



## PLAN! BETTER WORLD CHALLENGE

One of the Sixers, with help, ties a reef knot in a long rope for everyone, in their Sixes, to grab on to and form a circle. The circle represents our world and holding on to the rope equally represents us all, as scouts, making a better world together. Scouter suggests the idea for a 6 week Better World Challenge! What LAND of ADVENTURE would you choose where the land is suffering from the effects of climate change or pollution? Cub Scouts can be asked to suggest a local woodland or beach or river and project ideas to run there. Would they like to plant trees, or vegetables, or do a clean up? See if they can make up an activity using recycled materials. Each is asked to bring in their favourite snack, fruit and vegetable to the next meeting.

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| Week 1 | <b>Sixers &amp; Seconders</b><br>Your Own Plan  | Rope Circle   | All   |
| Week 2 | Find out about:<br><b>Good Food</b> that is low carbon footprint, natural, local, zero packaging!     | Visit a farm or garden, find out where food comes from! Discuss everyone's favourite snack, fruit & veg - which are Good Foods! | Scouters organise<br>Cub Scouts bring in snack/fruit/veg. |
| Week 3 | Find out about:<br><b>Waste</b>   | Activities using recycled materials   | All to bring in recycled materials                        |
| Week 4 | Find out about:<br><b>Leave No Trace</b>  | Hike – Woodland or Beach – clean up and don't even leave footprints!  | Scouters  |
| Week 5 | Find out about:<br><b>Our Community</b><br>Work with a community group to plant trees, clean up, etc. | Visit a natural woodland.<br>Tree or Vegetable Planting.<br>Or Wildlife hike.<br>Or Foraging hike.                              | Scouters  |
| Week 6 | Review &<br><b>Celebrate</b> - What have we learnt?   | Celebrate with a Good Food cooking challenge!<br>Present awards!  | All   |



**DO!**

Finalise your own plan with your own Cub Scouts' ideas and circumstances and go do it! Work in the Sixes as much as possible – and ensure the Sixers plan and run an activity.

The Plastic, Paper, Metal, Other game is essentially North, South, East, West but with Cub Scouts taking turns to sort a crate of recycling into bins in each corner! The Sixers & Scouters will come up with better activity ideas based on using recyclable materials – make a cardboard tunnel/maze, or play the 'lift the cereal box with your teeth' challenge?

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| Week 1 |  |  |  |
| Week 2 |  |  |  |
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| Week 4 |  |  |  |
| Week 5 |  |  |  |
| Week 6 |  |  |  |



# EPIC CHIEF SCOUT'S CHALLENGE 25/26 ENVIRONMENT

Tie in with EPIC? Have we completed and logged a challenge?

Which **LAND of ADVENTURE** would you choose?



# REVIEW!

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|  | <b>SOCIAL</b>       | <b>Working together</b>                                       |
|  | <b>PHYSICAL</b>     | <b>Out and about in the Outdoors</b>                          |
|  | <b>INTELLECTUAL</b> | <b>Learning about making a Better World</b>                   |
|  | <b>CHARACTER</b>    | <b>It's hard work to do things right for the Environment!</b> |
|  | <b>EMOTIONAL</b>    | <b>Caring for Our World!</b>                                  |
|  | <b>SPIRITUAL</b>    | <b>A good Cub Scout makes a good world for All</b>            |



**Plan and run an activity!**



**Help other Cub Scouts to learn!**



**Help out with an activity!**



## Chief Scout Award

**Work on an Environment Special Interest badge**