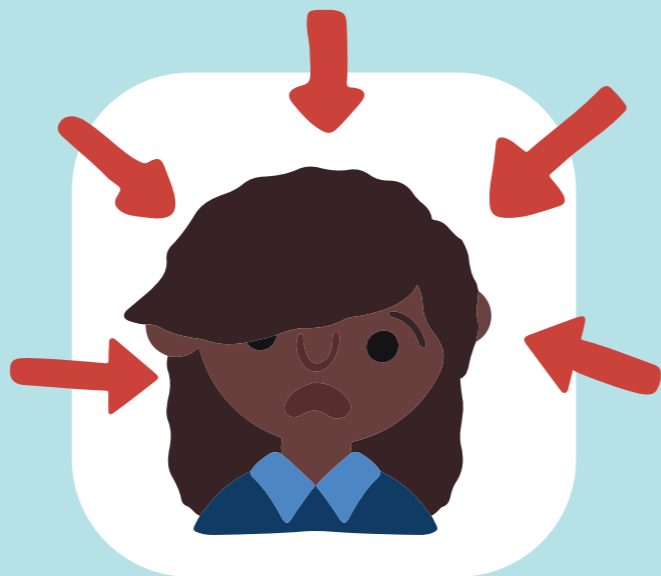


1 - If you do decide to try virtual guiding, ensure you are following Girlguiding's guidelines on how to run safe virtual unit meetings at all times.



2 - Don't feel under pressure! Everyone finds themselves in different circumstances at this time, so only do what you can do and what is feasible and practical for you.



3 - Make sure the activities you choose are adapted to suit everyone - is it likely everyone will have the equipment needed or the space required for the activity?

4 - Scavenger hunts have been a really popular choice for virtual guiding. Scavenger hunts can be for all sorts of items; young members could find the items that are red, or that begin with the letter 'R'.



Top Tips For Virtual Guiding

5 - Don't forget that young members and adults alike can still make their promise virtually - a virtual promise will certainly be one to remember!



6 - You can easily welcome new members to your virtual meetings, just as you would to a meeting held in your normal unit meeting place. We're sure they'd love to join in your virtual fun!

7 - Why not hold a virtual sleepover!

Young members could sleep inside in tents or dens. You could send around a schedule so all participants are doing the same activities at the same time.



8 - Remember that, like you, families will have different commitments at this time, so you may find some young members are unable to join in as much as they would like. Where possible, ensure that any activities you undertake are made available to them so that can complete them in their own time.