



Uniform Handbook **Wearing Headgear**

The Association Headquarters revises the following content of the Uniform Handbook to state clearly to Scout members the principles relating to the wearing of headgear.

Page 96, Section 3.3 "HEADGEAR, HAT/CAP BADGES AND SHOULDER BADGES"

1) "WEARING OF HEADGEAR"

- Point 2 is revised to
"Headgear shall be worn in the following circumstances:
 - When outdoors;
 - When participating in an indoor ceremony of investiture, reaffirming the Scout Promise, flag-raising, flag break, flag-lowering and flag presentation."
- Point 3 is revised to
"Headgear shall be removed when at religious ceremonies or funerals."

2) "Overview"

- Point 6 is revised to "Leaders-in-charge of Scout units should take into account the onsite environment, including whether the activity is indoors or outdoors, the weather conditions, the safety issues of their Scout members, and/or other special circumstances when undertaking activities in uniform and should flexibly arrange for them to wear or to temporarily remove their headgear during such activities."

The updated Uniform Handbook and "Frequently Asked Questions-Wearing Headgear" have been uploaded to the Association's website at <https://www.scout.org.hk/uniformhandbook>.



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