

PROGRAM UPDATES 2024-25 Program Year June 1, 2024



FUN

Fun for Cub Scouts, leaders, and parents.

EASY

Easy to deliver the program as designed.



SIMPLE

Simple to understand, to explain, and to support.

2024

June 1, 2024.



Feedback From over 23,000
Cub Scout
Leaders and
Parents



Four Areas of Improvements



- One set of requirements is ineffective
- What to do with returning Cub Scouts
- Rank or not a rank?



ADVENTURES

- Disjointed required adventure topics
- Inconsistent number of adventures for each rank
- Volunteers want more elective adventures



- WEBELOS (4TH/5TH GRADE)
 - Length of Webelos program
 - Does not follow the pattern of other ranks
 - Purpose of the program



AWARDS

- Awards are not in the direct line of sight of Den Leaders
- Average attachment rate of 1.5%
- Awards do not drive behavior

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Cub Scout Badges of Rank

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Adventures

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Common Activities For Required Adventures





Requirement 2

<u>Take a walk outside</u>
spending at least 20
minutes exploring the outdoors with your
Cub Scout Six
Essentials.



Tiger
Tigers in the Wild

Requirement 3

Take a walk outside
spending at least 20
minutes exploring the
outdoors with your
Cub Scout Six
Essentials.



Wolf Paws on the Path

Requirement 5
Take a walk outside
for at least 30
minutes to explore
nature in your
surroundings. Describ
e four different
animals that you
could see on your
walk.



Bear Bear Habitat

Requirement 5
Go on a 1 mile
walk. Identify six
signs of any
mammals, birds,
insects, reptiles, or
plants. Discuss the
Leave No Trace
principals.



Webelos
Webelos Walkabout

Requirement 5
Using the buddy
system, walk your
planned 2
miles. Discuss what a
helpful buddy does in
an outdoor
environment and
what to do if
separated from the
group.

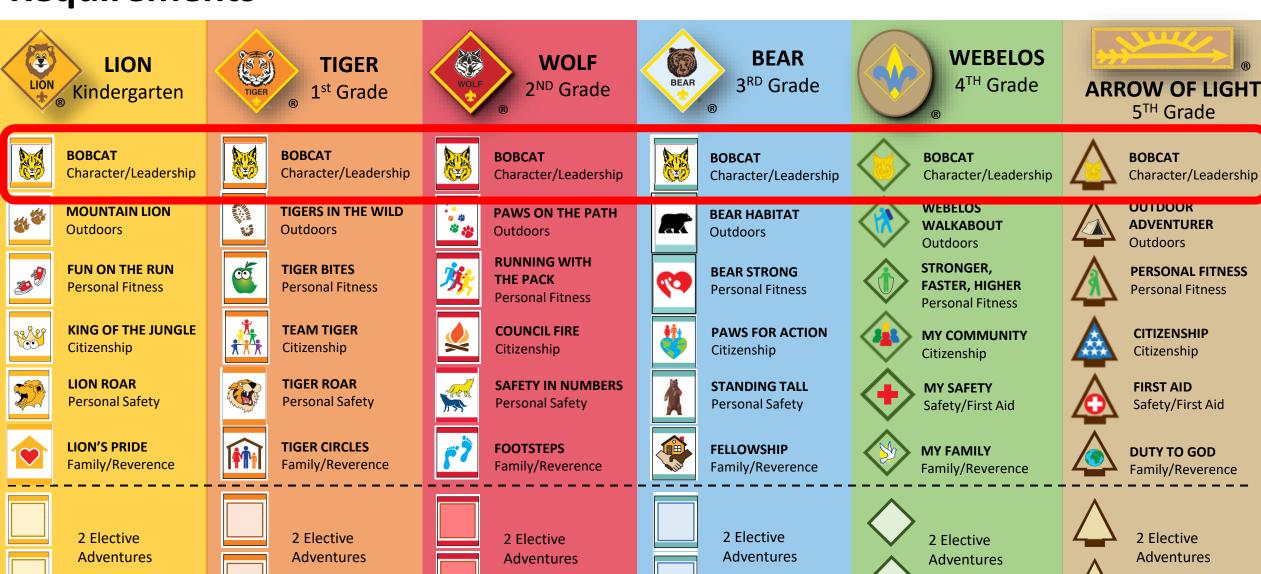
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Adventure Requirements

On Average an Adventure has five requirements.

Simplified requirements.

Updated Code of the Wolf Requirements

- 1. Create a secret code. Send a message to a member of your den or family. Have that person send a message back to you using the same secret code.
- 2. Build and play a game that requires the use of codes or patterns.
- 3. Select a single shape. Observe the environment around you. Write down where you see that shape and how it is being used.
- 4. Using a package that contains a number of different colored items, discover the most common color.

Feedback from Cub Scout Leaders

Spirit of the Water Adventure

Requirements are age appropriate.



Requirements will engage youth in my den.



