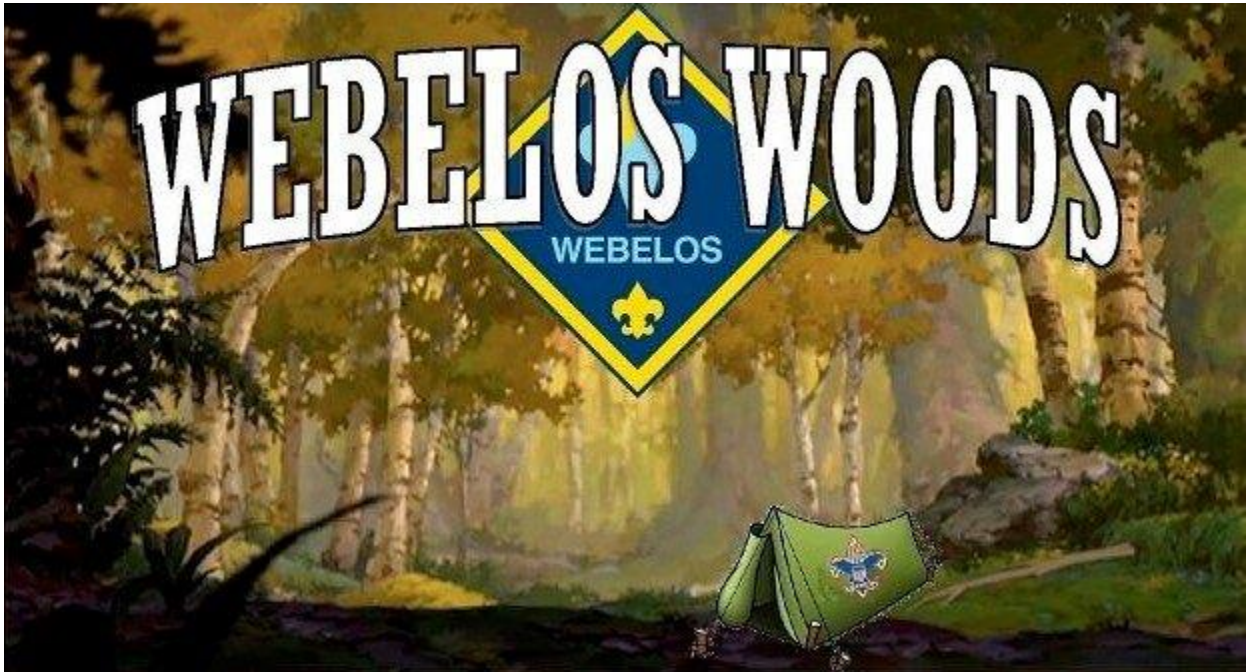


WEBELOS WOODS 2024

TROOP PROGRAM

GUIDE



Wallwood Boy Scout Reservation

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December 6th-8th, 2024

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What is Webelos Woods and Why Attend??

Webelos Woods is an excellent opportunity for Webelos and Arrow of Light (AOL) scouts to learn about scouting at the BSA Troop level. It is a weekend long camping experience that will expose Webelos and AOL scouts and their parents to camping as a BSA Troop utilizing the patrol method. This is also an excellent opportunity for BSA Troops to continue to build the bonds with their associated packs. In BSA troops, the scouts lead the outdoor activities supervised by the adult scouting leaders. Scouts are in-charge of setting up camp, cooking, cleaning, all while having fun.

During the Webelos Woods weekend, parents will have opportunities to talk with BSA troop leaders about expectations and experiences at the troop level. Parents will also be able to enjoy a role reversal with their scouts as the scouts will be preparing, cooking and cleaning up after meals while parents are able to enjoy some comradery while supervising the scouts. There will also be a parent meeting on Saturday morning where parents will be able to learn more about scouting at the BSA troop level. Any Scoutmaster at camp that is available is welcome to join this informative session.

Troop Duties: BSA Scouts should guide the Webelos and AOL's in patrol elections on Friday evening for each Patrol. This is an excellent opportunity for the BSA Scouts to practice their leadership skills and form bonds with the younger scouts. BSA Scouts should also help lead the Cub Scouts around camp and teach them about Camp Gadgets. Troop Guides should also work with their patrols for a skit or song for the campfire on Saturday night.

