



SCOUTS PARTICIPATING IN A SCOUTMASTER BUCKY MERIT BADGE OPPORTUNITY (ONLINE OR IN PERSON), PLEASE CONSIDER ALSO USING THE CAMPING MERIT BADGE CLASS PREPARATION PAGE FOR CLARIFICATIONS, INSIGHTS, AND EXPECTATIONS.

https://scoutmasterbucky.com/merit-badges/camping/class-prep/

REQUIREMENT 1a:	Explain to your counselor the most likely hazards you may encounter while participating in camping activities and what you should do to anticipate, help prevent, mitigate, and respond to these hazards.
HAZARD #1	
Description:	
Anticipate:	
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Help Prevent:	
Mitigate:	
Respond:	





HAZARD #2
Description:
Anticipate:
Help Prevent:
Mitigate:
mitigate.
Respond:





HAZARD #3
Description:
Anticipate:
Help Prevent:
Mitigate:
Respond:





HAZARD #4
Description:
Anticipate:
Help Prevent:
Mitigate:
Respond:





HAZARD #5
Description:
Anticipate:
Help Prevent:
Mitigate:
Respond:





HAZARD #6
Description:
Anticipate:
Help Prevent:
Mitigate:
Respond:





REQUIREMENT 15:	and during your camping activities
Notes:	
REQUIREMENT 1b:	Tell how you can prepare should the weather turn bad during your campouts.
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REQUIREMENT 1c:	Show that you know first aid for and how to prevent injuries or illnesses that could occur while camping, including hypothermia, frostbite, heat reactions, dehydration, altitude sickness, insect stings, tick bites, snakebite, blisters, and hyperventilation.
Hypothermia:	
Frostbite:	
Heat Reactions:	
Dehydration:	





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nsect Stings:
Tick Bites:
Snakebite:





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Blisters:	
Hyperventilation:	
REQUIREMENT 2: Learn the Leave No Trace	principles and explain what they mean.
Leave No Trace SEVEN PRINCIPLES	Notes:
1. Plan Ahead & Prepare	
2. Travel & Camp on Durable Surfaces	

6. Respect Wildlife

7. Be Considerate of Other Visitors

3. Dispose of Waste Properly

5. Minimize Campfire Impacts

4. Leave What You Find



<b>REQUIREMENT 2:</b> Learn the Outdoor Code and expl	ain what it means.
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Notes:

### Outdoor Code

As an American, I will do my best to-

Be Clean in my outdoor manners,

Be Careful with fire,

Be Considerate in Be Conservation-r	the outdoors, and	
REQUIREMENT 2:	Write a personal and group plan for implementing these principles on your next outing.	
Personal Plan:		
Group Plan:		



**REQUIREMENT 3:** 

Make a written plan\* for an overnight trek.

\* To complete this requirement, you may use the Scout Planning Worksheet

### **Backpacking Trip Planner**

#### **Trip details**

#### Where

- Area
- Starting point
- Ending point
- Specific trails or routes
- Potential route changes, like side-trips, extensions, and shortcuts
- Anticipated mileage or vertical gain
- Link to your maps, or to maps, guide(s), or trip report(s) that you heavily referenced

#### When

- Entry date and time
- Exit date and time

#### Who

• All group members, if applicable

#### **Emergency**

- Contact info for your emergency contacts
- Contact info for emergency personnel in the area (e.g., sheriff, NPS dispatch, bush pilot)
- Emergency protocol: "Grace period" after intended exit date before emergency personnel is contacted

#### **Permit**

- If reserved: Permit number, entry trailhead and/or designated campsites, group size, where & when to pick it up in-person
- If not reserved: Where and when to obtain it, and details about your primary and backup itineraries

#### **Travel**

- Method(s)
- Reservation details for cars, motel rooms, shuttle

#### **Route Info**

If there is not a single definitive guide for your trip, or if you wish to supplement your guide with information that you obtained elsewhere (e.g., online trip reports, forum threads, phone calls), drop it here.

