



Merit Badge Information Sheet [MBIS]
November 9, 2024

Merit Badge:	Theater
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Preferred Method of Contact:	
	<p>When you email, put your name on the subject header. If you can, send all the documents in one email to BOTH merit badge counselors. To comply with Youth Protection guidelines, scouts should copy a leader or parent on all email communication with the counselor.</p>
<p>Prerequisites: <i>list all requirements which need to be completed in advance</i></p>	<p>1. See or read three full-length plays. Write a review of each. Discuss with your counselor the plot or story. If you chose to watch the plays, comment on the acting and the staging.</p> <p>2. Write a one-act play that will take at least 10 minutes to perform. The play must have a main character, conflict, and a climax. As a general rule, each a page of script takes about a minute to perform.</p>
<p>Class Work: <i>list all requirements which will be completed in class</i></p>	<p>3. Theatre practical activities safety discussion only</p> <p>4. Mime any one of the following. Select one from a-e.</p> <p>5. Discuss and define common theater terminology.</p>
Use of "Online" Workbook:	<p>Found at = http://usscouts.org/mb/worksheets</p> <p>Requirements: https://www.scouting.org/merit-badges/theater/</p>
Merit Badge Booklet:	Booklet not required
Number of Sessions needed:	1
Maximum Class Size:	15



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Notes and/or Comments:

Section 3 offers 10 possible practical requirements that you can do with your school or local theatre group. You will need to complete 3 for this merit badge. If you are currently involved in a theatre program, please come prepared to discuss. Otherwise, these can be done in the future.