shoulder patch of the colour on uniform. Shoulder Patch is an equilateral triangular piece of cloth of Six's colour with 4 cms sides each.
			(vii) Sixers' Council: Sixers' Council shall consist of the Scouters of the Pack and Sixers; Second may be invited; it shall	Sixers' Council shall consist of the Cub Master, Asst. Cub Masters of the Pack and Sixers. Seconds may be invited. It shall look after the internal affairs of the Cub

			look after the internal affairs of the Cub Pack.	Pack.
8	7	CUB	(i) A Boy who is a citizen of India and who has completed five but not more than 10 years of age is eligible to be registered as a recruit.	A Boy who is citizen of India and has completed five years but not more than ten years of age is eligible to be registered as a Cub Aspirant .
			(iii) PRAVESH Requirements: 1. Be told the first jungle story.	1. Be able to tell the first jungle story. Existing to continue
			Note: (d) The Cub Law is: (i) A Cub give in to the elders. (ii) A Cub is clean and courteous.	(d) Cub Law: i) The Cub is obedient . ii) The Cub is clean and polite .
11	9	Scheme of Advancement of a Cub	(a) A Pravesh Cub is eligible to become a Pratham Charan Cub.	to be deleted
			(b) A Pratham Charan Cub is eligible to become a Dwitiya Charan Cub.	to be deleted
			(c) A Dwitiya Charan Cub is eligible to become a Tritiya Charan Cub.	to be deleted
			(d) A Tritiya Charan Cub is eligible to become a Chaturtha Charan Cub.	to be deleted
			(e) A Chaturtha Charan cub is eligible for Golden Arrow Award Certificate.	to be deleted
			(1) A Boy can be invested as a Cub on completion of five years of age and requirement of the Pravesh Test.	Scheme for Advancement of a Cub 1. A boy can be registered as a Cub Aspirant on completion of five years of age and invested after working for at least three months and completed the requirement of the Pravesh test.
			(2) A Pravesh Cub will work at least for three months to qualify	2. A Pravesh Cub will work at least for three months to qualify

			for Pratham Charan.	for Pratham Charan.
			(3) A Pratham Charan Cub will work at least for three months to qualify for Dwitiya Charan.	3. A Pratham Charan Cub will work for at least three months to qualify for Dwitiya Charan.
			(4) A Dwitiya Charan Cub will work for at least nine months and complete 7 years of age to qualify for Tritiya Charan badge.	4. A Dwitiya Charan Cub will work for at least nine months to qualify for Tritiya Charan.
			(5) A Tritiya Charan Cub will work for at least nine months to qualify for Chaturtha Charan.	5. A Tritiya Charan Cub will work for at least nine months to qualify for Chaturtha Charan.
			(6) After gaining Tritiya Charan a Cub may win any or all other Proficiency Badges.	6. A Chaturtha Charan Cub having earned totally six Proficiency Badges. One badge each in Tritiya Charan and Chaturtha Charan, remaining four badges to be earned from the proficiency badge groups not earned earlier. He may be awarded a special badge called "Golden Arrow" before completing ten years of age.
			(8) From Dwitiya Charan onwards and for Proficiency Badges Training Counsellors will arrange testing.	8. From Dwitiya Charan onwards and for all Proficiency Badges, Training Counsellors will arrange testing.
12	10	Tests for Pratham Charan	5. Practise any two of the following physical activities. (a) Somersault (b) leap frog (c) hopping (d) skipping.	To add: e) Balance walk f) Throw and catch a ball from three meters
			6. Make a collection of ten different leaves, ten flowers and tell the name of each.	Make a collection of five different leaves and flowers. Paste and label them in a scrap book.
			8. Tie a Reef knot and Clove hitch and show their uses.	Know Whipping and tie Reef knot, Clove hitch and learn their uses.
			10. Be able to sing Cub Prayer, National Anthem and Flag song.	10. Be able to sing National Anthem and Flag song.
				11. Be able to tell the Jungle Story up to Kaa's Hunting.
				12. Know Jungle Dance- Baloo and Kaa Dance

