

Teaching by Forest Yang!

A resume is something that directly conveys the character you've developed through scouting.

A basic resume will contain all sorts of statistics and metrics about your boy scout career, but that's not enough! Your resume is all about communication - talk about why these statistics matter.

Design and aesthetics matter in your resume, but what's most important is whether the person reading your resume can get a sense of what kind of person you are.

Take a look at two examples below. One is a "bad" resume, and one is a very good resume. See if you can tell the difference!

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Troop Information:

Troop 485

District: Polaris

Council: Silicon Valley Monterey Bay

Patrol: Wildcats

Ranks

Date

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| Scout | 1/2/2012 |
| Tenderfoot | 12/10/12 |
| Second Class | 06/10/13 |
| First Class | 10/13/14 |
| Star | 05/18/15 |

Merit Badges:

Non-Eagle Required

Archery

Basketry

Graphic Arts

Orienteering

Rifle Shooting

Fingerprinting

Eagle Required

Environmental Science

First Aid

Swimming

Camping

Currently working on:

Citizenship in Community, Cooking

Leatherwork

Wilderness Survival

Art

Kayaking

Chess

Canoeing

E. Preparedness

Personal Fitness

Family Life

Eagle required: 7

Non-Eagle: 12

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| Training: | Date Completed |
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| CPR/AED | 11/4/12 |
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Troop Job Experience:

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| Patrol Leader (Hawks, 2/1/13 - 8/1/13) | Scribe (8/1/14 - 2/1/15) | Instructor (2/1/16 - current) |
| Quartermaster (2/1 - 8/1/14) | ASPL (8/1/15 - 2/1/16) | |

Patrol Job Experience:

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| Grubmaster (Hawks, 2/1 - 8/1/12) | (Hawks, 8/1/12 - 2/1/13) | (Hawks, 2/1/13 - 8/1/13) |
| Scribe (Hawks, 8/1/13 - 2/1/14) | Phoner (Hawks, 2/1 - 8/1/14) | Troop Guide (Wildcats, 2/1/15 - 8/1/15) |
| Assistant Patrol Leader | Patrol Leader | |

Service Stars

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| <i>Years of Service</i> | <i>Date</i> |
| 1 | 10/01/12 |
| 2 | 10/01/13 |
| 3 | 10/01/14 |
| 4 | 10/21/15 |
| 5 | 10/01/16 |

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| Service Projects | Hours | Date |
| YSI Insect Fair (patrol) | 3.0 | 05/12/12 |
| Memorial Day Flag Planting | 2.0 | 05/26/12 |
| Cupertino HS Weeding (patrol) | 1.5 | 07/10/12 |
| Harvest Night | 0.75 | 10/31/12 |
| Scouting For Food | 1.0 | 11/10/12 |
| Sign posting at patrol camp | 0.5 | 11/18/12 |
| Easter Eggs (patrol) | 3.0 | 03/09/13 |
| Cupertino HS Weeding (patrol) | 1.5 | 04/27/13 |
| Memorial Day Flag Planting | 2.0 | 05/25/13 |

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| Scouting For Food | 1.5 | 11/09/13 |
| Mulching at patrol camp | 1.0 | 11/24/13 |
| Painting walls at HOC5 (patrol) | 3.0 | 12/14/13 |
| Scout Sunday | 4.5 | 02/02/14 |
| Painting walls at HOC5 (patrol) | 3.0 | 03/29/14 |
| Memorial Day Flag Planting | 2.0 | 05/24/14 |
| Creekside Cleanup (patrol) | 3.0 | 09/20/14 |
| HOC5 Easter Extravaganza | 7.0 | 04/05/15 |
| Scouting for Food | 1.0 | 11/14/15 |
| Scouting for Food | 0.5 | 11/21/15 |
| Rose Garden Weeding (patrol) | 2.5 | 04/02/16 |
| Memorial Day Flag Planting | 3.0 | 05/28/16 |
| Guadalupe River Cleanup (patrol) | 3.0 | 03/18/17 |

Total Hours: 47 hours 45 minutes

Eagle Service Projects Participated

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| <i>Scout</i> | <i>Hours</i> |
| Kevin Wang | 1.0 |
| Darren Yau | 4.0 |
| Brandon Li | 3.0 |

Total Hours: 5 hours 0 minutes

| Campouts | Location | Date |
|-------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|
| Pinnacles | Pinnacles National Monument | 10/1-10/2/2011 |
| Patrol Camp | Joseph D. Grant County Park | 3/17-3/18/2012 |
| 2012 Family Camp | Big Basin Redwoods State Park | 5/26-5/27/2012 |
| 2012 Summer Camp | Camp Hi-Sierra | 7/22-7/28/2012 |
| Mt. Diablo | Mt. Diablo State Park | 9/1-9/2/2012 |
| CASA Camporee | Camp Chesebrough | 9/29-9/30/2012 |
| Patrol Camp | Mt. Madonna County Park | 11/17-11/18/2012 |
| Father and Son | Camp Tamarancho | 12/1-12/2/2012 |
| Mother and Son | New Brighton State Beach | 3/16-3/17/2013 |
| District Camporee | Camp Chesebrough | 4/13-4/14/2013 |
| 2013 Family Camp | Mt. Diablo State Park | 5/25-5/26/2013 |
| 2013 Summer Camp | Camp Oljato | 7/28-8/3/2013 |
| Mini-TLT | Henry Coe State Park | 8/17-8/18/2013 |
| Labor Day | Sequoia National Park | 8/31-9/2/2013 |

