Abbreviation and terminology of the ISGF



Abbreviation	Terminology
AF Region AMO AsPac Region	Africa Region Associate Member Organisation Asia Pacific Region
CB CESR	Central Branch Central Europe Sub Region Chairman of the World Committee
EUR Region	Europe Region
	Fellowship Day Full Member Organisation
	Guiding Guilds
HCom	Host Committee
ID Fund IF ISGF IS LSGF	International Development Fund International Fellowship International Scout and Guide Fellowship International Secretary Local Scout and Guide Fellowship
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
NBSR NP NSGF	Nordic Baltic Sub Region National President National Scout and Guide Fellowship
RC	Regional Committee
SG SASR SESR SRC	Scouting Scout Movement Secretary General South America Sub Region Southern European Sub Region Stamp Bank Sub-Regional Committee
	Twinning
	Vice-Chairman of the World Committee
WESR WH Region WHRCom	Website Western Europe Sub Region Western Hemisphere Region Western Hemisphere Regional Committee

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WAGGGS World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts

WB World Bureau WCom World Committee

WCom member World Committee member

WConf World Conference

WOSM World Organization of the Scout Movement

Legal terminology - Glossary

These words have been listed to help any person writing a constitution for ISGF World Committee approval to ensure that the same terms are used by everyone.

(Please note there is another glossary at the end of the ISGF Constitution document.)

<u>Annual Fee paid to ISGF:</u> The money paid each year, per person, for membership of ISGF. The amount per person is agreed at the World Conference and an invoice is sent to each country by the World Bureau based on membership numbers.

<u>Annual Membership fee</u>: the money paid per person each year to belong to the National Fellowship this would include the fee paid to the World Bureau.

Component Associations: these are the organisations that form part of a National Fellowship.

<u>Constitution:</u> A set of fundamental principles and rules according to which an organisation is managed.

Dissolution: the end of an organisation, when it closes.

Emblem: A sign or symbol used as a distinctive badge, (the logo of the organisation).

<u>Federation:</u> A NSGF composed of two or more constituent associations. (A **similar link** would be an association or a partnership formed by two or more organisations)

<u>General Assembly:</u> a meeting where all members are eligible to attend to approve the actions of the executive of the organisation during the past year and those actions proposed for the future, it is usually held annually or triennially as happens with the World Committee or Region Committees.

LSGF: Local Scout and Guide Fellowship

Location: The address (of the Headquarters or Local Office)

Memorandum of Understanding (MOU): legal document option when for various reasons an ISGF Region or Sub-Region cannot be legally structured by a Constitution

<u>National General Meeting</u>: a meeting where all members are eligible to attend to approve the actions of the executive of the organisation during the past year and those proposed for the future, it is usually held annually or triennially as happens with the World Committee or Region Committees.

<u>Similar Link:</u> an association or a partnership formed by two or more organisations as members of a Federation.