Check-In: Friday night between 5pm-8pm (be sure to pack your supper for Friday night or eat before you arrive. Dinner Friday night is on your own and is not provided by camp staff.) **OR** you can check in Saturday morning between 7:30-9:00am. **EVERYONE** in attendance must have a current Health Assessment (Parts A & B). All scouts should have a completed and signed shooting sports firearms permission form. **ALL adults in attendance must have current Youth Protection training per current BSA Safe Scouting Guidelines.** Please try and consolidate your gear into totes/ bins for easy transportation in and out of camp and to ensure your gear doesn't get lost. We will have gear shuttle service on Friday evening to move gear to campsites. All vehicles will need to be parked in the designated long-term parking area. A gear trailer may remain at the campsite for storage. Troops are welcome to bring Troop Trailers into camp earlier in the day.

Sleeping Arrangements: Units are expected to bring personal tents for sleeping. Per BSA Safe Scouting Guidelines BSA Scouts will sleep as a patrol while the Cub Scouts will also camp as a patrol. BSA Scouts will serve as Senior Patrol Leaders and Troop Guides for the Cub Scouts. Members of each Pack will be camping together as a patrol with their BSA troop guides.

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Meals: Webelos Woods will provide meals for Saturday breakfast, lunch, & dinner and Sunday breakfast. **If you have special dietary requirements such as vegan, gluten free, or allergies please make sure you let the camp staff know when you register and check in.** Meal's will be prepared in each campsite by the scouts. The Webelos Woods staff will deliver meal items to each campsite to be prepared and cooked in the campsite. The camp staff will have water/coolers at each campsite to refill water bottles. Troops will be bringing cooking equipment for meal preparation, cooking, and cleaning. BSA Scouts should act as guides to the Webelos and AOl Scouts. The Cub Scouts should do the majority of the cooking. **We recommend that all scouts and parents bring a personal mess kit to include: plate, bowl, knife, fork, spoon, and cup.**

Tentative campsite meals menu:

- **Breakfast (Sat): Breakfast Burrito's**
- **Lunch (Sat): Sandwiches**
- **Dinner (Sat): Foil Meals**
- **Breakfast (Sun): Cinnamon Rolls**

(All ingredients will be brought to each campsite for units to prepare and cook, Cub Scouts should be able to personalize based on ingredients available)

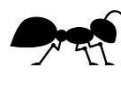
(Any food allergy or food avoidance should be noted during the registration process. The kitchen staff will accommodate for these food allergy/ avoidances during food preparation at the dining hall before delivery to the campsites)

Program: Many of the activities we'll be doing will relate to scouting activities and requirements for various adventure pins. BSA Scouts will help guide the Cub Scouts to their program area throughout the day. Of course we'll HAVE LOTS OF FUN! Activities will also include shooting sports, games, crafts, nature, and more! Remember we go rain or shine! Unit's should plan a song or skit to perform during the campfire on Saturday night. All songs and skits MUST be scout appropriate.

Registration fees: All BSA Scouts and Registered adults should register as staff so that we can account for food for each for the weekend. **Staff registration fee is (youth & adult): \$10.**

BSA Troops are requested to bring the following equipment:

- Patrol boxes
- Camp stoves: fuel for cooking – charcoal is suggested.
ADULTS must supervise camp stoves.
- Lanterns: Propane lanterns are to be hung high (permitted for adult use only).
- All utensils for cooking in your campsite. We recommend everyone have a mess kit.
- Containers for food prep and clean-up.
- First Aid kits
- Campfire safety tools



WHAT TO BRING



Very Important

- _____ Signed Medical Release A, B1, & B2 (**Scannable and Clickable Link** →)
- _____ Signed Firearms Release (**Signed by parent/guardian**)

Personal

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| _____ Stick/Gel Deodorant | _____ Pajamas | _____ Fork/Spoon |
| _____ Pack | _____ Socks | _____ Flashlight |
| _____ Sleeping Bag | _____ Closed toe shoes | _____ Spending money |
| _____ Raingear | _____ Hat | _____ Personal First Aid Kit |
| _____ T-shirts | _____ Swimsuit | _____ Washcloth |
| _____ Full Field Uniform | _____ Towel | _____ Toothbrush |
| _____ Pants | _____ Scout Handbook | _____ Toothpaste |
| _____ Hiking Shorts | _____ Reusable Water Bottle | _____ Soap |
| _____ Undershorts | _____ Plate, cup & bowl | _____ Pencils & note pad |

