



## Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills (IOLS)

Complete training in one class

**Location:** Camp Greenwoods Shanghai

**Dates:** Saturday October 18<sup>th</sup> - Sunday October 19<sup>th</sup>

**Check In - 8:00am - 8:45am Saturday October 18<sup>th</sup>**

**Closing - IOLS: 11:00am Sunday October 19<sup>th</sup>**

**Required training for:** Scoutmasters/Ass't. Scoutmasters and Crew Advisers. IOLS REQUIRES an overnight stay

Recommended for all Boy Scout leaders and for those wishing to take Wood Badge training.

This course is designed as an introductory class and will satisfy the required training for Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters. The benefit to Scout leaders is that after taking this training they will be prepared for to take on camping and adventures with some confidence.

**Participants are required to stay overnight as a part of this course.** Participants will be staying in their own tents and working together as Patrols throughout the weekend. You will be learning various cooking techniques as you prepare the meals for the course. Our instructors will guide you on how to set up your campsite and how to prepare the meals.

**Lunch and Dinner on Saturday and Breakfast on Sunday will be provided for IOLS participants.**

### IOLS Course Description:

**Campsite Selection:** Basics; Tent and Bag Specifications

**Cooking and Sanitation:** Prep; Storage; Meal Planning

**Fires, Stoves, Campfires:** Equipment; Safety; Campfire Planning

**Interfaith Services:** Inclusion; Incorporation at Camp-outs

**Outdoor Ethics:** Leave No Trace; Tread Lightly!; Outdoor Code

**Packing and Hiking:** Proper Gear; Packing Techniques

**Plant and Animal ID:** Native and Invasive Species; Tracking

**Map and Compass:** Basics; GPS; Geo cache

**Ropes and Knots:** Whipping; Tying; Lashing

**Woods Tools:** Pocketknife; Camp Saw; Ax; Proper Care and Use; Whittling Chip