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| Patrol Camp | Uvas Canyon State Park | 3/15-3/16/2014 |
| Family Camp | Mt. Madonna County Park | 5/17-5/18/2014 |
| Rafting | American Whitewater | 6/7-6/8/2014 |
| 2014 Summer Camp | Camp Emerald Bay | 6/29-7/5/2014 |
| Labor Day | Emigrant Wilderness | 8/29-9/1/2014 |
| CASA Camporee | Camp Chesebrough | 9/26-9/28/2014 |
| TLT | Camp Chesebrough | 1/17-1/18/2015 |
| Patrol Camp | Sunset Beach | 3/14-3/15/2015 |
| Labor Day Practice | Henry Coe State Park | 8/22-8/23/2015 |
| Labor Day | Emigrant Wilderness | 9/5-9/7/2015 |
| TLT | Camp Chesebrough | 1/9-1/10/2016 |
| 2016 Summer Camp | Camp Makualla | 7/23-8/30/2016 |
| Labor Day | Emigrant Wilderness | 9/3-9/5/2016 |

Total Nights: 46

Outings/Activities

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| Popcorn Sales 2011 | Transition Party 08/24/13 |
| End of Year Party 2011 | Transition Party 02/08/14 |
| Patrol Outing – Golfland - 5/19/12 | Transition Party 08/23/14 |
| Bowling and Swimming - 7/9/12 | Transition Party 08/15/15 |
| Coyote Creek Cycling Classic 212 | End of Year Party 2015 |
| End of Year Party 2012 | Transition Party 08/27/16 |
| Coyote Creek Cycling Classic 2013 | Transition Party 03/04/17 |
| Transition Party 03/09/13 | |

Hobbies

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| Cross Country | Graphic Design |
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Event planning and leadership experience through planning patrol camp and service projects as PL, and being Scout-In-Charge of Flag Planting and MC for Court of Honors.

Teaching and mentorship in guiding scouts through rank requirements as a Troop Guide and Star Scout, and organizing teachings as Instructor.

Self-management and citizenship skills built through completion of merit badges including Personal Fitness and Family Life, as well as involvement in service projects such as Scouting for Food, helping with church activities, and conservation.

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**MERIT
BADGES** Learned essential outdoor and citizenship skills, and practiced communication through contacting and setting meetings with counselors and other scouts.

Eagle Required
Environmental Science
First Aid
Swimming
Camping
E. Preparedness
Personal Fitness
Family Life

Non-Eagle Required
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TROOP JOB EXPERIENCE

Instructor (2/1/16 - current) – organize and execute teachings (first aid, sewing) and propose ideas for improvement to PLC.

ASPL (8/1/15 – 2/1/16) – approved patrol activity requests, observed and learned SPL practices.

Scribe (8/1/14 – 2/1/15) – implemented spreadsheet for attendance.

Quartermaster (2/1 – 8/1/14) – implemented spreadsheet for box inventory.

PATROL JOB EXPERIENCE

Troop Guide (Wildcats, 2/1/15 – 8/1/15) – helped scouts in fulfilling their requirements for me to sign off.

Phoner (Hawks, 2/1 – 8/1/14) – called scouts for headcounts.

Scribe (Hawks, 8/1/13 – 2/1/14) – took notes of patrol meeting and emailed them to patrol group afterwards.

Patrol Leader (Hawks, 2/1/13 - 8/1/13) – organized transition party, patrol camp, service projects (painted walls at church).

Assistant Patrol Leader (Hawks, 8/1/12 - 2/1/13) – observed PL practices.

Grubmaster (Hawks, 2/1 - 8/1/12) – bought food and helped plan menu for campouts.

SERVICE PROJECTS

Supported community efforts such as church's Easter, Harvest Night, and Scout Sunday, and charities in Scouting for Food; supported conservation goals through river cleanups and projects at parks.

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CAMPOUTS Practiced leave no trace principles, planned Patrol Camp 2013 and helped later PLs in planning theirs, supervised campsite of scouts at Summer Camp 2016, navigated and led backpacking group at Labor Day.

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OUTINGS & ACTIVITIES Bonded with other scouts in my patrol through outings and Transition Parties, and built relationships with the rest of the troop on activities like day hikes, rafting and Coyote Creek.

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HOBBIES Cross Country
Basketball
Graphic Design
FBLA
Science Competitions