Optional

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| _____ Gloves | _____ Pillow | _____ Clothes pins |
| _____ Pocket Knife (Whittling Chip) | _____ Insect repellent | _____ Twine or rope |
| _____ Compass | _____ Fishing gear | _____ Envelopes & stamps |
| _____ Rubber boots | _____ Sewing kit | _____ OA sash |
| _____ Sunglasses | _____ Camera | |
| _____ Laundry Bag | _____ Harmonica | |

What Not to Bring to Camp

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| - Pets | - Alcohol and drugs |
| - Electronic Games | - iPods/MP3 |
| - Firearms | - Fireworks |
| - Hatchets | - Tobacco |
| - Router | - Ammunition |

BSA National Guidelines

The following policies have been adopted to provide additional security for youth in the program. In addition, they serve to protect adult leadership from situations in which they are vulnerable to allegations of abuse.

- **Two-deep leadership.** 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. The chartered organization is responsible for ensuring sufficient leadership is provided for all activities. There must also be at least 2 adults in campsites or program areas with the scouts.
- **No one-on-one contact.** One-on-one contact between adults and youth members is not permitted. In situations that require a personal conference, such as a Cubmaster/Leader conference, the meeting is to be conducted in view of other adults and youth.
- **Respect for privacy.** Adult leaders must respect the privacy of youth members in situations such as changing into swimming suits or taking showers at camp and intrude only to the extent that health and safety requires. They must also protect their own safety in similar situations.
- **Separate accommodations.** When camping, no youth is permitted to sleep in the tent of an adult other than his/her own parent. *(It may become necessary to put scouts together if one of them is attending a Webelos Campout without an adult while the adult of the 2nd scout sleeps alone.)*
- **Proper preparation for high-endurance activities.** Activities with elements of risk should not be undertaken without proper preparation, supervision, and safety measures.
- **Boy Scouts of America Smoke-Free Policy.** It is BSA policy to provide a smoke-free environment for all Scouting participants. Therefore, smoking is not allowed at Wallwood BSR property.

Webelos Woods 2024 Camp Schedule

Friday – December 6th

5:00-8:00 pm	Check-In and Set Up
8:00-9:30 pm	Games/ Activities in the Dining Hall/ Pack Time in Campsite
8:30-9:30pm	Cracker Barrel- Dining Hall
10:00 pm	Lights Out

Saturday – December 7th

7:00 am	Reveille
7:00-8:30 am	Breakfast- Campsite
8:45 am	Flag Raising Ceremony/ Program Welcome- Parade Field
9:00 - 11:30 am	Morning Classes (BSA Scouts to guide Cub Scouts to activity areas)
9:05 am	Parents meeting – Dining Hall
11:30–1:30 pm	Prepare & Eat lunch- In Campsite (Trading Post Open)
1:30 – 4:00 pm	Afternoon Classes (BSA Scouts to guide Cub Scouts to activity areas)
4:00 – 5:30 pm	Free time- (Trading Post Open)
5:45 pm	Flag Lowering Ceremony- Parade Field
6:00 - 7:45 pm	Prepare & eat dinner/ Prepare skit for campfire- In Campsite
8:00 - 9:00 pm	Campfire (Awards, Scout Skits, Songs and Fun)- Council Ring
9:00 -10:00 pm	Cracker Barrel/ Pack Time/ Games- Dining Hall
10:00 pm	Lights Out

Sunday – December 8th

7:00 am	Reveille
7:00 - 8:30 am	Breakfast/ Campsite Clean-up- Campsites
8:45 am	Flag Raising Ceremony- Parade Field
9:00 am	Scout’s Own Service- Chapel
9:15–11:00 am	Final Campsite Inspection, Clean-up, & Check Out

Activity Courses and Schedule:

There will be adventure activity classes for both the Webelos and Arrow of Light Scouts. We will have both a morning and afternoon course schedule. Each course will be approximately two and a half hours in length. Scouts will be learning and practicing scouting skills all while having a great time. Scouts will need to pick one area for the morning and one area for the afternoon. (Activities may change based on instructor availability.)

