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Morse Code Name Key-Chains 1. Tie the string to the ring. 2. Begin threading your beads using the Morse Code chart. Make sure you put a clear spacer bead between each letter 3. When done, tie a knot in the end to keep the beads on. Hint – wrap a tiny piece of tape tightly around the end if the string to prevent fraying	 String Keychain rings Coloured Round & long Beads Clear beads Morse code charts 	Joey to Scouts
Where in the World Put a pin in the world map based on the location of the person you have talked with	 Corkboard Pins A large Printed Map 	All
Semaphore Flags Youth members use red and yellow flags to send messages to each other over a distance, this activity requires two sites within visual range of each other See Page 18 for Printout	 Sets of semaphore flags (can be handmade) Semaphore Printout 	All
Sign Language Learn to sign a set of common phrases in your country's sign language or learn to sign something important to Scouting, e.g., promise or law. For example, the Australian Scout promise in Auslan here, <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G27e5yG-sng</u> Or Auslan emergency signs <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=keAfBqGcNLw</u>	 Internet and a device to play a video on or A person who knows fluent sign language 	All
Emergency Dispatch This activity must have two sites which can't be seen by each other.A crash site is randomly placed on the 'dispatchers' map. The dispatcher has a UHF and acts as the ambulance which is placed on the map at random. The drivers get traffic and roadblocks added to their map and a random start location. The dispatchers first task is to find where the ambulance is then they need to direct the drivers to the scene of the accident	 UHF radios 2 maps Crash vehicles (Aka toy cars) "roadblocks" 	Cubs to Scouts



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 String Phones Cut a small slit on the bottom of each paper cup. Tie a knot with the string at one end of the paper clip. Repeat #2 with the other end of the string. Stick the paper clips in the small holes at the bottom of the paper cups. Grab the other ends of the paper clips and pull the paper clips and string through. Have your kids take each paper cup and walk away from each other until the string the taut. Have one youth put the paper cup to his/her ear while the other softly speaks into his/her paper cup 	 String or yarn 2 paper clips 2 disposable cups (Paper or Plastic) Makes one set of string phones for 2 people to use 	Joeys & Cubs
Metal Detector Tarp Use a metal detector to find where metal is hidden under tarp with a grid on it. Fill in a worksheet showing where the metal is	• Tarp • Metal Detector • Scrap metal • Paper	Joeys to Scouts
Battleship Either the board game or as an activity, where you hang a tarp and draw a similar grid on either side (spaces large enough for chairs). Players take a chair and sit in it on a grid spot. Each side takes turns calling out a Grid coordinate – if the other side has a player sitting there, that player "sinks" (normally with great acting). Last team with player's wins	• Tarp • Chairs OR • The Board Game	Joeys to Scouts
Break the Code Decipher a code. Put your entry in the tub to win a prize See Pages 19-24 for examples of ciphers and codes		Joeys & Cubs
Keyboard Jigsaw Place all the loose keyboard keys back as quickly as possible	• Any Broken Keyboard	Joeys & Cubs
Code Wheel Each person gets a worksheet - Cut out the circles on the sheet (Explain how the code works as they do this) - Use a split pin to pierce the 2 circles in the middle (as close as possible!!) and pin together - Get them to work out the code [Answer = Joey Scouts] - Use other codes and worksheets if there is time	 Split pins Code Wheels Scissors 	Joeys & Cubs
See Page 20 for Printout		



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Geographically Misplaced A pair of patrols are separated, with each given a map (without Lat/Long ideally), and a UHF radio. One team is given a location on a map and is required to communicate it to the other one only using features on the map. You can also do this with multiple patrols if you have the UHF's for it and make it a race to figure out where the location is. A variation of this is to give a team a point to navigate the other team to, and they can move a marker or figure on the map until they reach this point	• A set of UHF's • Mud Map • Marker or a Toy Car/ figure	Any
Radio Whispers This game is Chinese Whispers using UHF - give each pair of scouts a pair of channels they can communicate on (they can't say these to others). Ask them to get a message of your choice to a set person in the group	• A set of UHF radios	Joeys, Cubs & Scouts
GeoGuesser* https://www.geoguessr.com/ *Note you need an account and only get so many free games	InternetDevice	Any
Explore international cuisine / foods https://www.easy-kids-recipes.com/international- recipes.html	InternetDevice	Any
Match the Badge/Uniform Print several badges/uniforms and flags from around the world.The aim is to match the international scout/guide badge to the country.	• Internet • Device	Any
Say "Hello" in multiple languages https://www.bigheartworld.org/activity/hello-around-the- world/ You could also print this out	InternetDevice	Any
Kahoot Any Kahoot you can find or make in advance. We suggest this one about Scouts Australia, by Tim Unidam, I st Balcombe Heights: https://create.kahoot.it/share/scouts-australia-intro-to- scouting/535c8a44-9d97-4430-a0bc- d778046e0943?fbclid=IwAR32zAOjuBtRf06XaktXDSysvGQI QcFpuvk9A2wGWRQyzGy4MqJ1he9OJqc	• Internet • Devices	Any



