

"Scouting helps by giving Scouts with disabilities an opportunity to prove to themselves and to others that they can do things- and difficult things too- for themselves." ~ Lord Baden-Powell,
Founder of the Scouting Movement

Important BSA Publications

Scouting for Youth with Disabilities info Sheet

<https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/specialneedsinformationsheet.pdf>

Scouts With Special Needs & Disabilities

<https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/510-071.pdf>

Guide to Advancement 2021

<https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/33088.pdf>

Individual Scout Achievement Plan

https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/512-936_WB.pdf

Scan the QR code to Access
BSA Alamo Area Council's
Disability services page



Scouting

With Special Needs



Pack 537

Alamo Area Council



Since its founding in 1910, the Boy Scouts of America has included fully participating members with physical, intellectual, and developmental disabilities. The BSA's policy is to treat Scouts equally and with respect. The BSA strives to make accommodations in advancement if necessary. By adapting the environment and/or our instruction methods, Scouts with disabilities can be successful in Scouting

Examples of conditions discussed in the Guide to Advancement & that, if severe, may be criteria that qualify an individual for registration beyond the age of eligibility include the following:

1. Developmental
 2. Emotional
 3. Deaf or Hard of Hearing
 4. Learning Disability
 5. Intellectual Disability
 6. Physical Disability
 7. Blind or Low Vision
 8. Multiple Disabilities
- Guide to Advancement 2021, 10.1.0.1

When knowledgeable parents, guardians, or volunteers are able to provide assistance and oversight, almost anyone can be a member. Guide to Advancement 2021, Section. 10.0.0.0

Parents!

It is very important to have parent participation, and even more so when you are dealing with Scouts with disabilities.

Parents will be able to provide knowledge and support to Adult Leaders regarding their Scout's disability and needs.

PARENTS...Remember that you are helping your Scout grow. Find a way to help the Pack and allow your Scout to show what they can do.

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