Webelos:

Program Areas Options:

(Pick one in the AM and one in the PM)

- 1) Tech on the Trail & Math on the Trail
- 2) Catch the Big One
- 3) Shooting Sports

AOL:

Program Areas Options:

(Pick one in the AM and one in the PM)

- 1) High Tech Outdoors & Estimations
- 2) Fishing
- 3) Shooting Sports

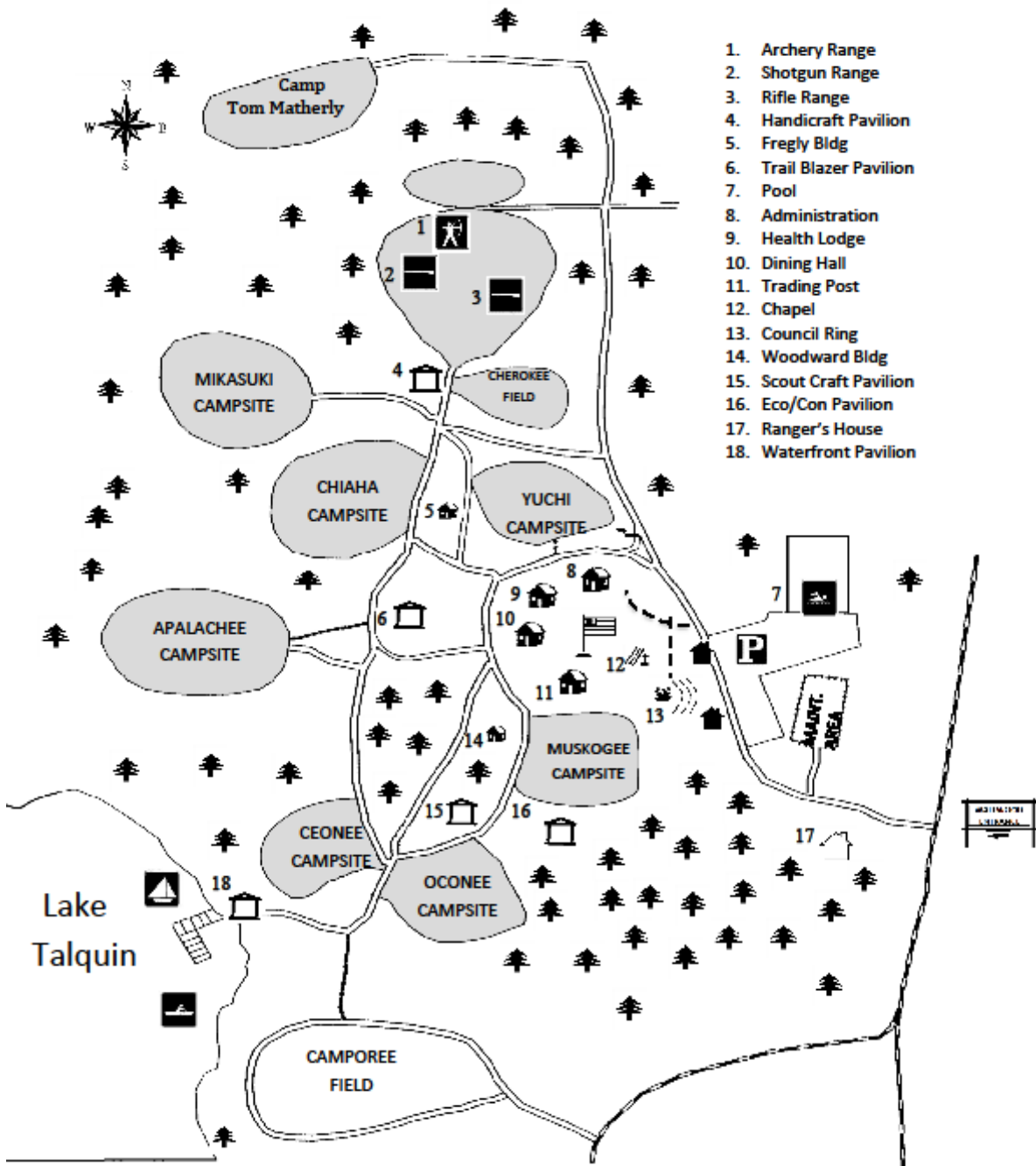
Appendix

Health Forms A & B

Every Scout, Scouter, and parent on premises must have the Boy Scouts of America's Health forms A and B completed before attending camp. **These forms will be submitted at Check-In. Scouts and Scouters that fail to do so will be asked to leave the premises until these forms are completed.** Please follow link below for a printable PDF of this form to be filled out.