#### **Itinerary & Lodging**

#### Day 1 - Day, Month, Date

Summary of daily agenda and plan - Lots and lots of detail.

#### Day 2 - Day, Month, Date

Summary of daily agenda and plan – Lots and lots of detail.



Overnight Trek Plan:	
REQUIREMENT 3:	Show how to get to your camping spot by using a topographical map and one of the following:  a. A compass b. A GPS receiver** c. A smartphone with a GPS app

This requirement must be reviewed with your merit badge counselor.

\*\* If a GPS-equipped device is not available, explain how to use one to get to your camping spot.





**REQUIREMENT 4a:** 

Make a duty roster showing how your patrol is organized for an actual overnight campout. List assignments for each member.

#### Sample Patrol Weekend Camping Duty Roster Patrol: Camping Trip: \_\_\_\_\_ Responsibilities: Cook Assistant Cook Cleanup #1 Cleanup #2 Prepare meals and clean stove. Wash dishes and clean up Clean up patrol area, dispose Assist cook as needed and boil of trash and refill water water for washing dishes and patrol box. supervise cleanup container. Friday Campsite Set Up: All Patrol Members Saturday **Breakfast**: Cook Assistant Cook Cleanup #1 Cleanup #2 Saturday **Lunch**: Cook Cleanup #1 Assistant Cook Cleanup #2 Saturday **Dinner**: Cleanup #1 Cleanup #2 Cook Assistant Cook Sunday **Breakfast**: Assistant Cook Cleanup #1 Cleanup #2

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Sunday Lunch:

Cook	Assistant Cook	Cleanup #1	Cleanup #2

Sunday Campsite Breakdown: All Patrol Members





**REQUIREMENT 4b:** 

Help a Scout patrol or a Webelos Scout unit in your area prepare for an actual campout, including creating the duty roster, menu planning, equipment needs, general planning, and

setting up camp.

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Sunday Campsite Breakdown: All Patrol Members





MENU PLANNING				
Sample Weekend Camping Trip Menu				
Patrol:				
Friday Night Cracker-barrel	Preparation Instructions			
food:				
food:				
drink:				
extra:				
Saturday Breakfast	Preparation Instructions			
main:				
side:				
drink:				
fruit:				
extra:				
extra:				
Saturday Lunch	Preparation Instructions			
main:				
side:				
bread:				
drink:				
fruit:				
extra:				
extra:				





### Sample Weekend Camping Trip Menu (cont'd) Camping Trip: \_\_\_\_\_ Patrol: \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday Dinner Preparation Instructions main: side: side: bread: drink: fruit: extra: extra: Saturday Night Cracker-barrel **Preparation Instructions** food: food: drink: extra: Sunday Breakfast **Preparation Instructions** main: side: drink: fruit: extra: extra:





Sample Weekend Camping Trip Menu (cont'd)						
Patrol	Patrol: Camping Trip:					
	Sunday Lunch	Preparation Instructions				
main:	<del></del>					
side:						
bread:						
drink:						
fruit:						
extra:	<del></del>					
extra:						
Notes:						





EQUIPMENT NEEDS		
	Sample Weekend Camping Equipment List	
Patrol:	Camping Trip:	

ntrol: Camping Trip:					
Equipment/Description	In E	In Box		an	Comments
	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Patrol Box:					
Stove					
Stove-hose connector					
Propane Hose					
Propane Stem					
Propane Lantern					
Pots and Pans					
Large pot					
Large pot lid					
Medium pot with lid					
Small pot with lid					
Coffee pot with lid					
Pot handles (2)					
Chef's Kit:					
Large knife					
Serrated knife					
Paring knife, small					
Stirring spoon					
Slotted spoon					
Ladle					
Spatula					
Two prong fork					
Can opener					
Hot mitts (2)					
Griddle					
Plastic dishwashing boxes (3)					
Saw					
Shovel					
Grill, fire					
Bleach / Soap					
Brillo Pads					
Matches					





