

MERIT BADGE AND PRE-REQUISITES FOR 2012

All merit badges require the appropriate book to be ready prior to arrival in camp.

<u>MERIT BADGE</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>	<u>BEFORE CAMP</u>
Archery		None
Art		None
Astronomy	by appt. only	4c, 5, 9
Basketry	Will cost extra money (\$15-\$20)	None
Bird Study	by appt. only	5, 7, 8
Bugling:	Bring a Bugle, Trumpet or Cornet	6
Camping		9
Canoeing	Need to be a swimmer	None
Chemistry	Not Good for younger Scouts	None
Cinematography		None
Citizenship in the Nation	Must be 14 and 1 st class	2, 8
Citizenship in the World	Must be 14 and 1 st class	7
Climbing	Fee for Climb Kalamazoo	None
Communications	Must be 14 and 1 st class	5, 8
Cycling	Bring bike – will be locked up when not in class	None
Electricity		2, 8, 9a
Electronics		None
Emergency Preparedness		First Aid MB, 8
Entrepreneurship		None
Engineering		4
Energy	Bring article (req. 1a) with you	1a, 4
Environmental Science	Not good for younger scouts	3e
Fingerprinting		None
Fire Safety	Have Firem'n chit Card	None
First Aid	Must have first aid kit, Should be first Class Scout	
Fish and Wildlife Mgmt.	By appt. only	5, 6, 7
Fishing	Bring your own pole, tackle, and bait.	None
Fly Fishing		None
Forestry	Read book	None
Geology		None
Golf	Greens Fees & Club Rental (if no clubs)	None
Indian Lore	See Indian Lore Campfire	2
Insect Study	by appt. only	4, 7
Inventing	Read book	3c,8
Kayaking	Needs to be a swimmer	None
Law		4, 7
Leatherwork	Will cost extra money (\$5-\$15)	None
Lifesaving	Bring Street clothes for quick disrobing	Swimming MB
Journalism	Attend a Public Event & bring proof	2
Mammal Study	Good for younger Scouts	None
Motor boating	Need to be a swimmer	None
Music		None
Nature	Good for older Scouts	None
Oceanography		None
Orienteering	Good for older Scouts	None
Personal Fitness	Must be 14 and 1 st class	1, 7, 8
Personal Management		2

Pioneering	Good to reinforce Scouting Basics	None
Public Speaking		None
Pulp & Paper		None
Reptile & Amphibian study		8
Rifle	NOT recommended for 1 st yr. Scouts	Read MB book
Rowing	Need to be a swimmer	None
Shotgun	May cost up to \$10.00	Read MB book
Small Boat Sailing	Needs to be a swimmer	None
Snorkeling	Needs to be a swimmer	None
Soil & Water Conservation	Requires extra time	7
Space Exploration	Will have additional cost (\$10-\$20)	None
Sports		4
Swimming	Bring Street clothes for inflation	None
Theatre		1
Weather		8
Wilderness Survival	Overnight in the Wilderness	5
Wood Carving	Will cost extra money (\$10-\$15)	None