

Membership Requirements on Camps and Residentials

A minimum of 2 current full members must be present and in charge of any Woodcraft Folk camp, centre or hostel visit or other event or activity that includes an overnight stay by young people aged 17 and under. There should always be more Full Members than other adults.

The recommended minimum ratio for adults accompanying Elfin and Pioneers is 1:5 for groups of up to 30 children; and for adults accompanying Venturers shall be 1:8 up to groups of 32 young people.

If members require further advice or guidance in respect of particular events or activities they should contact Head Office.

The full members in charge of the event or activity have supervisory responsibility for any people who are not full members who attend and co-supervisory responsibility for each other. Those in charge of an event or activity should make all other members and non members attending an event or activity aware of the Woodcraft Folk's Child Protection Policy and the procedures.

Adults aged 18 or over and who are not full members may accompany camps, centre and hostel visits and any other Woodcraft Folk trips that involve young people staying away from home overnight at the discretion of the organisers. Each non-full member staying overnight must complete a standard declaration and hand it to a designated organiser to be counter-signed and filed for a calendar month after the completion of the event. Individuals holding a current CRB/S Disclosure are invited to show it to the designated organiser.

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