# **CUB SCOUT APPLICATION**

Tiger Cub—Must be under the age of 8, who has completed kindergarten or is in the first grade or be age 7.

Cub Scout—Must have completed first grade, but not completed third grade, or be age 8 or 9.

Webelos Scout—Must have completed third grade, but has not completed fifth grade, or be age 10, but not yet 11½.

#### **CUB SCOUT PROMISE**

I, (name), promise
To do my best
To do my duty to God
and my country,
To help other people, and
To obey the Law of the Pack.





# TEMPORARY MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATE

(Good for sixty days)
This certifies that

is a

- ☐ Tiger Cub
- ☐ Cub Scout

Pack\_\_\_\_\_

Cubmaster

Date



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#### **BOYS' LIFE MAGAZINE**

First Issue

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A Message to Parents. The youth registration fee is \$10 for one year.

**Boys' Life** is the monthly magazine of the Boy Scouts of America. It will help your son and stimulate his interest in good reading. His subscription is only \$12.00 a year (half the new regular rate of \$24.00 a year). Just check the *Boys' Life* box on the application. Please calculate and remit the appropriate state and local taxes. On late registrations it may be necessary to deliver back issues.

#### Official Cub Scout Official Tiger Cub Uniform Official Cub Scout Uniform Official Webelos Scout Uniform\*\* Literature ☐ Blue uniform shirt ☐ Blue uniform shirt ☐ Tiger Cub Handbook Khaki uniform shirt ☐ Blue uniform pants ☐ Blue uniform pants ☐ Wolf Handbook ☐ Khaki uniform pants or shorts or shorts ☐ Bear Handbook or shorts ☐ Tiger Cub web belt ☐ Cub Scout web belt ■ Webelos Handbook with buckle Blue web belt with with buckle Webelos buckle ☐ Tiger Cub crew socks ☐ Cub Scout ankle, crew, or **How to Buy Official** ☐ Khaki ankle, crew, or knee socks ☐ Tiger Cub cap **Uniform Parts and** knee socks ☐ Wolf or Bear cap ☐ Tiger Cub neckerchief Accessories ■ Webelos cap ■ Wolf or Bear neckerchief ☐ Tiger Cub neckerchief Ask your den or ■ Webelos neckerchief ☐ Cub Scout neckerchief slide and slide pack leader or visit slide ■ Den numerals\* ■ Unit numerals\* www.scoutstuff.org ■ Den numerals\* Unit numerals\* to find your closest ■ World Crest emblem ■ Unit numerals\* Scouting retailer, Items ■ World Crest emblem ☐ Council shoulder patch ☐ World Crest emblem may also be purchased ☐ Council shoulder patch ■ Blue shoulder loops Council shoulder patch by calling ☐ Webelos colors 800-323-0732. \*Ask your Cubmaster or den leader before purchasing these \*\*In some packs, Webelos items to ensure you have the proper uniform insignia that Scouts wear the blue uniform shirt and pants. Check with vour den wears. your leader before purchasing.

#### Parent Information

- Complete information on the application page and sign your name indicating approval.
- 2. Give completed application and fees to the Cubmaster.

#### Parent Agreement

I have read the Cub Scout Promise and I want my son to join the pack. I will assist him in observing the policies of the Boy Scouts of America and of his pack's chartered organization. I will

- While he is a Tiger Cub, serve as his adult partner and participate in all meetings and approve his advancement.\*
- While he is a *Cub Scout*, help him and approve his Cub Scout advancement.
- While he is a Tiger Cub, Cub Scout, or Webelos Scout, attend monthly pack meetings and take part in other activities; assist pack leaders as needed.
- \*If the parent is not serving as the adult partner, the parental signature on the application indicates approval of the adult partner, and a separate adult application is required.

# BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

(On the youth's application for membership, a parent or guardian must certify that he or she has read this information sheet.)

#### Welcome to the Boy Scouts of America

Your child is joining more than 4 million members of the Boy Scouts of America. Please take the time to review this material and reflect upon its importance.

#### The BSA and the Chartered Organization

The Boy Scouts of America makes Scouting available to our nation's youth by chartering community organizations to operate Cub Scout packs, Boy Scout troops, Varsity Scout teams, and Venturing crews. The chartered organization must provide an adequate and safe meeting place and capable adult leadership, and must adhere to the principles and policies of the BSA. The BSA local council provides unit leader training, program ideas, camping facilities, literature, professional guidance for volunteer leaders, and liability insurance protection.

#### **Scouting's Volunteers and You**

Scouting's adult volunteers provide leadership at the unit, district, council, and national levels. Many are parents of Scouts; many entered Scouting as youth members. Each chartered organization establishes a unit committee, which operates its Scouting unit, selects leadership, and provides support

for a quality program. Unit committees depend on parents for membership and assistance.

The unit committee selects the Cubmaster, Scoutmaster, Varsity Scout Coach, or Venturing Advisor, subject to approval of the chartered organization. The unit leader must be a good role model because our children's values and lives will be influenced by that leader. You need to know your child's unit leader and be involved in the unit committee's activities so you can evaluate and help direct that influence.

Scouting uses a fun program to promote character development, citizenship training, and personal fitness for every member. You can help by encouraging perfect attendance, assisting with your child's advancement, attending meetings for parents, and assisting with transportation. As a Tiger Cub adult partner, you will also participate in all meetings and activities with your son.