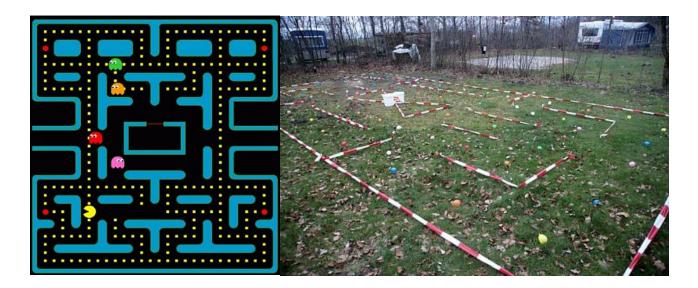
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Learn scout songs from around the world* <u>https://www.mamalisa.com/?song_type=Scout+Song&t=e_typ</u> <u>e&id=553</u> _*which section is dependent on the group and song in question	• Internet • Device	Any
Computer Deconstruction Remove the battery from any broken computer, and let the kids take it apart. If you can, talk through the components and how they work. If not, ask if anyone can (you might be surprised)	 Any broken computer Screwdriver Box for screws 	Joeys & Cubs
Scout Scarf Scouts all learn about their group scarf and then share this with others online and via radios - a great conversation starter!	• Scarf	Any
Build a Radio Tower Build a tower to hold an antenna or person who is going to send some sort of signal, Youth members may be asked to design the structure with aid from the radio operator if you have one	• Staves • Rope • Radio gear	Scout Venturer Rover Leader
Charades One person tries to act out a word without speaking. You can either pre-generate a set of words and cards, or use a website like <u>https://randomwordgenerator.com/charades.php</u>	• Imagination	Any
Phonetic Alphabet Sometimes when speaking on the radio, it is difficult to understand the other person. There may be interference or the other person's accent may be strong. In these instances, it helps to spell important words. The trouble is that many letters sound the same – Like 'C; 'B' 'D' and 'V'. To make things clearer, we use whole words to stand for each letter - this is called the Phonetic Alphabet. Get youth members to spell their name or recite a sentence using Phonetic alphabet See Pages 25 & 26 for Phonetic Alphabet Print-outs	• Printout	Any
Morse Code with Light Use Morse code to send signals with light to each other over a distance. This activity requires two sites within visual range of each other See Pages 23 & 24 for Morse Code Print-outs	• Torches • Morse Code Sheet	Cubs, Scouts & Venturers