### Sample Weekend Camping Equipment List (cont'd)

Patrol:	C	amping Trip:	·
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Equipment/Description	In B	Box	Cle	an	Comments
	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Tent bag:					
First tent					
Second tent					
Third tent					
Dining fly					
3 ground plastic sheets					
32 stakes					
Dining fly pole bag:					
Upright poles (4)					
Ridge pole (3 pieces)					
SPECIAL EQUIPMENT FOR TRIP:					





GENERAL PLANNING	
Notes:	
SETTING UP CAMP	
SETTING UP CAMP	
Notes:	





REQUIREMENT 5a:	Prepare a list of clothing you we weather.	ould need for overnight campouts in both warm and cold
Warm We	ather Clothing List	Cold Weather Clothing List
REQUIREMENT 5a: Notes:	Explain the term "layering."	





REQUIREMENT 3D:	Discuss footwear for different kinds of weather.
Notes:	
DECLUDEMENT CL.	Discussion the sight factors as is important for any testing account at
REQUIREMENT 5b:	Discuss how the right footwear is important for protecting your feet.
Notes:	





REQUIREMENT 5c:	Explain the proper care and storage of camping equipment (clothing, footwear, bedding).
Notes:	
REQUIREMENT 5d:	List the outdoor essentials necessary for any campout, and explain why each item is needed.
ESSENTIAL #1	
Essential #1:	
Why needed:	
ESSENTIAL #2	
Essential #2:	
Why needed:	





ESSENTIAL #3
Essential #3:
Why needed:
ESSENTIAL #4
Essential #4:
Why needed:
ESSENTIAL #5
Essential #5:
Why needed:
ESSENTIAL #6
Essential #6:
Why needed:





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SSENTIAL #10 SSENTIAL #10:
SSENTIAL #10 SSENTIAL #10:





REQUIREMENT 5e:	Present yourself to your Scoutmaster with your pack for inspection. Be correctly clothed and equipped for an overnight campout.		
	This requirement must be reviewed with yo AFTER presenting yourself to you		
	BE PREPARED!		
Scoutmaster's Name		Phone	
Scoutmaster's Signature		Date	approved
REQUIREMENT 6a:	Describe the features of four types of tent	s, when and where they co	uld be used.
TENT #1			
Tent Type:			
Features:			
Maria II.			
When Used:			
Where Used:			





TENT #2
Tent Type:
Features:
When Used:
Wileti Osed.
Where Used:
TENT #3
Tent Type:
Features:
When Used:
When Used:
When Used:
When Used:
When Used:  Where Used:





TENT #4	
Tent Type:	
Features:	
When Used:	
Where Used:	
DECLUBEMENT C-	Describe have to some for toute
REQUIREMENT 6a:	Describe how to care for tents.
REQUIREMENT 6a: Notes:	Describe how to care for tents.
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REQUIREMENT 6a:	Working with another Scout, pitch a tent.		
	This requirement must be reviewed with you	ır merit badge counsel	or.
Note that you will likely adult le	be able to complete this requirement within eader's signature to validate your completion	your unit on a troop ca of this requirement co	amp out, be sure to get an emponent.
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Adult Leader's Name		Phone	
Adult Leader's Signature		Date	approved
Notes:			
REQUIREMENT 6b: Notes:	Discuss the importance of camp sanitation	1.	
Notes:			





REQUIREMENT 6b:	Tell why water treatment is essential.
Notes:	
REQUIREMENT 6b:	Demonstrate two ways to treat water.
	This requirement must be reviewed with your merit badge counselor.
REQUIREMENT 6c:	This requirement must be reviewed with your merit badge counselor.  Describe the factors to be considered in deciding where to pitch your tent.
REQUIREMENT 6c: Notes:	





**REQUIREMENT 6d:** Tell the difference between internal- and external-frame packs. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of each. INTERNAL-FRAME PACK **EXTERNAL-FRAME PACK Differences Differences Advantages Advantages Disadvantages Disadvantages** 





