



Merit Badge Information Sheet

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Merit Badge:	Sustainability
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Preferred Method of Contact:	email
Prerequisites: <i>list all requirements which need to be completed in advance</i>	When you email, put your name on the subject header. If you can, send all the documents in one email. To comply with Safeguarding Youth guidelines, scouts should copy a leader or parent on all email communication with the counselor. • Do ONE: Water 2(a), 2(b), or 2(c) • Do ONE: Food 3(a), 3(b), or 3(c) • Do ONE: Community 4(a), 4(b), or 4(c) • Do ONE: Energy 5(a), 5(b), or 5(c) • Do ONE: Stuff 6(a), 6(b), or 6(c) • Do TWO: 7(a), 7(b), 7(c), 7(d), 7(e) or 7(f) • Do EACH: 8(a), 8(c), 9
Class Work: <i>list all requirements which will be completed in class</i>	• 1 • 8(b) • Discussion for all prerequisites above
Use of “Online” Workbook:	Not supported – the site that provided them is no longer updating requirements. Digital resource guides: https://www.scouting.org/skills/merit-badges/digital-resource-guides/sustainability/
Merit Badge Booklet:	Requirements found at: https://www.scouting.org/merit-badges/sustainability/
Number of Sessions needed: <i>each session is 1 hour 25 minutes</i>	2
Maximum Class Size:	12
Notes and/or Comments:	This merit badge requires substantial pre-work. Please be prepared to demonstrate your knowledge of these requirements during the session.