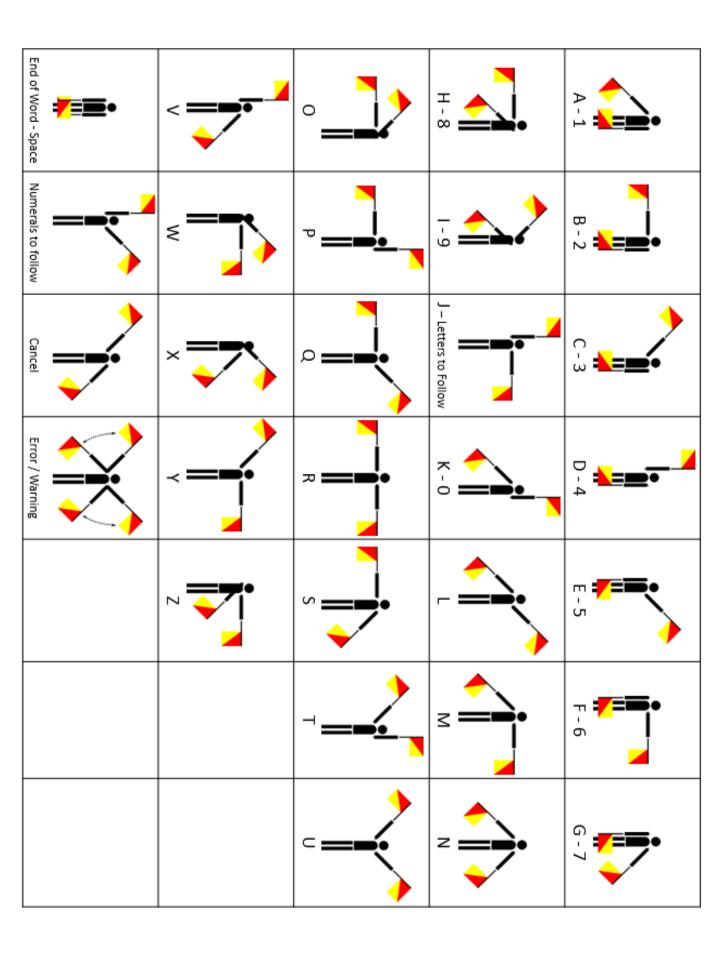


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Geocaching Either use set co-ordinates for existing caches or hidden objects, or set a course yourself. Normally you use a GPS, but you could also use a compass & map https://www.geocaching.com/play	• Geocaching App	Any
Minefield Using handheld radios, a blindfolded group is guided around an obstacle course by a sighted person that must stay outside the course and not touch the blindfolded group	• Radio gear	Any
FM Fox hunt / RDF Hide an FM fox transmitter (Kit from electronics shop) and have the Scouts find it using an FM radio receiver. The signal and sound will get stronger as they get closer. The fox can be stationary or moving but it is recommended that the fox be moved each session to prevent the youth from giving the location away to others	 Fox receiver Fox Transmitter 	Cub to Rover
Lego puzzle The game is played with 2 patrols or individuals. Each team is given an identical set of Lego and a radio. One team builds (the builder) and another copies the model (the copier). The builder makes a small object from the Lego blocks and the copier tries to recreate it. This may sound very easy, but they can't see each other! Using the walkie talkie, the builder gives instructions to the copier telling him where the next Lego brick should go. Do they both look the same when finished? When they have finished, swap roles so both experience the difficulties of the other role	• Lego • Handheld Radio	Any
Lego Flags Challenge youth to make flags from around the world with Lego bricks. You will need to consider what colour bricks are needed, you will likely need both basic bricks and plates in most colours, but especially blue, red, white, and green	 Printout of world flags Lego 	Any
Instructions to make Lego flags: https://frugalfun4boys.com/lego-world-flags/		



Activity	Resource	Section
 The Three Monkeys Teams of three race to complete tasks, but there is a twist One person can see but cannot speak One person can see the first person and talk but can't hear One person can hear but is blindfolded Have a range of activities to be completed, e.g. putting up a tent, tying a new knot, making pancakes, building a tower etc. 	• Blind folds • Earmuffs	Scouts to Rovers
Radio Pacman This game is another where pairs give each other instructions using a walkie talkie. It resembles the old computer game Pacman. SET UP: Set up a maze-like field using coloured tape which resembles a simple Pacman maze. In Pacman there are also dots. In the game these are represented by water balloons. The idea is that 2 or 3 teams play against each other. One member of each team is blindfolded and is given a bucket and a walkie talkie with headphone or earpiece. Each team should be guided through the maze and 'eat' as many dots as possible (put the balloons in the bucket) They may not cross the lines. Just like a real Pacman but without the monster to eat you up	 Blind folds Bucket Water balloons Tape Tent pegs Handheld Radios for each team with an earpieces 	Cubs to Rover





Caesar Shift Cipher



The Caesar Shift cipher is one of the oldest but simplest ciphers out there. It substitutes one letter for another in the alphabet, corresponding to a specific shift up or down the alphabet.

Assembling your cipher wheel

- I. Print out the wheels found on Page 20 and cut them out.
- 2. Use something (e.g. a pencil/pen) to poke the holes in the middle of both wheels.
- 3. Place the smaller wheel on top of the larger wheel and use a split pin to connect the two together. Make sure the wheels can rotate freely!

