**Ed Bryant Scout Reservation**

2025 Summer Camp Merit Badge Prerequisites

**Boat Beach**

*No other prerequisites*1: Canoeing^, Kayaking, Rowing, Small Boat Sailing, Water Sports

**Ecology and Conservation (EcoCon)**

Environmental Science\*: [6c], [8b]

Fish and Wildlife Management\*: [5ab], [7bd]

Forestry: [5ab]

Mammal Study: Note: 3b must be started on Monday to complete by Friday

Oceanography: [7f], Note: 7c must be started on Monday to complete by Friday, [8b], Note: 8c must be completed with Troop

Reptile and Amphibian Study\*: 8a or 8b

Weather: [9b], Note: 9a must be started on Monday to complete by Friday

**Scoutcraft**

Camping^: 9abc, 10 (*if prerequisites are not complete*), requirements 3c, 7b, Note: 8d (based on 8c) must be completed with Troop/Patrol

Cooking\*: 4def (based on 4 abc), 5defgh (based on 5abc) – *unless patrol cooking at camp*, 6def (based on 6abc), Note: 2c must be started on Monday to complete by Friday

Geocaching\*: 7, 8, Note: 9 must be completed with Troop or other listed group

Fishing: 10 (if 9 is not completed or a fish for cleaning and cooking is not obtained)

Orienteering: Note: 10 must be completed with Troop/Patrol

No Prerequisites: Pioneering, Wilderness Survival

**Silver Circle**

Citizenship in the Nation: 8, Note: 5 must be started on Monday to complete by Friday

Communication: 5

First Aid\*: [15ab]

Emergency Preparedness\*: 1 – *unless earned concurrently at camp*, 3abc, [10a]

**Range and Target Activities**

No Prerequisites: Archery\*, Rifle Shooting\*, Shotgun Shooting\*

**STEM**

Composite Materials: [4a]

Digital Technology\*: 8d, 9b

Game Design: 8a or 8b

Movie Making: [2d1], [3a]

No Prerequisites: Photography^

**The SWAMP**

No Prerequisites: Art, Basketry, Metalwork\*

Indian Lore^: 5

Leatherwork: [5d]

Wood Carving: 2a

**Swim Beach**

Swimming^: *No other prerequisites*1

Lifesaving1: 2a – Swimming MB – *unless earned concurrently at camp*

**COPE and Climbing**

No Prerequisites: Climbing\*

1For ALL Aquatics (Boat Beach and Swim Beach) Merit Badges: *must pass Scouting America swimmer test (unless completed at camp)*

[ ] indicates other requirement options are available that can be completed at camp

\*2025 Requirements ^2024 Requirements