

The Scout Law According to COVID-19

An Interpretation of the Scout Law for the Pandemic

A Scout is

Trustworthy

Scouts conduct themselves in ways which help prevent the spread of the virus to themselves, their families, fellow Scouts, and the community. Scouts answers screening questions truthfully.

Loyal

Scouts are faithful to their family, friends, and unit. They find ways to support their favorite local businesses and professions.

Helpful

Scouts aid others who may not be able to venture outside their homes or who cannot meet their own needs.

Friendly

Scouts seek to understand and respect those whose ideas and practices are different from their own.

Courteous

Scouts practice social distancing and wear masks when requested or required to help prevent disease.

Kind

Scouts go out of their way to be of service to others in need, especially the elderly and people at high risk.

Obedient

Scouts willingly follow the rules set up by the city and state, their church, school, and family to help prevent infection of themselves and others.

Cheerful

Scouts always smile even though a mask may hide it. Scouts find ways to bring pleasure to those who are quarantined or unable to do daily tasks.

Thrifty

Scouts do not hoard essential items. Scouts can make or encourage donations to worthy charities. Scouts can create, collect, or distribute masks and other needed materials.

Brave

Scouts can face fears of the virus and the uncertainties of what lies ahead. Scouts maintain a positive attitude and help others to envision a brighter future.

Clean

Scouts wash their hands often and keep common use items sanitized.

Reverent

Scouts offer their prayers and condolences to those who are suffering and to all those who are affected by this pandemic.