## **Program Policies**

Chartered organizations agree to use the Scouting program in accordance with their own policies as well as those of the BSA. The program is flexible,

but major departures from BSA methods and policies are not permitted. As a parent, you should be aware that:

- Leadership is restricted to qualified adults who subscribe to the Declaration of Religious Principle, the Scout Oath, and the Scout Law.
- Citizenship activities are encouraged, but partisan political activities are prohibited.
- Military training and drills are prohibited. Marksmanship and elementary drill for ceremonies are permitted.
- The Boy Scouts of America recognizes the importance of religious faith and duty; it leaves sectarian religious instruction to the member's religious leaders and family. Members who do not belong to a unit's religious chartered organization shall not be required to participate in its religious activities.
- Two registered adult leaders or one registered adult leader and a parent of a participant, one of whom must be 21 years of age or older, are required on all trips and outings. If trips and outings are coeducational, leaders of both genders must be present.
- Corporal punishment and hazing are not permitted. Parents and unit leaders must work together to solve discipline problems.
- One-on-one activities between youth members and adults are not permitted; personal conferences must be conducted in plain view of others.
- If you suspect that anyone in the unit is a victim of child abuse, immediately contact the Scout executive, who is responsible for reporting this to the appropriate authorities.
- All Scouting activities are open to parental visitation. There are no "secret" organizations within the Boy Scouts of America.

## **Excerpt from the Declaration of Religious Principle**

The Boy Scouts of America maintains that no member can grow into the best kind of citizen without recognizing an obligation to God and, therefore,

recognizes the religious element in the training of the member, but it is absolutely nonsectarian in its attitude toward that religious training. Its policy is that the home and the organization or group with which the member is connected shall give definite attention to religious life. Only persons willing to subscribe to this Declaration of Religious Principle and to the Bylaws of the Boy Scouts of America shall be entitled to certificates of membership.

## **Policy of Nondiscrimination**

Youth membership in the Boy Scouts of America is open to all boys and young adults who meet the joining requirements. Membership in Scouting, advancement, and achievement of leadership in Scouting units are open to all youths without regard to race or ethnic background and are based entirely upon individual merit.

**Ethnic Background Information.** BSA receives inquiries from various agencies regarding racial composition. Please mark the appropriate box to indicate ethnic background.

☐ African American	Caucasian
☐ American Indian	☐ Hispanic/Latino
☐ Alaska Native	☐ Pacific Islander
☐ Asian	Other

#### **Thank You**

The Boy Scouts of America appreciates your taking time to become familiar with Scouting. We feel that an informed parent is a strong ally in delivering the Scouting program. Help us keep the unit program in accord with Scouting principles. Alert the unit committee, chartered organization representative, and head of the chartered organization to any major deviations. Please do your fair share to support a quality unit program.

CUB SCOUT APPLICATION		Check one						
PACK NO. EXPIRE DATE	ERM MONTHS	Tiger Cub Cub Scout	Webelos Scout Lone Cub Scout					
If applicant has an unexpired membership certificate, registration returned by the council.  TRANSFER FROM: COUNCIL NO. UNIT T		paying \$1 for processing the transfer. Check	the box and attach certificate. It will be					
Please print one letter in each space—press hard, you are r								
First name (No initials or nicknames)	Middle initial Last name		Suffix					
Country Mailing address	City		State Zip code					
Home phone Date of birth mm-dd	ryyyy Grade Ethnic background (Plea African American Caucasian	se mark the appropriate box.)  American Indian  Alaska Native  Hispanic/Latino  Pacific Islander  Other	ol Boys' Life					
Cub Scout Parent/Guardian or Tiger Cub Adult Partner Information  If the adult partner is not the parent living at the same address complete and attach an adult application.  Relationship  Guardian  Tiger Cub Adult Partner								
First name	Middle name	Last name	Suffix					
Country Mailing address	City		State Zip code					
Home phone Date of birth mm-do	d-yyyy Occupation	Employer	Sex					
Business phone Previous Scouting experience Parent e-mail address								
I have read the attached information sheet and approve the application.								
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Signature of Cubmaster Registration fee \$ Boys' Life fee \$	Signature of parent		Date 28-102R					

# **Class 1 Personal Health History**

(Update annually, using form No. 34414.)

#### PLEASE DETACH BEFORE COMPLETING.

**Identification:** To be filled out by parent or guardian. Please print in ink.

Name			Date of birth			Age		
Name of parent or guardian								
Home address			City			State	Zip code	
Check all items that apply, past or	present, to your health	history. Exp	olain any "Yes" answers.					
Allergies: Food, medicines, insec	ts, plants Yes 🗌 No	Explain:	<u> </u>					
General Information: Yes No		Yes No		Yes No		Yes No		Yes No
ADHD (Attention Deficit	Asthma		Convulsions/seizures		Heart trouble		High blood pressure	
Hyperactivity Disorder)	Cancer/leukemia		Diabetes		Hemophilia		Kidney disease	
List any medications to be taken a	at camp:							
List equipment needed such as w	_							
Tetanus toxoid	•		•		Polio		Hepatitis A	
Diphtheria					Chicken Pox			
Name of personal physician					Telephone			
Personal health/accident insurance	e carrier				Policy No			
Parent Authorization: This health history is correct so faillness or accident in the course of								the event of
Signature		Parent or guard	dian			Date _		