

2009 RECOMMENDED MERIT BADGES and ACTIVITIES INFORMATION

1st Year Campers	2nd Year Campers	3rd Year Campers	4th Year Campers
WINGS	Swimming MB	Swimming MB	Swimming Instruction
Swimming MB	Mile Swim	Mile Swim	Mile Swim
Firem'n Chit	Archery MB	Project COPE	Project COPE
Totin' Chip	Astronomy MB	Climbing MB	Climbing MB
Art MB	Camping MB	Cit. In the Nation	BSA Lifeguard
Basketry MB	Canoeing MB	Communications MB	Cinematography MB
Camping MB	Cooking MB	Emergency Preparedness	Cit. In the World MB
Computers MB	Electricity MB	Environmental Science MB	Kayaking BSA
Energy MB	First Aid MB	Kayak BSA	Loxahatchee medal
Fingerprinting MB	Geology MB	Lifesaving MB	Motor boating MB
Fishing MB	Indian Lore MB	Metalworking MB	Personal Fitness MB
Leatherwork MB	Metalworking MB	Mike Machek Hike	Plant Science MB
Nature MB	Nature MB	Oceanography MB	Rowing MB
Photography MB	Orienteering MB	Orienteering MB	Scuba Certification
Snorkeling BSA	Photography MB	Pioneering MB	Sm. Boat Sailing
Sports MB	Pulp & Paper MB	Rifle Shooting MB	Shotgun Shooting MB
Weather MB	Space Exploration MB	Rowing MB	Water sports MB
Woodcarving MB	Swimming MB	Sm. Boat Sailing	Counselor in Trng
	Textile MB	Soil & Water Cons. MB	
	Wilderness Survival MB	Water sports MB	

This information is provided as a guide to help leaders counsel their Scouts on programs offered at camp. It is recommended that Scouts complete all paperwork and reports before camp. Some merit badges can not be completed at camp. Leaders can provide camp counselors with written information indicating that a Scout has completed certain requirements. Leaders are encouraged to visit with camp counselors during the week to check on their Scouts' progress.

2009 Merit Badge Pre-Requisites Listed Below:

For All Merit Badges BRING THE BOOKS TO CLASS / CAMP WITH YOU

Archery	None
Art	None
Astronomy	Suggested before camp 5b, 7a, 7b, 10, Also 6, 9a can not be done at camp
Basketry	None
BSA Lifeguard	MUST be 15 years of age or older Recommended to have or be able to do the following: CPR Certification; swim 400 yards; Swimming MB, Lifesaving MB, Rowing, and First aid MB
Camping	7b, 8d, 9a, 9b, 9c
Canoeing	Swimmer, recommended to complete before camp 2a,b, d, 3, & 8
Cinematography	None
Citizenship In the Nation	2, 3
Citizenship in the World	7
Climbing	must be 13 years old, upper body strength To support body weight
Communications	5
Computers	6, 7
Cooking	3, 4, 5, 6, 7

C.O.P.E.	(Challenging Outdoors Personal Experience) Climbing MB, Prerequisite – 13 years of age or older; At least 1st Class rank
Electricity	2, 8, 9
Emergency Preparedness	1, 2b, 2c, 6c, 8b, 8c, 9a
Environmental Science	options in 3, 4a
Energy	2b, 4a, 4b
Fingerprinting	None
First Aid	1
Fishing	None
Forestry	None
Geology	None
Indian Lore	None
Leatherwork	None
Lifesaving	Swimmer, Swimming MB
Metalworking	1, 4
Motor boating	Swimmer
Music	None
Nature	4
Oceanography	None
Orienteering	None
Personal Fitness	1a, 1b, 6, 7, 8 (offered in even years)
Photography	May bring your own camera, none
Pioneering	2a
Plant Science	4
Pulp & Paper	6, 7
Reptile & Amphibian	8, 9
Rifle	(May be difficult to complete in a week) None
Rowing	Swimmer
Shotgun Shooting	(May be difficult to complete in a week) None
Small Boat Sailing	Swimmer
Soil and Water Conservation	None
Space Exploration	None
Sports	4, 5
Swimming	Swimmer (in order to complete successfully)
Textile	None
Water sports	Swimmer
Weather	None
Wilderness Survival	(Camping MB is highly recommended) 5
Wood Carving	None

Please Check the Current Edition of the Boy Scout Handbook and respective Merit badge Pamphlets for up to date requirements. Thank You