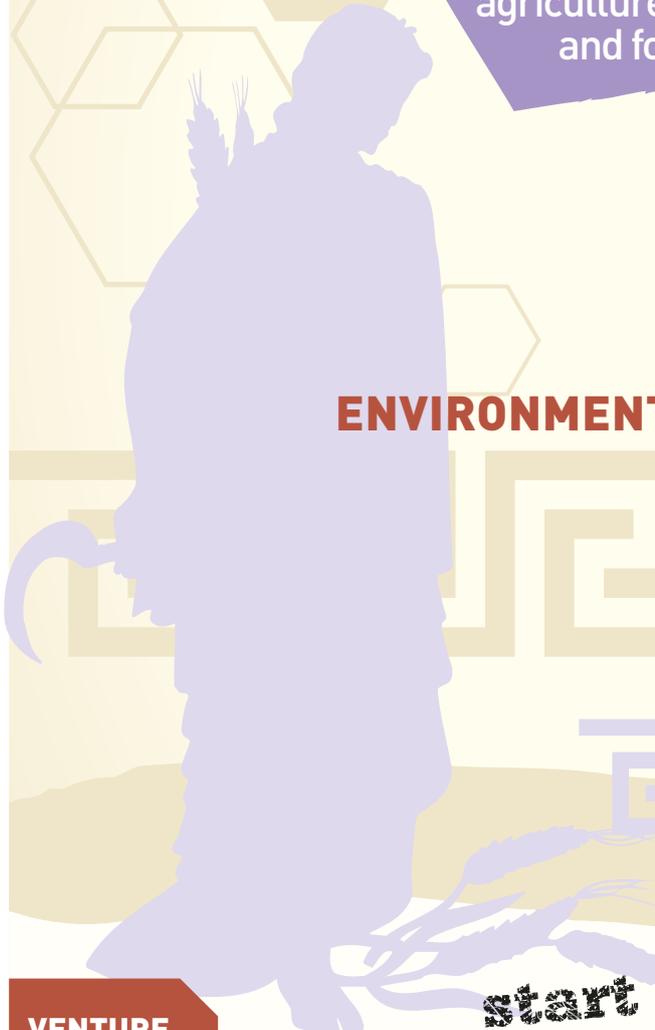


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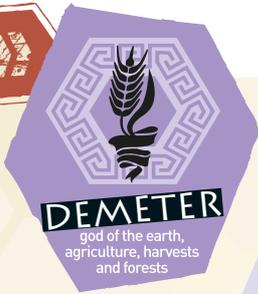
god of the earth,  
agriculture, harvests  
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**ENVIRONMENT AWARENESS**



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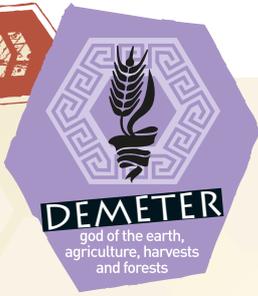
**VENTURE  
UNIT**  
Training  
Programme



As a Scout, you are  
the guardian of the woods.  
A Scout never damages a tree  
by hacking it with his knife or axe.  
It does not take long to fell a tree,  
but it takes many years to grow one,  
so a Scout cuts down a tree  
for a good reason only –  
not just for the sake  
of using his axe.  
For every tree felled,  
two should be planted.

