

Once your friend or Buddy has completed the Cub Scout Membership Award they can be invested and you can be presented with your Buddy Badge at the same time.

The Badge is worn on the right sleeve below the Group Awards.



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## Buddy Badge



Do you enjoy being a Cub Scout?

Do you want to share the fun with a friend?

Name \_\_\_\_\_



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### **What is a Buddy Badge?**

The Buddy Badge is a badge you can gain for bringing a new friend of Cub Scout age to the Pack, or for looking after a new Beaver Scout who is linking to the Cub Scouts. You have to help them settle in, and gain the Cub Scout Membership Award and become invested.

How many Buddy Badges can I earn?  
Up to 4

### **How do I start?**

Choose a friend, and ask Akela which would be the best night to bring your friend along, or if you would like to 'Buddy' a Beaver Scout ask Akela to pair you up with someone.

### **What do I do now?**

Together with your Buddy do the following:

At the first meeting help them settle in by:

- Showing them around your meeting place (don't forget the toilets and where to hang their coats).

Showing them what to do in

- Ceremonies like the Grand Howl and flag break
- Introduce them to the Sixers, your six and the leaders.

With a Leaders help them to learn:

- The Cub Scout Promise.
- The Cub Scout Law.
- The Salute, Handshake and Scout Sign.
- Tell them about the different badges have earned and what you did to get them.

Tick each box when you have completed the task