Encrypting a message using the cipher wheel

- I. Write out your message normally.
- 2. Pick a number between 1 to 26. This corresponds to the 'new' letter of the alphabet. For example, 1=A, 2=B, 3=C, and so on.
- 3. Turn the small wheel until the 'A' on the larger wheel is aligned with the chosen number (e.g. if you picked 25, the 'A' should be aligned with 'Y').
- 4. Encode your message by writing it out with the newly aligned letters from the larger wheel. For example, HELLO written with 25 is FCNNM.

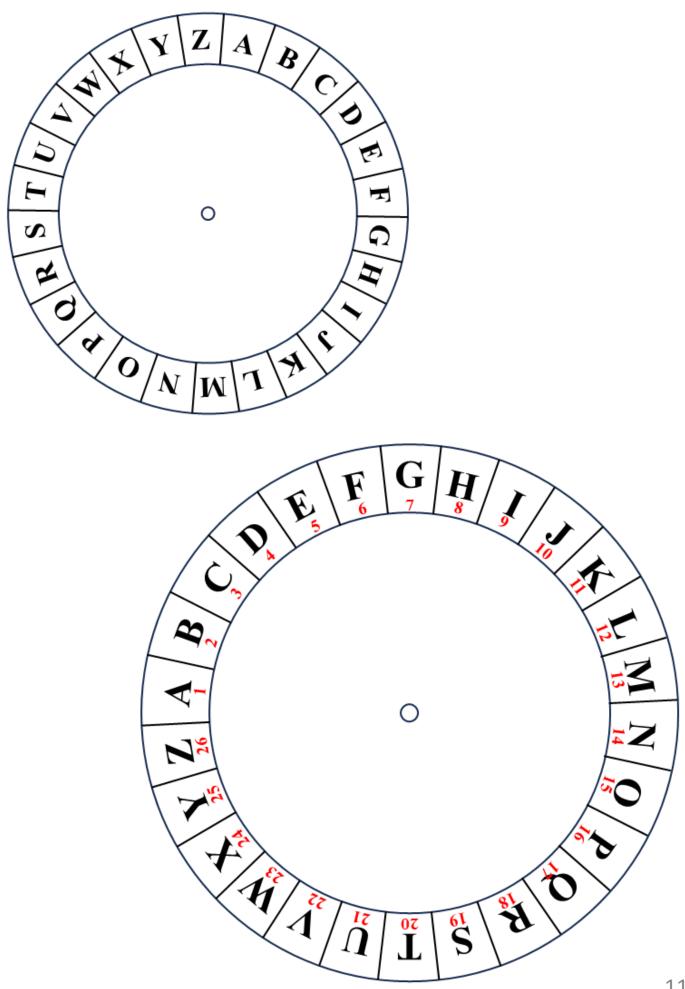
Deciphering a message using the cipher wheel

- 1. Deciphering starts in the reverse of the encrypting process. You will need to know what encoding number was used so you can properly align your cipher wheel. Otherwise, it will take a lot of trial and error!
- Turn the small wheel so that the encoding number is aligned to the correct letter. A
 paperclip may be handy to help make sure the wheels don't move whilst decoding your
 message.
- 3. To decode the message, find the letters from the encrypted message on the larger wheel and write down the aligned letter from the smaller wheel. So, the word TQXXA encrypted with the number 13 would be decrypted to say HELLO.

For Bonus Points try to decode the following ciphers



- I. lwt qthi kxtl rdbth puitg iwt wpgsthi raxbq
- 2. Nby afilcym iz u giohnuch wugizcly uly zul alyunyl nbuh gus vy aoymmyx.... lhy wuh guey u xus iz uhs mcty, uhx lyaofuny nby lcmcha uhx mynncha iz nbycl iqh moh uhx nby vlcabnhymm iz cnm mbchcha
- 3. Lw lv wkdw udqjh ri elrglyhuvlwb wkdw zh pxvw fduh iru wkh zkroh wklqj udwkhu wkdq mxvw rqh ru wzr vwduv." Gdylg Dwwhqerurxjk
- 4. "Tvitevi jsv Xvsyfpi, Qeoi mx Hsyfpi" Xieq Vsgoix, Tsoiqsr
- 5. "Kyrk dzxyk yrmv r cfk kf uf nzky zk, slk pfl befn, Z gifsrscp ufe'k jyfn wvri, slk Z jlwwvi wifd wvri czbv vmvipfev vcjv." Jkvmv Zinze