	Discuss the types of sleeping bags and what kind would be suitable for different conditions.
Notes:	
REQUIREMENT 6e:	Explain the proper care of your sleeping bag and how to keep it dry.
Notes:	
REQUIREMENT 6e:	Make a comfortable ground bed.
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REQUIREMENT 7:	Prepare for an overnight campou	it with your patrol by doing the following:
REQUIREMENT 7a:	Make a checklist of personal and	patrol gear that will be needed.
REQUIREMENT 7a:		
REQUIREMENT 7b:	Show that your pack is right for	pare of the patrol equipment and food for proper carrying. quickly getting what is needed first, and that it has been weight, balance, size, and neatness.
	Don't forget to bring your pack to s  This requirement must be reviewed  BE PRE	d with your merit badge counselor.





REQUIREMENT oa:	Explain the safety procedures for using a propane or butane/propane stove
Notes:	
REQUIREMENT 8a:	Explain the safety procedures for using a liquid fuel stove
Notes:	
REQUIREMENT 8a:	Explain the safety procedures for proper storage of extra fuel.
	Explain the safety procedures for proper storage or extra ruel.
Notes:	





REQUIREMENT 8b:	Discuss the advantages and disa	dvantages of different types of lightweight cooking stoves.
Cooking Stove Type #1:		
Advantages		Disadvantages
Cooking Stove Type #2:		
A	dvantages	Disadvantages





Cooking Stove Type #3:						
Advantages	Disadvantages					
Cooking Stove Type #4:						
Advantages	Disadvantages					



**REQUIREMENT 8c:** Prepare a camp menu.

### **CAMPING MEAL PLAN**

	SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
BREAKFAST							
LUNCH							
SNACK							
DINNER							
DESSERT							

REQUIREMENT 8c:	Explain h	ow the mer	nu would diffe	er from a menu	ı for a backpa	cking or float	trip.	
Notes:								





REQUIREMENT 8c:	Give recipes		
SGOUT	MASTER UGKY	CAMPFIRE RECIPE CARD	CAST IRON CHEF
	Ingredients:	Dire	ctions:
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	Ingredients:	Dire	ctions:





SGOUTMASTER	CAMPFIRE RECIPE CAST IRON CHEF
Ingredients:	Directions:
SGOUTMASTER	CAMPFIRE RECIPE CAST IRON CHEF
	RECIPE
BUGKY	RECIPE CAST IRON CHEF
BUCKY	RECIPE CAST IRON CHEF





SGOUTIMASTER BUGKY Ingredients:	CAMPFIRE RECIPE CAST IRON CHEF  Directions:
SCOUTMASTER	CAMPFIRE CAST
Ingredients:	Directions:
Ingredients:	





SGOUTMASTER BUGLY Ingredients:	CAMPFIRE RECIPE CAST IRON CHEF  Directions:
SGOUTMASTER BUGKY Ingredients:	CAMPFIRE RECIPE CAST IRON CHEF





