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MIC5

Animation



Computer or traditional animation tasks that will test a Scout's creativity, artistic skills, and storytelling abilities.

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Linked Requirements: Animation

Notes and Prerequisites: Pre Regs: None

MIC10

Architecture



Architecture is not just the special buildings like cathedrals, museums, or sports stadiums we read about or see on television; it is as normal as the homes, places of worship, schools, and shopping malls where we live, worship, work, learn, and play every day. However, architecture is more than just common shelter; building has always satisfied the human need to create something of meaning. Even the simplest form of architecture is a work of art that requires thought and planning.

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Linked Requirements: Architecture
Notes and Prerequisites: Pre Regs: # 4

MIC2

Astronomy



In learning about astronomy, Scouts study how activities in space affect our own planet and bear witness to the wonders of the night sky: the nebulae, or giant clouds of gas and dust where new stars are born; old stars dying and exploding; meteor showers and shooting stars; the moon, planets, and a dazzling array of stars.

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Linked Requirements: Astronomy

Notes and Prerequisites: Pre Reqs: None

MIC8

Bird Study



Birds are among the most fascinating creatures on Earth. Many are beautifully colored. Others are accomplished singers. Many of the most important discoveries about birds and how they live have been made by amateur birders. In pursuing this hobby, a Scout might someday make a valuable contribution to our understanding of the natural world.

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Linked Requirements: Bird Study

Notes and Prerequisites: Pre Reqs: Possibly 7 as homework

MIC14

Camping



Camping is one of the best-known methods of the Scouting movement. When he founded the Scouting movement in the early 1900s, Robert Baden-Powell encouraged every Scout to learn the art of living out-of-doors. He believed a young person able to take care of himself while camping would have the confidence to meet life's other challenges, too.

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Linked Requirements: Camping

Notes and Prerequisites: Pre Reqs: 4b, 5e, 7, 8d, 9a





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MIC6

Citizenship in the Nation



As Scouts fulfill the requirements for this merit badge, they will learn how to become active citizens are aware of and grateful for their liberties and rights, to participate in their governments and protect their freedom, helping to defend their country and standing up for individual rights on behalf of all its citizens.

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Linked Requirements: Citizenship in the Nation **Notes and Prerequisites:** Pre Regs: None

MIC9

Citizenship in the World



Scouts who earn the Citizenship in the World merit badge will discover that they are already citizens of the world. How good a world citizen each person is depends on his willingness to understand and appreciate the values, traditions, and concerns of people in other countries.

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Linked Requirements: Citizenship in the World **Notes and Prerequisites:** Pre Reqs: None

MIC15

Communication



This clear and concise definition comes from the U.S. Department of Education: "Communication focuses on how people use messages to generate meanings within and across various contexts, cultures, channels, and media. The field of communication promotes the effective and ethical practice of human communication."

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Linked Requirements: Communication Notes and Prerequisites: Pre Reqs: 3,5,8

MIC12

Genealogy



Exploring your roots - where your family name came from, why your family lives where it does, what your parents and grandparents did for fun when they were your age - can be fascinating. Discovering your ancestors back through history is what genealogy is all about.

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Linked Requirements: Genealogy Notes and Prerequisites: Pre Reqs: #3

MIC13

Law



Earning this merit badge enables a Scout to learn about the history and kinds of laws, the purpose and methods of law enforcement, consumer protection agencies, emerging law, and careers in the legal profession.

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Linked Requirements: Law

Notes and Prerequisites: Pre Reqs: None- Possible some post reqs





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MIC11

Personal Management



Personal management is about mapping a plan for your life that will involve setting short-range and long-range goals and investigating different ways to reach those goals. Education, training, and experience all help make your goals become a reality. To achieve your goals, you will choose the best path and make a commitment to it, while remaining flexible enough to deal with changes and new opportunities.

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Linked Requirements: Personal Management **Notes and Prerequisites:** Pre Reqs: #2

MIC3

Space Exploration



Space is mysterious. We explore space for many reasons, not least because we don't know what is out there, it is vast, and humans are full of curiosity. Each time we send explorers into space, we learn something we didn't know before. We discover a little more of what is there.

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Linked Requirements: Space Exploration **Notes and Prerequisites:** Pre Reqs: None

MIC7

Sustainability



Sustainability Merit Badge.

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Linked Requirements: Sustainability **Notes and Prerequisites:** Pre Reqs: None

MIC1

Swimming (2024 version)



Swimming is a leisure activity, a competitive sport, and a basic survival skill. Scouts who earn this badge will learn about safety when swimming and diving, how swimming can contribute to overall fitness and health, and gain some basic competitive swimming skills.

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Linked Requirements: Swimming

Notes and Prerequisites: Pre Regs: None

MIC4

Textile



People use countless fibers and fabrics in their everyday lives: clothes, carpets, curtains, towels, sheets, upholstered furniture. Add to that list boat sails, book bindings, bandages, flags, sleeping bags, mailbags, airbags, seat belts, backpacks, parachutes, umbrellas, basketball nets, and more.

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Linked Requirements: Textile

Notes and Prerequisites: Pre Reqs: None





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