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| **Merit Badge:** | | **Graphic Arts** |
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|  | **Prerequisites:**  ***list all requirements which need to be completed in advance*** | **Requirement 3: This would be a \*pre-req before the class. They have to design a printed piece. Then when they meet in class they can discuss the how's and why's of choosing what they designed.**  **Requirement 4: would be a \*pre-req as they must print the design from requirement 3 using one of the printing processes they must take pictures of them completing this requirement and print the required number of copies as stated in the book.**  **Requirement 6: would be \*pre-req and it would be encouraged to do option d, by visiting 3 websites that belong to graphic arts organizations and download product or service information from 2 of the 3 sites to show.**  **Requirement 7: would be \*pre-req as they would research 3 career opportunities in graphic design and pick one and find out what education, training, and experience is required and then explain why that career was interesting to them** |
| **Class Work:**  ***list all requirements which  will be completed in class*** | **Requirement 1: the first part is discussing with me the processes for producing printed communications, so that is easy. The 2nd part would be \*Pre-req they need to have pictures of 3 different products, each one using a different printing process**  **Requirement 2: would be explaining the differences and describing how digital images are created and stored on a computer, so that can be done as well.**  **Requirement 5a: Can be done during the class as it is discussing post-press operations. 5b: they would identify examples that I would show of different bindings.** |
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| **Use of “Online” Workbook:** | | **Found at =** [**http://usscouts.org/mb/worksheets**](http://usscouts.org/mb/worksheets) |
| **Purchase of Merit Badge Booklet:** | | **NOT REQUIRED** |
| **Number of Sessions needed:**  ***each session is 2 hours*** | | **1** |
| **Maximum Class Size:** | | **10** |
| **Notes and/or Comments:** | | **If you email me your completed prerequisites at least two days BEFORE our session, I can review your work in advance and be ready to issue a blue card (with all requirements complete). You can also forward me the prerequisites after the session or once you complete any incomplete requirements.** |