AtBash Cipher

The AtBash cipher encrypts messages by substituting letters with the reverse alphabet. See below for the full code:

A = Z	B = Y	C = X	D = W	E = V	F = U	G = T
H = S	I = R	J = Q	K = P	L = 0	M = N	N = M
0 = L	P = K	Q = J	R = I	S = H	T = G	U = F
	V = E	W = D	X = C	Y = B	Z = A	

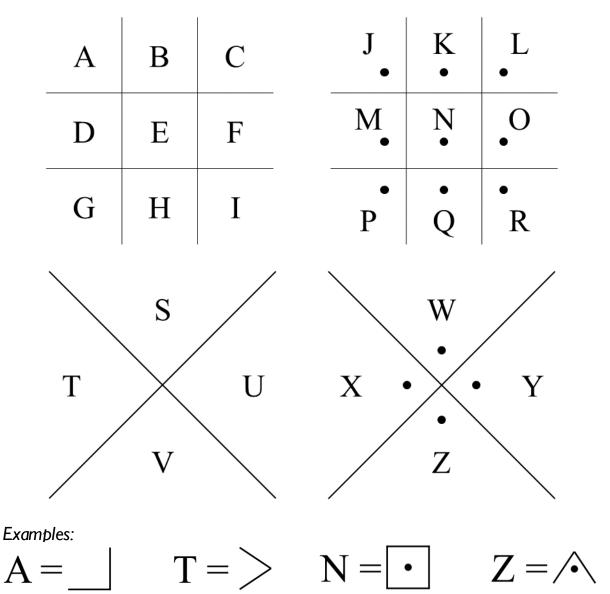
E	ncrypting a message using Atbash	A = Z
١.	Write out your message normally.	$\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{Y}$
2.	For each letter, swap it to the inverse letter using the table above and write down your, now encrypted, message.	$\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{X}$
		$\mathbf{D} = \mathbf{W}$
D	eciphering a message using Atbash	$\mathbf{E} = \mathbf{V}$
١.	Use the table above to find the inverse letter in your encrypted message.	$\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{U}$
2.	Write it out to decode the text.	G = T
		H = S
Δ	tbash Ciphers to Decode and Answer	I = R
	DSZG SZH Z SVZW ZMW Z GZRO YFG ML YLWB?	J = Q
1.	DSZG SZE Z SVZVV ZENVV Z GZRO FRG METEVVB:	K = P
2.	DSZG RH UFOO LU SLOVHYFG HGROO SLOWH DZGVI?	L = O
		$\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{N}$
3.	GSVIV RH LMOB LMV DLIW IM GSV WRXPGRLMZIB GSZG RH HKVOOVW DILMT DSZG RH RG?	N = M
		O = L
4.	DSZG DLIW YVTRMH DRGS V ZMW VMWH DRGS VYFG LMOB SZH	$\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{K}$
	LMV OVGGVI?	Q=J
5	RG YVOMTH GL BLFYFG BLFI UIVMWH FHV RG NLIV DSZG RH RG?	$\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{I}$
J.		S = H
	R	T = G
		$\mathbf{U} = \mathbf{F}$
		$\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{E}$
		W = D
		$\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{C}$
		$\mathbf{Y} = \mathbf{B}$
		$\mathbf{Z} = \mathbf{A}$

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Pigpen Cipher

The Pigpen cipher converts the letters in the encoding message into symbols consisting of a grid with or without dots.

