WORLD BOX - 1929 - UNITED KINGDOM

Theme – Coming of Age

Activity – Scotch Puzzle

What you need

- Paper
- Pens or Pencils
- Scissors
- Scotland Puzzle Sheet (use the link below to download)

Join in the Jamboree

The Third World Scout Jamboree was held in Upton, Merseyside. As it celebrated the 21_{st} birthday of Scouts, it is known as the 'Coming of Age' Jamboree. Although the UK has hosted the World Scout Jamboree four times, these have all been held in England. With over 50,000 Scout members in Scotland, the biggest mountain in the UK (Ben Nevis) and giant lakes like Loch Ness use this activity to see how many times this small country can be squeezed into other European countries. Download the puzzle sheet here.

(If you can't print it you can do this activity by viewing the puzzle on a computer screen).

- 1. Cut out the outlines of Scotland from the second page of the 'Scotland's size' puzzle sheet.
- Locate Scotland on the puzzle sheet and colour it in.
 How big is Scotland compared to Wales, England and Northern Ireland?
- Use the Scotland cut outs to work out how many Scotlands fit into other countries. Which country fits the most Scotlands and which are too small to fit one Scotland? Which countries are close in size to Scotland – are these far to travel to?
- 4. How many islands does Scotland have (count them on the map)?

Reflection:

Does Scotland's shape mean that it looked smaller or bigger than it really is? Use the internet to do some research about Scouting in other small Countries. Have you discovered anything that is different about Scouting in other places around the world?

Safety Notes:

Scissors / Sharp Objects: Supervise young people appropriately when they're using scissors. Store all sharp objects securely, out of the reach of young people.

Online Access: Supervise young people when they're online and give them advice about staying safe.



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