



Scripture Union wants to create the most beneficial and the safest environment for the children and young people we work with, so we take Health and Safety very seriously.

We select and train our leaders carefully.

- All SUNZ camp leaders must complete an application process which includes detailed questions, referee checks and police vetting. Leaders must agree with the SUNZ statement of faith.
- Once appointed as a leader, they are thoroughly trained in terms of what to expect from camp, how to carry out their role safely and appropriately, and how to relate to campers. They are also given specific training around whichever SUNZ programme they are assigned to.
- While on camp, SUNZ leaders will follow comprehensive health safety protocols and policies so that everyone can stay safe.

We value the well-being of campers. We recognise that Scripture Union works with children and young people in temporary communities and we need to respect and care for them within this context.

- We have a relational approach in which children and young people are at the centre of all we do. We seek information from parents/caregivers on how we might best respond to campers.
- We have a health and safety system in place for all our camps and activities.
- We have training and protocols in place for teams to follow to best respond to expressions of mental health.
- All activities are run under strict safety protocols with qualified instructors appointed as required.