**REQUIREMENT 8c:** Make a food list for your patrol.

### **Sample Patrol Food List**

#### PRODUCE

**Apples** 

Oranges

Grapes

Bananas

Berries

Melon

Peaches

Lemons / Limes

Corn

Cherry Tomatoes

Cucumbers

Bell Peppers

Potatoes

Zucchini

Carrots

Avocados

Salad Lettuce

Onions & Garlic

Fresh Herbs

#### DAIRY

Milk

Creamer

Yogurt

Cheese

Cream Cheese

Sour Cream

Butter

### PANTRY / STAPLES

Bread

Wraps / Tortillas

English Muffins

Bagels

Pancake Mix

Oats

Granola / Cereal

Peanut Butter

Mac & Cheese

Rice Sides

Pasta

Sauces

Beans

Soups

#### **PROTEINS**

Eggs

Chicken

Steak

Ground Beef

Bacon

Sausages / Brats

Fish / Shrimp

Tofu / Meat Alternative

Cold Cuts

#### DRINKS

Coffee & Tea Juice / Juice Mix Hot Cocoa Mix Water

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#### SNACKS

Trail Mix

Chips and Dip

Pretzels

Granola Bars

Popcorn

Crackers

Meat and Cheese

**Dried Fruit** 

S'mores Fixin's

#### CONDIMENTS

Hot Sauce

Ketchup

Mustard

Mayonnaise

Relish

**BBQ** Sauce

Sour Cream

Salsa

Sald Dressing

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

Salt & Pepper Cooking Oil Spice Blends Syrup / Honey Jelly / Jams

Sugar





REQUIREMENT 8c:	Plan two breakfasts, three lunches, and two suppers.
Breakfast #1:	
Dunal-fact #0:	
Breakfast #2:	
Lunch #1:	
Lunch #2:	
Lunch #3:	
Supper #1:	
Supper #1.	
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Supper #2:	





REQUIREMENT 8c:	Discuss how to protect your food against bad weather, animals, and contamination.
How to protect food again	inst bad weather:
How to protect food again	inst animals:
How to protect food again	inst contamination:
now to protect rood again	nst contamination.
REQUIREMENT 8d:	While camping in the outdoors, cook at least one breakfast, one lunch, and one dinner for your patrol from the meals you have planned for requirement 8c. At least one of those meals
	must be a trail meal requiring the use of a lightweight stove.
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Be sure to document and take pictures to show proof of completion to your merit badge counselor.

This requirement must be reviewed with your merit badge counselor.

**BE PREPARED!** 





**REQUIREMENT 9a:** 

Camp a total of at least 20 nights at designated Scouting activities or events. One long-term camping experience of up to six consecutive nights may be applied toward this requirement. Sleep each night under the sky or in a tent you have pitched. If the camp provides a tent that has already been pitched, you need not pitch your own tent.

Camping Log					
Date	Place	Leader Signature			
		# of Nights			





ON ANY OF THESE CAMPING EXPERIENCES, YOU MUST DO TWO OF THE FOLLOWING, ONLY WITH PROPER PREPARATION AND UNDER QUALIFIED SUPERVISION FOR REQUIREMENT 9B

REQUIREMENT 9b:		On any of these camping experiences, you must do TWO of the following, only with proper preparation and under qualified supervision.					
REQUIREMENT 9b1:	Hike up a mo	Hike up a mountain, gaining at least 1,000 vertical feet.					
REQUIREMENT 9b2:	Backpack, sr	Backpack, snowshoe, or cross-country ski for at least 4 miles.					
REQUIREMENT 9b3:	Take a bike t	rip of at least 15 mil	es or at least four ho	ours.			
REQUIREMENT 9b4:	Take a nonm	notorized trip on the	water of at least fou	r hours or 5 miles.			
REQUIREMENT 9b5:	Plan and car	ry out an overnight	snow camping exper	rience.			
REQUIREMENT 9b6:	Rappel down	a rappel route of 30	0 feet or more.				
ACTIVITY #1							
Req 9b1	Req 9b2	Req 9b3	Req 9b4	Req 9b5	Req 9b6		
Location:							
Notes from Experience:							
Adult Leader's Name			Phone				
Adult Leader's Signature			Date				
					completed		





ACTIVITY #2					
Req 9b1	Req 9b2	Req 9b3	Req 9b4	Req 9b5	Req 9b6
Location:					
Notes from Experie	ence:				
Adult Leader's Nam	e		Phone		_
Adult Leader's Signa	ature		Date		
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		landowner or land managing agenc	y. This can be done alone o	r with others.	proved by the
Lo	cation:				
Sc	ope of Project:				
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REQUIREMENT 10:	Discuss how the things you did to earn this badge have taught you about personal health and safety, survival, public health, conservation, and good citizenship. In your discussion, tell how Scout spirit and the Scout Oath and Scout Law apply to camping and outdoor ethics.
Personal Health and Saf	ety:
Survival:	
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Public Health:	





Conservation:	
Good Citizenship:	
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