				13. Attend at least 8 pack meetings
				14. Be able to tell the name, address and telephone/mobile numbers of their parents.
			<p>Note: On completion of the Tests, a Pravesh Cub shall be awarded the Pratham Charan Badge by the Local Association or the District Association, as the case may be, on the recommendation of the Cub Master. Pratham Charan Badge is a cloth Badge. The background shall be blue in colour and star shall be a five pointed star in white. It shall be worn above the right pocket touching the seam of flap or at the same place on jersey. It shall be worn above the right pocket and above the BSG name stripe touching the seam of flap</p>	<p>a. On completion of the Tests, a Pravesh Cub shall be awarded the Pratham Charan Badge by the Local Association or the District Association, as the case may be, on the recommendation of the Cub Master.</p> <p>b. It shall be worn above the Bharat Scouts and Guides name stripe or at the same place on jersey.</p> <p>c. Pratham Charan Badge is a cloth Badge. The background shall be blue in colour and star shall be a five pointed star in white.</p>
13	11	Tests for Dwitiya Charan	<p>. 9. Demonstrate ANY THREE of the following.</p> <p>(a) Make your own bed daily for at least a month</p> <p>(c) Sow seeds and grow a plant. Growth may be recorded and reported to the Cub Master.</p> <p>(e) Trim, fill, light and put off a hurricane lantern and use and operate dry cell torchlight.</p> <p>10. Follow a trail not less than half a kilometre and not exceeding one kilometre.</p> <p>11. Attend at least eight pack meetings as Pratham Charan.</p>	<p>9-(a) Maintain your own bed daily for at least a month</p> <p>9-c OR Prepare a Bird feeder or a fountain and maintain it for two months.</p> <p>(e) Trim, fill, light and extinguish a hurricane / lantern , light a candle with match box or Know the use of Emergency light and how to charge it.</p> <p>10. Participate in at least two All Faiths Prayer Meetings.</p> <p>11. Participate in Kim's Game.</p> <p>12. Know about Bagheera Dance</p> <p>13. Know about the 3Rs of conservation i.e. Reduce, Recycle and Reuse.</p> <p>14. Follow a trail not less than</p>

				half a kilometre and not exceeding one kilometre. 15. Attend at least eight pack meetings as Pratham Charan Cub.
15	12	Tests for Tiritiya Charan	1. Prepare handicraft, preferably for a disabled child in the locality.	(i) Prepare and present a useful handicraft preferably for a differently Abled person in the locality
			3. Have Knowledge of your village/town regarding availability of Railway, Bus, Medical and Educational Services.	iii) Have knowledge of your village/town regarding nearby Railway Station, Bus Stand, Bank, Post Office, Hospitals, Schools and Colleges
			5. Participate in at least two prayer meetings during the Pack Programme.	To be deleted
			10. Know how to welcome and receive a guest in a social way.	9. a. Know how to welcome and receive a Guest. b. Prepare and serve cold or hot drink. c. Prepare a Greeting Card for a special occasion.
			11. Qualify one of the following Proficiency Badges. (a) Observer (b) Team Player (c) Home Craft (d) Guide	10. Qualify for one of the following Proficiency Badges: (a) Observer (b) Team Player (c) Home Craft (d) Entertainer (e) Guide (f) Computer Awareness
			12. Know the wood craft signs and traffic signs and follow a marked track for one kilometre.	11. a) Know the wood craft signs and traffic signs. b) Know the rules of road safety as a pedestrian and as a cyclist. c) Follow a marked track for one kilometre.
				12. Know Tabaqui Dance
			13. Attend at least 8 pack meetings after Dwitiya Charan.	13. Attend at least 8 pack meetings after Dwitiya Charan
16	13	Tests for Chaturth a Charan	1. Observe a pet animal and take care of it at least for three months.	1. Observe a pet bird or animal and take care of it at least for three months.
			5. Open a small Savings Account Post Office or Bank and know savings of Electricity and drinking water or have knowledge about computer	Open a small savings account in a Post office or a Bank or Plant at least two saplings in your locality and ensure their growth for at least six months.

			6. Participate in a religious function and describe to the Cub Master your experiences.	Participate in a religious function and share your experiences with your Cub Master.
			7. Qualify for one of the following Proficiency Badges not earned earlier. (a) World Conservation (b) First Aider (b) Cyclist (d) Gardener	7. Qualify for one of the following Proficiency Badges not earned earlier. (a) World Conservation (b) First Aider (c) Cyclist (d) Gardener (e) Book Binder (f) Heritage (g) 'Free being me'
			8. Observe for a month a Patrol /Troop at work in the locality and discuss with the Cub Master about your impressions.	8. Observe a Scout Patrol/Troop meeting in your locality for a month and discuss your observations with your Cub Master. OR Collect addresses of five Scouts in the locality and submit to the Cub Master
			11. Gain knowledge and practice simple Yoga in daily life or Collect from the locality addresses of those who are Scouts and hand it over to the Cub Master	Continue or to be deleted
				12. To know from the Cub Master any two bites from Wolf Cub's Hand Book.
				13. Know the Sher Khan Death Dance. 14. Attend at least eight Pack Meetings after qualifying for Tritiya Charan.
			Note : On completion of the tests a Tritiya Charan Cub will be awarded the Chaturtha Charan Badge by Local Association or District Association , as the case may be , on the recommendation of the Training Counsellor or examiner appointed by the Badge Committee who arranged the testing . The Chaturtha Charan	Note: a. On Completion of the tests, a Tritiya Charan Cub will be awarded the Chaturtha Charan Badge by the Local or the District Association as the case may be, on the recommendation of the Training Counsellor or Examiners appointed by the Badge Committee. b. The Chaturtha Charan Badge is a cloth Badge. The back