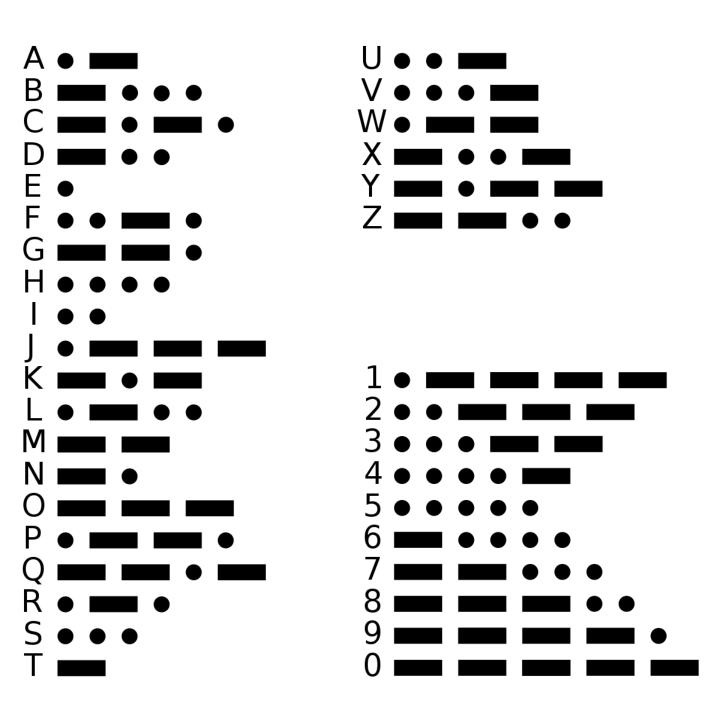


Try to encode your name, your group and favourite colour!

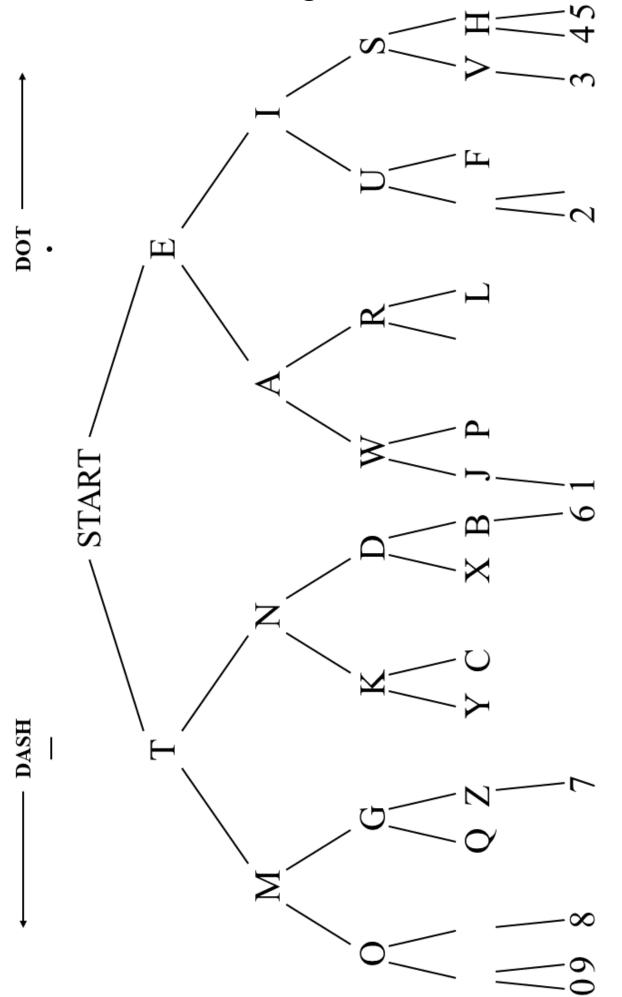
Try to decode: VLC<>V 「V 」VOVCOO 」」」」して「OO CC >ПО 「O>OFOO> 」」>」 ПОĿ JV VLC<>V 」OO J<FOOV LCOOOL>

International Morse Code

- 1. The length of a dot is one unit.
- 2. A dash is three units.
- 3. The space between parts of the same letter is one unit.
- 4. The space between letters is three units.
- 5. The space between words is seven units.



Morse Code Decoder Diagram



Phonetic Alphabet

A	Alpha	N	November
В	Bravo	0	Oscar
С	Charlie	Р	Рара
D	Delta	Q	Quebec
E	Echo	R	Romeo
F	Foxtrot	S	Sierra
G	Golf	Т	Tango
н	Hotel	U	Uniform
I	India	V	Victor
J	Juliet	W	Whiskey
К	Kilo	X	X-Ray
L	Lima	Y	Yankee
Μ	Mike	Z	Zulu



 $_{20}$ Communications Services, Public Diplomacy Division, NATO HQ, Brussels, Beighum – NATO 2018 $\odot 0.9 \odot$ Phonetic transcription is based on English pronunciation.







