

# KING'S BADGE REQUIREMENTS

THE NORTHERN IRELAND BOYS' BRIGADE



## REQUIREMENTS FOR A YOUNG PERSON TO GAIN THE KING'S BADGE AWARD

- This can be awarded from School Year 13 (Year 3 in Seniors).
- Hold the President's Badge.
- Attend a King's Badge candidate's meeting.
- **Participate in Skills-Based Training.**  
Skills-Based Training requires the young person to attend a Skills for King's Badge course. This is delivered centrally by BBNI and is the only course that satisfies this element in Northern Ireland.
- Take responsibility within the BB or Church.
- Provide voluntary service or support to others outside the BB or Church.
- Develop Interests (Skills, Physical, Expedition).
- **Complete 'Faith Journey' element.**  
The faith journey element is completed through the BBNI King's Badge programme. This complements the ongoing faith development within the company programme. Young people will participate in faith journey sessions and receive relevant resources during the Skills for King's Badge & King's Badge Completion courses which are delivered centrally by BBNI. If the faith journey pages within the course booklets are completed there is no requirement for the young person to write a further reflection in the record book.
- **Completion Residential.**  
Young people need to participate in a King's Badge Completion course which is delivered centrally by BBNI. This is the only course that satisfies this element in Northern Ireland. You can register for this course before the record book is complete, and we do offer flexibility to ensure there are no barriers to the award. This may mean completing the residential before the record book is complete. The award will not be issued by BBNI until all elements of the award are complete.
- Record Activity.
- Be an 'Active' member of the BB Company.