			Badge will be presented along with a certificate signed by the State Chief Commissioner. Chaturtha Charan Badge is a cloth badge. The background shall be blue in colour containing three five - pointed stars with an arrow below them, all in white. It shall replace on uniform the Tritiya Charan Badge.	ground shall be blue in colour containing three five pointed stars with an arrow below them, all in white. It shall replace Tritiya Charan Badge on uniform. c. The Chaturtha Charan Badge will be presented along with a certificate signed by the State Chief Commissioner
17	14		Cub Proficiency Badges	<u>15. Cub Proficiency Badges</u>
			Group I:, CHARACTER Group III : HANDICRAFT Group V :	Group I Character 6.Free Being Me Group - III - Handicraft 5. Needle Worker Group - V – Conservation and Technology
			A Chaturtha Charan Cub having earned totally six Proficiency Badges covering minimum one Badge from each section of the Proficiency Badge Group will be awarded a special badge called "Golden Arrow". The Badge will be on blue background with golden border with a prominent golden arrow with Bharat Scouts and Guides Emblem in the centre. The Badge will be worn above the right pocket of the shirt.	<u>14. Golden Arrow Badge:</u> a. A Chaturtha Charan Cub having earned totally six Proficiency Badges, one badge each in Tritiya Charan and Chaturtha Charan, remaining four badges to be earned from the proficiency badge groups not earned earlier. He may be awarded a special badge called "Golden Arrow" before completing ten years of age. The Badge will be on blue background with golden border with a prominent golden arrow with Bharat Scouts and Guides Emblem in the centre. The Badge will be worn above the right pocket of the shirt."Golden Arrow" Badge is presented by the President of Bharat Scouts and Guides along with the certificate signed by the National Commissioner
			Golden Arrow: On the recommendation of State Commissioner, National Commissioner who is the final authority to grant the Golden Arrow Badge and Certificate shall	b. The National Commissioner who is the final authority to grant the Golden Arrow Badge and Certificate on recommendations from the State Chief Commissioner. c. The National Commissioner shall issue suitable directives

			<p>issue from time to time suitable directives in respect of Golden Arrow Badge. State Association will organize a re-test camp under the supervision of State Organizing Commissioner (S). A Cub Master who is advanced trained and has a valid warrant will be competent to produce Golden Arrow Cub.</p> <p>A Cub Master who is advanced trained and has a valid warrant will be competent to produce Golden Arrow Cub.</p>	<p>from time to time in respect of Golden Arrow Badge. d. The State Association will organize a re-test camp under the supervision of State Organising Commissioner (S). e. A Cub Master who is an Advanced trained and has a valid warrant will be competent to produce Golden Arrow Cub. f. All Proficiency Badges must be tested by the independent Badge Examiners appointed by the Badge Committee of the Local Association/ Dist. Association and required details should be given in the registration forms as supplied by the National Headquarters. g. Unit Leader is not eligible to work as an independent Badge Examiner of the same unit. h. A Cub should have completed not more than ten years of age at the time of submission of his Golden Arrow registration form to concerned Regional Headquarters. i) There will be no limit for the eligible Cubs to be recommended by the Cub Master from his Unit for the Golden Arrow Badge.</p>
19	Camps for Cubs :	(i) Only a Cub who has earned Pratham Charan Badge and who has completed eight years of age is eligible to camp.	(i) A Cub who has earned Pratham Charan Badge and completed seven years of age only is eligible to attend a camp.	
		(ii) A Cub Pack camp shall not ordinarily last for more than two nights.	(ii) A Cub Pack camp shall not ordinarily last for more than three nights.	
		(iii) A Cub Pack shall normally be conducted in permanent shelter with ample safety measures.	(iii) A Cub Pack camp shall be conducted in permanent shelter/tents with ample safety measures.	
		(iv) No Cub shall camp except with the permission of the parent or guardian.	(iv) In order to regulate proper arrangement for camp/ trek or hike ' permit card ' signed by the Cub Master shall be issued. The concerned District Organising Commissioner shall issue ' permit card' only to the Cub Master, in charge of the Pack.	

			(v) A Cub shall not camp with Scouts.	To be deleted
			(vi) A Cub “not in good health” is not eligible to attend camp.	To be deleted
		Golden Arrow		
			The badge will be worn above the right pocket	

NB: The Hon’ble National Commissioner is authorised to constitute a committee of experts to review the present uniform as per the needs of the young people and submit the final recommendation. These final recommendations may be approved by the National Executive Committee directly

The serial numbers of the rules may be revised and subject sequence to be made at par for all the sections as the case may be.