Answer Sheet



Caesar Shift Cipher

Q1. The best view comes after the hardest climb

Q2. The glories of a mountain campfire are far greater than may be guessed.... One

can make a day of any size, and regulate the rising and setting of their own sun and the brightness of its shining

Q3. It is that range of biodiversity that we must care for - the whole thing - rather than just one or two stars." David Attenborough

Q4. "Prepare for Trouble, Make it Double" Team Rocket, Pokemon

Q5. "That might have a lot to do with it, but you know, I probably don't show fear,

but I suffer from fear like everyone else." Steve Irwin

AtBash Cipher

Q1. What has a head and a tail but no body?

A: A coin

Q2. What's full of holes but still holds water?

A: A sponge.

Q3. There's only one word in the dictionary that's spelled wrong. What is it?

A: The word "wrong."

Q4. What word begins with E and ends with E, but only has one letter?

A: Envelope.

Q5. It belongs to you, but your friends use it more. What is it?

A: Your Name

Pigpen Cipher

- QI. Scouts is awesome
- Q2. Jamboree of the internet
- Q3. Jota helps scouts and guides connect

Answer Sheet : Guess the Emoji Phrase



Ruth Bader Ginsberg

Guess the Movie	Guess the Fast Food	Guess the Celebrity
Q1. The Little Mermaid	Q26. KFC	Q51. Chris Evans
Q2. Indiana Jones	Q27. McDonalds	Q52. Ruth Bader Ginsberg
Q3. Elemental	Q28. Dominos	Q53. Taylor Swift
Q4. Spider-Man	Q29. Subway	Q54. C3PO
Q5. Peter Pan	Q30. Starbucks	Q55. Sonic the Hedgehog
Guess the Band	Guess the TV Show	Guess the Superhero
Q6. The Beatles	Q31. Bluey	Q56. Superman
Q7. Queen	Q32. Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles	Q57. Buzz Lightyear
Q8. Imagine Dragons	Q33. SpongeBob Square Pants	Q58. Quick Silver
Q9. Wiggles	Q34. The Simpsons	Q59. Iron Man
Q10. One Direction	Q35. Tom and Jerry	Q60. Spider-Man
Guess the Video	Guess the Holiday	
Game	Q36. Halloween	
QII. Mario	Q37. Christmas	
Q12. Minecraft	Q38. New Years Eve	
Q13. Candy Crush	Q39. Easter	
Q14. Fortnite	Q40. Valentine's Day	
Q15. Rocket League	Guess the Job	
Guess the Country	Q41. Vet	
Q16. Greenland	Q42. Zookeeper	
Q17. Japan	Q43. Lumberjack	
Q18. France	Q44. Cashier	
Q19. Brazil	Q45. Movie Director	
Q20. Australia	Guess the Animal	
Guess the Song	Q46. Red Panda	
Q21. We Are Never Ever Ever Getting Back	Q47. Peacock Spider	
Together	Q48. Galapagos Tortoise	
Q22. Нарру	Q49. Zebra	
Q23. Happy Birthday	Q50. Narwhal	
Q24. Yellow		

Q25. Good Luck Babe



Conversation starters Remember these are starters, not questions to answer, the goal is to talk and make friends not to fill in a bunch of random questions Where are you from? What languages do you speak? When and where was your first scout/guide camp? What colour is your group scarf? What is your favourite scouting/guiding activity? Do you have a favourite badge? How would you describe yourself in 3 words? What is a typical food of your country? If you could travel anywhere in the world right now, where would you go? Do you have a favourite Scout/Guide song or dance? What are the names of the different Scouting/Guiding sections in your country? What is a game your Scouts/Guides like to play? What is your Patrol Name? What are your leaders' names? Do they have a special Scouting/Guiding name? What is the most recent camp or activity you have been on? What is the longest hike you have ever been on? How do you say the Scout/Guide promise in your language? How many countries have you been in contact with over JOTA - JOTI? Do you play any sports? Do you play a musical instrument? What is your favourite camp food? What is the furthest you have travelled to go to a camp? What is something you never want to do again? Tell me about something you want to try but have never had the chance to.

If you could have any superpower, what would it be and why?

If you could travel in time, would you go to the future or back to the past?

What is your favourite game?

Tell me about your favourite fictional character?



Hello, my name is ______ I'm a Joey/Cub/Scout/Guide from _____ Group/Unit.

I. What is your name and where are you from?

(Pick 2 more questions from the conversation starters list!)

2.

3.

Name	Group	Country	Something I learnt about them

