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Membership Growth!

Did you know that Exploring posted National Membership Growth for the third consecutive year end? As of September 2025, Exploring posted growth for 39 of the last 41 months (as of 9-8-25).

Maybe you grew in Exploring but would like to grow even more, or maybe this is the first time your council has considered Exploring? Either way, Exploring is an excellent pathway to lead your council to membership growth.

What is Exploring Explosion 3.0?

Exploring Explosion 3.0-- is a nationwide Exploring membership campaign focusing on Exploring membership growth, through the training, inspiration, and recognition of all professionals and interested volunteers.

As part of Exploring Explosion 3.0, national coordinated trainings led by the National Director of Exploring and the National Exploring Committee will assist in the following:

- 1. Teaching the 4 Phases of organizing a new Exploring Club or Post. Participants will learn the "A to Z" of Exploring.
- Sharing the most valuable resources to help both professionals and volunteers become more confident in growing Exploring.
- 3. Connecting professionals and volunteers across the country to share best practices while becoming more effective in growing Exploring within their geographic areas. This includes learning from the people who have been the most successful.
- 4. Offering cool and crazy incentives throughout the campaign.

All new Exploring Clubs and Posts organized from October 1, 2025, through December 31, 2026, will qualify for the incentives offered during this Exploring Explosion 3.0 campaign.

How to get started?

- Scout Executives or his/her designee completes the Exploring Explosion 3.0 link (for Scout Executives only). This link will be included in the Scout Executive's Packet and sent directly to the Scout Executives from the National Exploring Service Center.
- 2. Unit Serving Executives, volunteers, and any other interested council staff sign up for the Exploring online trainings. The trainings will be conducted in two separate online training sessions, and you must attend both sessions to complete the training. The trainings will include a total of 4 Phases, also known as the 4 phases of organizing an Exploring Club/Post.
 - Training session # 1 will include: (Phase 1 Research & Phase 2 Leadership)
 - Training session # 2 will include: (Phase 3 Program & Phase 4 Participation)
 - Though participating in these trainings, professionals will have an opportunity to complete and receive professional credit for "Exploring Certification", which will be reflected on their professional record and also count toward Scouting U continuing education hours.

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Cool and crazy prizes and incentives will be announced throughout the campaign to help inspire
Exploring growth for all participants. This information may be sent to all professionals and will
be shared in the Scout Executive's Packet, National Volunteers Newsletter, and posted on:
 www.exploringexplosion.org

Website and Communication!

The website that is currently under construction and will be updated to assist in communicating throughout this campaign is: www.exploringexplosion.org

Another great website to become familiar with is: www.exploring.org

Contact Email for questions: Exploring@lflmail.org

Stay Tuned! —More to come on Exploring Explosion 3.0!

This will be a fun campaign for all professionals and volunteers! Everyone can get involved and create an Exploring Explosion in every council across America. Get creative and use a spark to help create ideas and innovations to grow Exploring. You may even consider organizing a Club or Post within your own professional career to help our youth "Discover Their Future".