Robert Baden Powell





## Profile

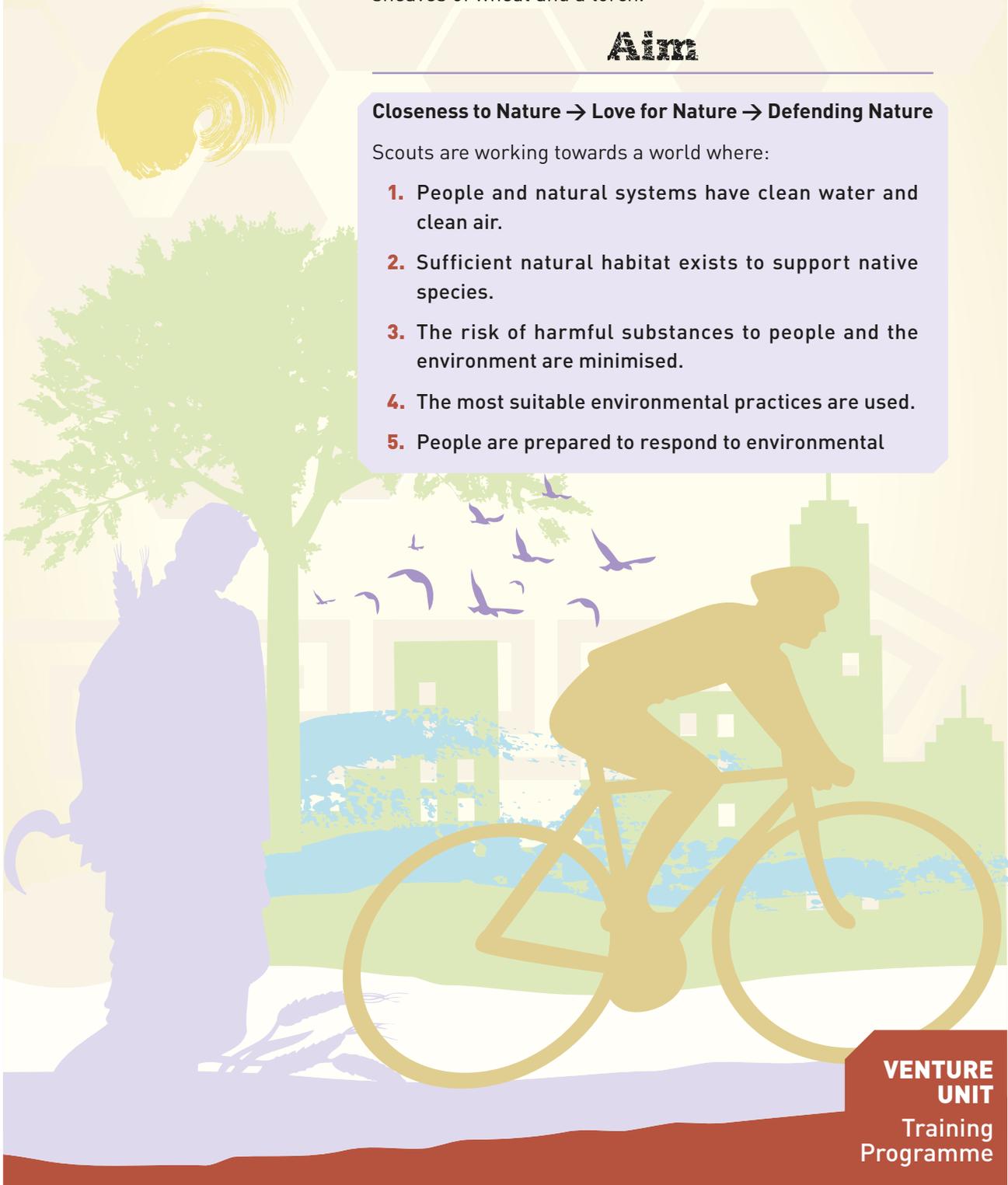
Demeter was the great Olympian goddess of agriculture, grain, and bread, the prime sustenance of mankind. She also presided over the foremost of the Mystery Cults which promised its initiates the path to a blessed afterlife. Demeter was depicted as a mature woman, often crowned and holding sheaves of wheat and a torch.

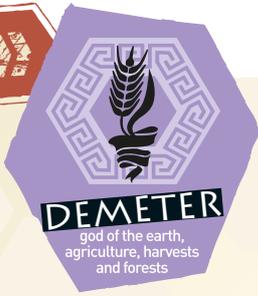
## Aim

### Closeness to Nature → Love for Nature → Defending Nature

Scouts are working towards a world where:

1. People and natural systems have clean water and clean air.
2. Sufficient natural habitat exists to support native species.
3. The risk of harmful substances to people and the environment are minimised.
4. The most suitable environmental practices are used.
5. People are prepared to respond to environmental





# MISSION Requirements

Organise a series of activities for another section on an environment theme.

RESIDENTIAL: service to people & community

30 POINTS

Organise a Nature Trail, this should be in the form of a day Hike, during which the Ventures should explore Nature and note elements which are harming the Environment.

RESIDENTIAL: service to people & community

25 POINTS

Achieve the Food Handling Course Licence B.

30 POINTS

Discover some international policies on environment and what are we doing in Malta?

RESIDENTIAL: planning

10 POINTS

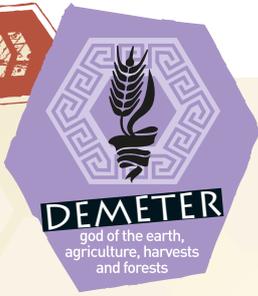
Take part in a beneficial activity for your area (ex: a couple of clean up campaigns).

RESIDENTIAL: environment & conservation

25 POINTS

Identify possible environmental hazards in scouting activities and suggest remediation actions.

25 POINTS



# MISSION Requirements

What is the impact of environment on our lifestyle?

RESIDENTIAL: planning

10 POINTS

Embark on a group/unit project towards the environment (ex. Water/Energy conservation, Recycling) the project should span around 2 months.

40 POINTS

How is pollution affecting our environment?

RESIDENTIAL: planning

10 POINTS

Discover new environmental technologies and implement one of them.

RESIDENTIAL: planning

25 POINTS

Assist actively and regularly at a Nature Reserve, National Park or similar site over a period of 3 months.

RESIDENTIAL: environment & conservation

40 POINTS

Gain the World Environmental Programme badge

30 POINTS

