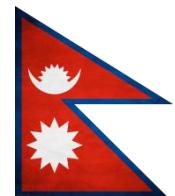


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ABOUT ME.



1. Year 11 student at Beaumont School.
2. Young leader at a local rainbows group.
3. Represented Girlguiding UK at a Westminster thanksgiving ceremony.
4. I'm on a Girlguiding education board.
5. I took part in Camp CEO!

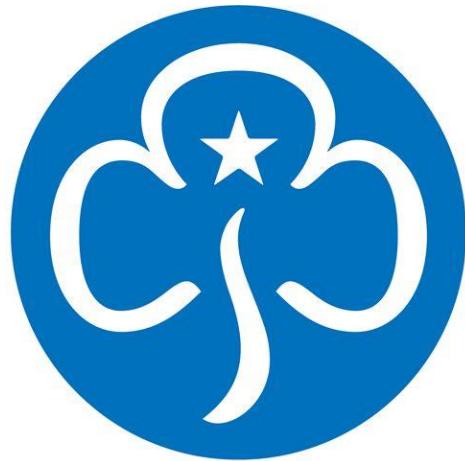


NEPAL

In July I will be going to Nepal with Girlguiding and Projects abroad to paint a local school and orphanage. As well as doing some sightseeing and trekking!



GIRLGUIDING & WAGGS



- A charity that provides amazing opportunities for girls of any ages.
- Creating connections globally through travel projects and WAGGS.
- WAGGS is the largest women's group in the world with over 10 million members.
- Girlguiding has 5 international centres; London, India, Mexico, Switzerland and Africa.



PROJECTS ABROAD



- An organisation that provides service trips, gap years and work experience.
- These are orientated around care, environment, medicine, education, building and renovations.



NEPAL EARTHQUAKE

1. In 2015, Nepal experienced a 7.8 magnitude earthquake.
2. Since then they are recovering well, with the help of many organisations such as the Soroptimists.
3. 1.1 million children needed immediate help.



SERVICE

For the majority of the trip we will be taking part in service activities;

- working with the local schools and orphanages in Kathmandu
- painting classrooms
- lead practical educational activities
- Doing lots of dancing with the children.



SIGHTSEEING

For the other part we will be doing other exciting activities;

- We are planning to trek the Himalayas.
- Visit Pokhara
- Visit Chitwan National Park and spot all the animals.



LAST TIME

•“Over the course of our 2 weeks in Nepal, we spent 9 days painting at the school. During this time, we managed to paint 14 classrooms, the outside of some of the buildings, various hallways in the school and the garage doors.”

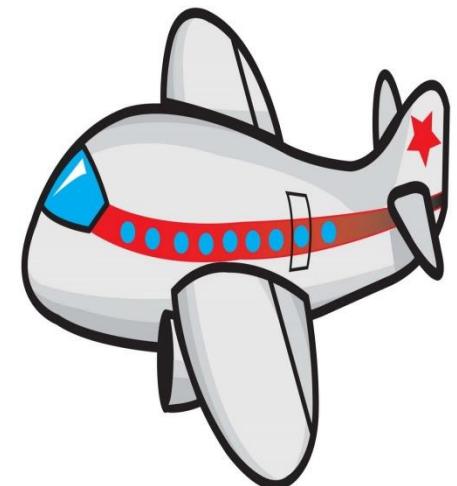
•“This was the day where I had my first encounter with Nepal’s famous squat toilets! It was all they had at the school so I gave it a go – let’s just say it was hard to keep your balance which was eventful!!”

