



# WHAT3WORDS CHALLENGE



## ▶▶ GETTING INTO THE ACTIVITY

Take on a navigation challenge using the mobile app 'What3Words'. Part of the 'Go Wild' Challenge.

What3Words is an app which breaks the world into 3 metre squares, giving each square it's own unique set of three words. Use one of the below activities for your What3Words Challenge.

**10 Locations:** A leader should find 10 locations, all that are within walking distance. Use the What3Words app to find the location's 3-word phase. Give these 10 What3Words locations to the groups. Their challenge is to use the app to find each location, map them out and decide on the quickest route to visit all 10. Groups must get a photo at each location. The quickest team to get around wins.

**Treasure Hunt:** Split into groups and stagger departures by 5 minutes. Give the groups the first 3 words location and a question to answer when they arrive (i.e. what does the sign say at this location or what is the house name?). Once a group have arrived and found the answer they should text it to a central phone. If correct, the group can then be texted the next location and question / challenge to complete. The quickest group to complete the treasure hunt is the winner.

This activity is part of the 'Go Wild' Challenge, encouraging young people to get outdoors and adventurous. Check out all the challenges and how to achieve Bronze, Silver and Gold awards by heading to <https://boys-brigade.org.uk/go-wild>



## WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- Mobile Phone
- What3Words App
- Map



## KEEPING EVERYONE SAFE

Maintain social distancing as required. All activity must be supervised. The route should ideally avoid any major roads. Whilst the activity is a race, care should always be taken when moving about, particularly when crossing roads.