

# Merit Badges



**ARCHEOLOGY**

Location: Viersen Nature Center

Cost: None

Preparation: None



**ARCHERY**

Location: Shooting Sports Complex

Cost: \$7.00-\$10.00

Preparation: None



**ART**

Location: Dutton Family Tool Craft Center

Cost: None

Preparation: requirement 4 prior to camp



**ASTRONOMY**

Location: Viersen Nature Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Scouts are encouraged to do the long-term projects recommended in the Merit Badge pamphlet prior to camp. Scouts should bring red cellophane to cover their flashlights in order to preserve night vision. Must attend night viewings to complete badge.



**AVIATION**

Location: Technology Center

Cost: None

Preparation: requirement 4 prior to camp

**Basketry is taught with Leatherwork.**



**BASKETRY**

Location: Dutton Family Tool Craft Center

Cost: \$35.00

Preparation:

Taught with Leatherwork. Cost does not include Leatherwork kits.

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**CAMPING**

Location: Scout Craft

Cost: None

Preparation: Requirements 8C, 8D, 9A, and 9B prior to camp



**CANOEING**

Location: Lake Bohannon Aquatic Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Must have swimmer's rating.



**CINEMATOGRAPHY**

Location: Technology Center

Cost: \$5.00-\$10.00

Preparation: Recommend Scouts be at least a 3rd year camper or 14 years of age.



**CITIZENSHIP IN THE COMMUNITY**

Location: Dutton Family Tool Craft Center

Cost: None

Preparation: requirements 2, 3, 4, and 7 prior to camp



**CITIZENSHIP IN THE NATION**

Location: Dutton Family Tool Craft Center

Cost: None

Preparation: requirements 2, 3, 6, and 8 prior to camp



**CITIZENSHIP IN THE WORLD**

Location: Dutton Family Tool Craft Center

Cost: None

Preparation: requirement 7 prior to camp

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**CLIMBING**

Location: AES Winding Stair Trail Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Recommended for 2nd year campers. Scout must have a thorough knowledge of knots.



**COMMUNICATIONS**

Location: Dutton Family Tool Craft Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Requirements 5 & 7 prior to camp



**COMPUTERS**

Location: Technology Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Recommend Scouts be at least a 3rd year camper or 14 years of age.



**ELECTRICITY**

Location: Dutton Family Tool Craft Center

Cost: None

Preparation: None

*Electricity & Electronics are taught together.*



**ELECTRONICS**

Location: Dutton Family Tool Craft Center

Cost: \$20.00

Preparation: None



**EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS**

Location: Scout Craft

Cost: None

Preparation: Must have First Aid Merit Badge. Requirement 8 prior to camp.

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**ENGINEERING**

Location: Technology Center

Cost: \$10.00-\$20.00

Preparation: Recommend scout be a 3rd year camper or 14 years of age



**ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE**

Location: Viersen Nature Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Requirement 3B & 3B (2) prior to camp



**FIRST AID**

Location: Scout Craft

Cost: None

Preparation: Requirement 1 prior to camp.

*Taught with Soil & Water Conservation*



**FISH & WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT**

Location: Viersen Nature Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Requirements 5 & 7 prior to camp



**FISHING**

Location: Lake Bohannon Aquatic Center

Cost: \$7.00-\$9.00

Preparation: Requirement 9 prior to camp



**FLY FISHING**

Location: Lake Bohannon Aquatic Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Recommend Scout to be a 3rd year camp or 14 years of age. Requirement 10 prior to camp.

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**FORESTRY**

Location: Viersen Nature Center

Cost: None

Preparation:



**GRAPHIC ARTS**

Location: Technology Center

Cost: \$8.00-\$10.00

Preparation:



**HORSEMANSHIP**

Location: Horse Corral

Cost: \$45.00

Preparation: Recommend long pants. Price includes a trail ride.

*Leatherwork  
taught with  
Basketry*



**INDIAN LORE**

Location: Dutton Family Tool Craft Center

Cost: \$25.00-\$30.00

Preparation:



**LEATHERWORK**

Location: Dutton Family Tool Craft Center

Cost: \$20.00-\$30.00

Preparation:

Taught with Basketry. Cost does not include Basketry kits.



**LIFE SAVING**

Location: Pool

Cost: None

Preparation: Must have earned Swimming merit badge. A 400 yard qualifying swim will be required. Only strong swimmers will be able to qualify. Scouts will need to bring a pair of long pants and long sleeved shirt.

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**MAMMAL STUDY**

Location: Viersen Nature Center

Cost: None

Preparation:



**METALWORK**

Location: Metalwork Building

Cost: \$20.00-\$25.00

Preparation:



**MOTORBOATING**

Location: Lake Bohannon Aquatic Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Must have a swimmers rating. Recommend for 3rd year camper or 14 years of age

**Taught with Weather**



**OCEANOGRAPHY**

Location: Viersen Nature Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Requirements 7 & 8 prior to camp.