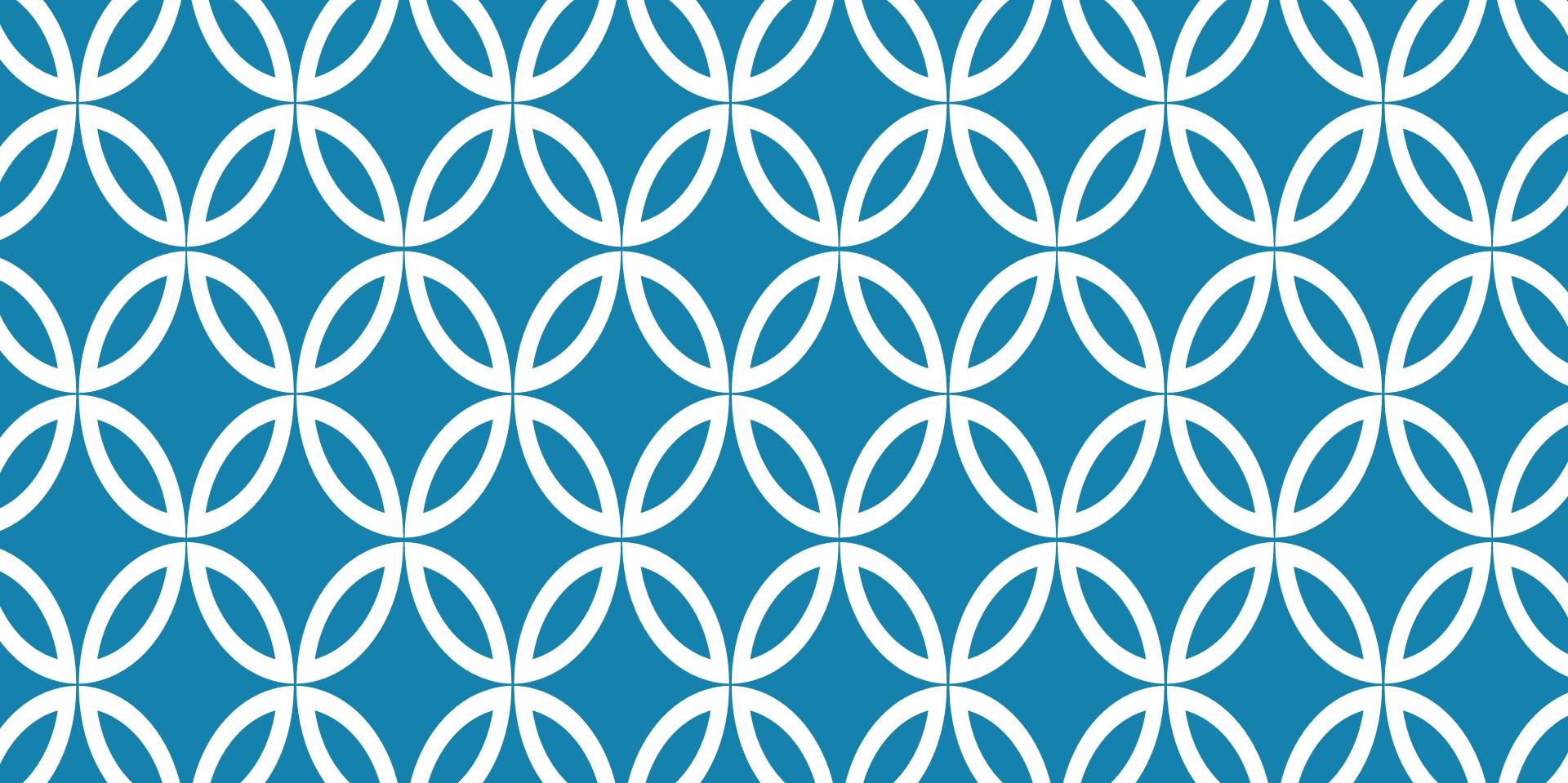
•“We were given the whole school (270 children) to entertain in one afternoon.”



WHEN I GET BACK

- When I return, I will be coming back to you to tell you all about it!!
- I will be carrying out talks with other guiding groups, encouraging others to travel.
- Writing articles for Girlguiding Anglia.
- Non stop talking about the trip!





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