



2024 Class Preparation Page - for IN-PERSON class only

Automotive Maintenance Merit Badge



Expectations

Read and Review ALL requirements prior to the class Even though a requirement may be identified as one to be done in class, Scouts are still expected to familiarize, review, and prepare for the requirement – BE PREPARED!

Active interaction/participation is expected and mandatory.

Share in your own words – avoid reading your answers.

Pay attention to the action verbs.

Bring proof of completion (even partially completed work)



Things to Remember to Bring

- 1. Your BSA ID# and / or your Merit Badge Blue Card properly filled out and signed off by your Scout Leader
- 2. Scout Uniform
- 3. Notes and Questions from reading the Automotive Maintenance Merit Badge Pamphlet
- 4. Appropriate outdoor weather clothing for the forecasted weather conditions (some/all components of the class will take place outdoors)
- 5. Scouts should consider bringing a smock, an old shirt, or shop coat for in-class project work
- 6. Supporting documentation or project work pertinent to this merit badge which may also include a Merit Badge Workbook for reference with notes.
- 7. A positive Scouting focus and attitude

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Requirements Insight

It must be noted that some requirements may take place outdoors and Scouts should attend with outdoor gear appropriate for the time of year, location, and forecasted weather conditions.

Requirements	Expectations
1a and 1b	 If you have prepared ahead of time, you will be able to complete these requirement components during the class. While the counselor will facilitate aspects of these requirement options, to guarantee completion, Scouts must come to the class prepared and actively participate during the class.
2, 4b, 8d, 10a, and 11c	Be sure to review the merit badge pamphlet for a more comprehensive understanding on these requirement components. • The instructor / counselor will facilitate these requirement components during the class.
ALL other Requirements	If you have prepared ahead of time, you will be able to complete all the other requirements and options during the class.Time will be allotted for those Scouts who have prepared to share their work for sign off consideration

Merit Badge Workbooks are a tool to aid Scouts with their work preparation. BSA discourages — but does not ban — the use of any merit badge worksheets or workbooks. Merit badge counselors must NEVER require the use of merit badge worksheets or workbooks and may if they choose, refuse to accept them. Scouts shall not be required to use ANY of these to complete a merit badge.