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Firearms Permission:

Notice to Parents/Guardians

The State of Florida has enacted legislation that requires the consent of a minor's Parent/Guardian before a firearm may be furnished for the purpose of instruction in the safe handling and shooting of firearms and related activities. If your child will be participating in this program at Wallwood Boy Scout Reservation, it will be necessary for you to give consent.

FOR WALLWOOD BOY SCOUT RESERVATION PARTICIPANTS ONLY

The undersigned has my consent that the Rifle Range Instructor of the Suwannee River Area Council may furnish a firearm to _____ for the purpose of instruction in safe handling and shooting of firearms and related activities. Date _____

Signature (Parent/Guardian) _____

Printed Name _____

PLEASE NOTE: This signed form must be brought to camp **COMPLETED.**

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Webelos Let's Camp Webelos



Activities to fulfill these requirements are listed below. Choose one activity for each requirement to complete Let's Camp Webelos.

Requirement 1: With your den, pack, or family, plan and participate in a campout.

Requirement 2: Upon Revival at the campground, determine where to set-up a tent.

Requirement 3: Set up your tent without help from an adult.

Requirement 4: Identify a potential weather hazard that could occur in your area. Determine the action you will take if you experience the weather hazard during your campout.

Requirement 5: Show how to tie a Bowline. Explain when this knot should be used and why,

Requirement 6: Know the fire safety rules. Using those rules. Locate a safe area to build a campfire.

Requirement 7: Using tinder, kindling, and fuel wood, properly build a teepee fire lay. If circumstances permit, and there is no local restriction on fires, show how to safely light the fire while under adult supervision. After allowing the fire to burn safely, extinguish the flames with minimal impact to the fire site.

Requirement 8: Recite the Outdoor Code and Leave No Trace Principles for Kids from Memory.

After your campout, share the things you did to follow the Outdoor Code and Leave No Trace Principles for Kids with your den or family.



Webelos Chef's Knife



Activities to fulfill these requirements are listed below. Choose one activity for each requirement to complete Chef's Knife

Requirement 1: Read, understand, and promise to follow the "Cub Scout Knife Safety Rules."

Requirement 2: Demonstrate the knife safety circle.

Requirement 3: Demonstrate that you know how to care for and use a kitchen knife safely.

Requirement 4: Choose the correct cooking knife and demonstrate how to properly slice, dice, and mince,



Webelos Tech on the Trail



Activities to fulfill these requirements are listed Below. Choose one activity for each requirement to complete Tech on the Trail.

Requirement 1: Discuss how technology can help keep you safe in the outdoors.

Requirement 2: Explore Global Positioning Satellite and how to use it.

Requirement 3: With an adult, choose an online mapping program tool and plan a 2-mile trek.

Requirement 4: Take your 2-mile trek.



Webelos Math on the Trail



Activities to fulfill these requirements are listed below. Choose one activity for each requirement to complete Math on the Trail.

Requirement 1: Determine your walking pace by walking $\frac{1}{4}$ mile. Make a projection on how long it would take you to walk 2 miles.

Requirement 2: Walk 2 miles and record the time it took you to complete the two miles.

Requirement 3: Make a projection on how long it would take you to hike a 20-mile trail over two days. List all the factors to consider for your projection.



Webelos Catch the Big One



Activities to fulfill these requirements are listed below. Choose one activity for each requirement to complete Catch the Big One.

Requirement 1: Make a plan to go fishing. Determine where you will go and what type of fish you plan to catch. All of the following requirements are to be based on your choice.

Requirement 2: Use the BSA SAFE Checklist to plan what you need for your fishing experience.

Requirement 3: Describe the environment where the fish might be found.

Requirement 4: Make a list of the equipment and materials you will need to fish.

Requirement 5: Determine the best type of knot to tie your hook to your line and tie it.