**ORIENTEERING**

Location: Scout Craft

Cost: None

Preparation: Scouts should bring a compass. Long pants are recommended for running some of the courses.



**PIONEERING**

Location: Scout Craft

Cost: None

Preparation: A basic knowledge of knots, lashing and splices would be helpful

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**POTTERY**

Location: Dutton Family Tool Craft Center

Cost: \$12.00-\$15.00

Preparation:



**REPTILE & AMPHIBIAN STUDY**

Location: Viersen Nature Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Requirement 8 prior to camp.



**RIFLE SHOOTING**

Location: Shooting Sports Complex

Cost: \$1.00 per 10 shots (\$10.00 expected depending on skill level of marksman)

Preparation: Must have Merit Badge Pamphlet.



**ROWING**

Location: Lake Bohannon Aquatic Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Must have a swimmer's rating. Scout must bring a long pair of pants and a long sleeved shirt.



**SHOTGUN SHOOTING**

Location: Shooting Sports Complex

Cost: \$2.00 per five shots (\$20.00 expected depending on skill level of marksman)

Preparation: Must have Merit Badge Pamphlet.



**SMALL BOAT SAILING**

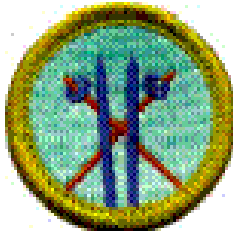
Location: Lake Bohannon Aquatic Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Must have a swimmer's rating

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*Taught with  
Fish & Wildlife  
Management*



**SNOW SPORTS**

Location: AES Shady Point  
Winding Stair Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Must wear long  
pants



**SOIL & WATER  
CONSERVATION**

Location: Viersen Nature  
Center

Cost: None

Preparation:



**SPACE EXPLORATION**

Location: Dutton Family Tool  
Craft Center

Cost: \$16.00-\$20.00

Preparation:

*Taught with  
Oceanography*



**SWIMMING**

Location: Pool

Cost: None

Preparation: Must have a  
swimmer's rating. Scouts will  
need to bring a pair of long  
pants and a long sleeved shirt.



**WEATHER**

Location: Viersen Nature  
Center

Cost: None

Preparation: Requirement 8  
prior to camp



**WHITEWATER**

Location: Lake Bohannon  
Aquatic Center

Cost: \$5.00

Preparation: Must have Ca-  
noeing Merit Badge. Must  
have a swimmer's rating

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## WILDERNESS SURVIVAL

Location: Scout Craft

Cost: None

Preparation: Requirement 5 prior to camp. Scout will need a pocket knife, hiking boots and canteen. Must attend over-night campout to complete



## WOODCARVING

Location: Dutton Family Tool Craft Center

Cost: \$15.00-\$20.00

Preparation: Scouts may bring their own pocketknife and sharpening stone.

Merit Badges are taught with the most recent changes. We encourage Scouts to bring their own merit badge pamphlets to camp. A class set is provided.



**Sign up for Merit Badges  
Online at  
[www.halescoutreservation.org](http://www.halescoutreservation.org)  
April 1st—May 1st!**

**Part C**

**Parental Informed Consent and Hold Harmless/Release Agreement**

I understand that participation in Scouting activities involves a certain degree of risk. I have carefully considered the risk involved and have given consent for myself or my child to participate in these activities. I understand that participation in these activities is entirely voluntary and requires participants to abide by applicable rules and standards of conduct. I release the Boy Scouts of America, the local council, the activity coordinators, and all employees, volunteers, related parties, or other organizations associated with the activity from any and all claims or liability arising out of this participation.

I approve the sharing of the information on this form with BSA volunteers and professionals who need to know of medical situations that might require special consideration for the safe conducting of Scouting activities.

In case of an emergency involving me or my child, I understand that every effort will be made to contact the individual listed as the emergency contact person. In the event that this person cannot be reached, permission is hereby given to the medical provider selected by the adult leader in charge to secure proper treatment, including hospitalization, anesthesia, surgery, or injections of medication for me or my child. Medical providers are authorized to disclose to the adult in charge examination findings, test results, and treatment provided for purposes of medical evaluation of the participant, follow-up and communication with the participant's parents or guardian, and/or determination of the participant's ability to continue in the program activities.

Without restrictions.

With special considerations or restrictions (list)

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**Talent Release Form**

I hereby assign and grant to the local council and the Boy Scouts of America the right and permission to use and publish the photographs/film/videotapes/electronic representations and/or sound recordings made of me or my child by the Boy Scouts of America, and I hereby release the Boy Scouts of America from any and all liability from such use and publication.

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Yes  No

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I understand that, if any information I/we have provided is found to be inaccurate, it may limit and/or eliminate the opportunity for participation in any event or activity.

Participant's name \_\_\_\_\_

Participant's signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/guardian's signature \_\_\_\_\_  
(if under the age of 18)

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Attach copy of insurance card (front and back) here. If required by your state, use the space provided here for notarization.



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