Requirement 6: Choose the appropriate type of fishing rod and tackle you will be using. Have an adult review your gear.

Requirement 7: Using what you have learned about fish and fishing equipment, spend at least one hour fishing following local guidelines and regulations.



AOL's Knife Safety



Activities to fulfill these requirements are listed below. Choose one activity for each requirement to complete Knife Safety.

Requirement 1: Know the safety rules for handling and using a knife.

Knife Safety Rules. Explain that knife safety rules apply to all knives in all situations.

- **Stop** – make sure no one else is within arm's reach.
Ask Cub Scouts to explain how to ensure no one is within arm's reach. The answer is "safety circle."
- **Away** – cut away from your finger or other body parts.
Ask Cub Scouts why they should always cut away from themselves. The answer is "to avoid being cut with the knife."
- **Sharp** – a sharp, clean knife is a safe knife.
Ask Cub Scouts how they determine if a knife is sharp or dull. Demonstrate the sharpness of a knife by holding a sheet of paper by the edge and slicing through it diagonally in a downward motion as you pull the blade through the paper.
- **Store** – knives closed, in a sheath or knife block.
Where should they keep their knife when it is not being used? The answer is "depends on the knife. Pocketknives should be kept closed while not in use and kitchen knives in a knife block."

Requirement 2: Demonstrate the knife safety circle.

Directions

Before the meeting:

- 1) Establish an area to safely conduct a knife safety circle. Remove all objects and allow for plenty of room for a Cub Scout to safely turn in a circle while holding their pocketknife.

During the meeting:

- 1) Explain to Cub Scouts that they are going to practice making a safety circle, one at a time. Tell them that before they pick up their knife to use it, they should stretch their arm out and turn in a circle. They should also raise their hand above their head and move it in a circle to make sure there is nothing above them. If they cannot touch anyone or anything else, it's safe to use their knife. While using their knife, be sure to watch in case someone walks toward them and gets too close. If someone enters their knife safety circle they are to stop using their knife.
- 2) Have an adult demonstrate the knife safety circle by stretching out their arm and turning in a circle. If you cannot touch anyone or anything else, it's safe to use the knife.
- 3) Have each of the Cub Scouts enter the area that was previously set aside as the knife safety circle and practice. As part of the demonstration, have Cub Scouts pretend they are using their knives. Walk toward them to see if they stop. If they don't, remind them that if someone gets too close to their knife safety circle, they should stop using their knife.

Requirement 3: Demonstrate that you know how to care for and use a knife safely.

Requirement 4: Demonstrate the proper use of a pocketknife to make a useful object on a campout.

Requirement 5: Choose the correct cooking knife and demonstrate how to properly slice, chop, and mince.



AOL's High Tech Outdoors



Activities to fulfill these requirements are listed below. Choose one activity for each requirement to complete High Tech Outdoors.

Requirement 1: With an adult, use a weather app or website to see the forecast for an outdoors activity and discuss any preparation needed to accommodate the weather.

Requirement 2: With an Adult, find a knot tying app. Select one knot to learn, and tie it using the app.

Requirement 3: Discuss how technology has improved camping gear.

Requirement 4: Think of a way technology can improve camping area gear used on one of your outdoor activities.



AOL'S Estimations



Activities to fulfill these requirements are listed below. Choose one activity for each requirement to complete Estimations.

Requirement 1: Estimate food measurements.

Requirement 2: Estimate the time of day.

Requirement 3: Estimate the height of a distant object.

Requirement 4: Estimate the distance between two points.



AOL's Fishing



Activities to fulfill these requirements are listed below. Choose one activity for each requirement to complete Fishing.

Requirement 1: Make a plan to go fishing. Determine where you will go and what type of fish you plan to catch. All of the following requirements are to be based on your choice.

Requirement 2: Use the BSA SAFE Checklist to plan what you need for your fishing experience.

Requirement 3: Describe the environment where the fish might be found.

Requirement 4: Make a list of the equipment and materials you will need to fish.

Requirement 5: Determine the best type of knot to tie your hook to your line and tie it.

Requirement 6: On your own, choose the appropriate type of fishing rod and tackle you will be using. Have an adult review your gear.

Requirement 7: Using what you have learned about fish and fishing equipment, spend at least one hour fishing following local guidelines and regulations.