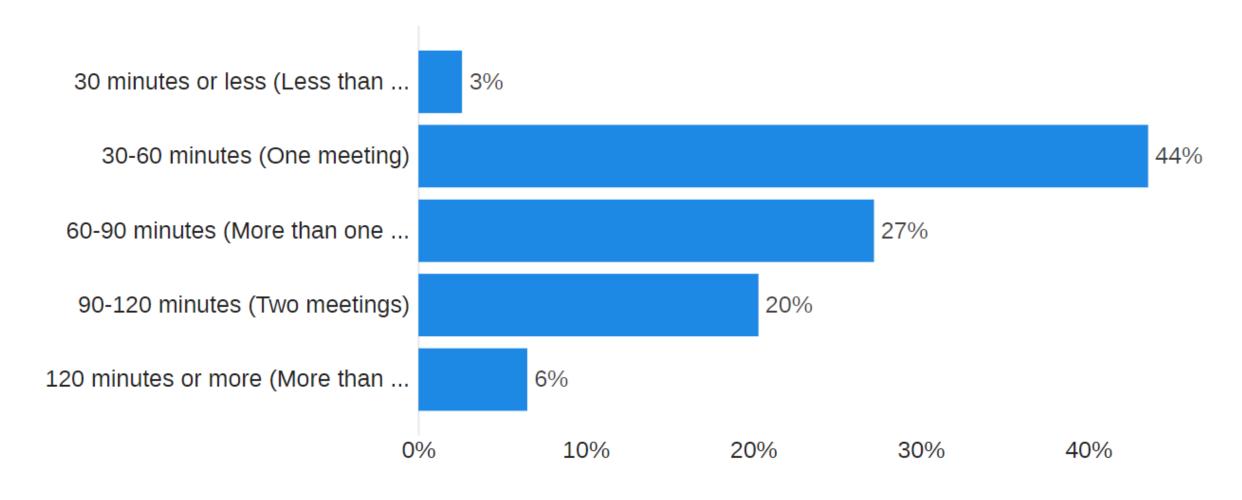
Requirements teach a Scouting skill or reinforce a Scouting value.



Feedback from Cub Scout Leaders

Spirit of the Water Adventure

How long do you think it will take to complete the adventure?





Reimagine Awards to Adventures

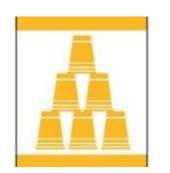


Reimagine Awards to Adventures

Awards have an attachment rate of 1.5% Between 0% and 3%



Elective Adventures have an attachment rate between 15% and 25%











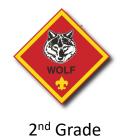


Adventures Available for All Ranks

BOLD indicates new adventure *Italics* indicate existing adventure













de 4th Grade 5th Grade

Activity						
Pinewood Derby / Rain gutter Regatta	Race Time	Race Time	Race Time	Race Time	Race Time	Race Time
Fishing	Go Fish	Fish On	A Wolf Goes Fishing	A Bear Goes Fishing	Catch the Big One	Fishing
Cycling	On a Roll	Rolling Tigers	Pedal with the Pack	Bears on Bikes	Pedal Away	Cycling
Swimming	Time to Swim	Tigers in the Water	Sprit of the Water	Salmon Run	Aquanaut	Swimming



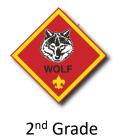
STEM in Scouting

STEM Adventures

BOLD indicates new adventure *Italics* indicate existing adventure











4th Grade



3rd Grade

5th Grade

STEM						
Science	Ready Set Grow	Sky Is the Limit	Digging in the Past	Forensics	Earth Rocks	Into the Woods
Technology	Everyday Tech	Tech All Around	Coding Wolves	Top Chef Tech	Tech on the Trail	High Tech Camping
Engineering	Gizmos and Gadgets	Designed by Tiger	Air of the Wolf	Baloo the Builder	Modular Design	Engineer
Math	Count on Me	Stories in Shapes	Code of the Wolf	Where in the Bear	Math on the Trail	Estimations

CUB SCOUT ELECTIVE ADVENTURES



Kindergarten
16 Electives

Build It Up, Knock It Down Gizmos and Gadgets I'll Do It Myself

On Your Mark

Pick My Path

Ready, Set, Grow

Count On Me

Everyday Tech

Go Fish

Let's Camp

On a Roll

Race Time

Time to Swim

World Conservation

Archery

Slingshot



1st Grade 20 Electives

Curiosity, etc.
Floats and Boats
Good Knights

Rolling Tigers

Safe and Smart Sky Is the Limit

Stories in Shapes

Tiger Tag

Tiger-iffic!

Designed by Tiger

Fish On

Let's Camp

Race Time

Summertime Fun

Tech All Around

Tigers in the Water

World Conservation

Archery

BB Guns

Slingshot



2nd Grade 20 Electives

Adventures in Coins

Air of the Wolf

Code of the Wolf

Cubs Who Care

Digging in the Past

Finding Your Way

Germs Alive!

Paws of Skill

Spirit of the Water

A Wolf Goes Fishing

Computing Wolves

Let's Camp

Paws for Water

Pedal with the Pack

Race Time

Summertime Fun

World Conservation

Archery

BB Guns

Slingshot



3rd Grade 20 Electives

A Bear Goes Fishing Baloo the Builder Critter Care

Forensics

Marble Madness

Roaring Laughter

Salmon Run

Super Science Bears Afloat

Bears on Bikes

Balancing Bears

Let's Camp

Race Time

Summertime Fun

Top Chef Tech

Whittling

World Conservation

Archery

BB Guns Slingshot



4th Grade 20 Electives

Aquanaut

Art Explosion

Aware and Care

Build It

Earth Rocks!

Catch the Big One

Let's Camp

Math on the Trail

Modular Design

Paddle Onward Pedal Away

Race Time

Chef's Knife

Summertime Fun

Tech on the Trail

World Conservation

Yoyo

Archery BB Guns

Slingshot



5th Grade 16 Electives

16 Electives
Engineer

Into the Wild
Into the Woods

Cycling

Estimations

Fishing

High Tech Outdoors

Knife Safety

Paddle Craft

Summertime Fun

Swimming

Race Time

World Conservation

Archery BB Guns

Slingshot

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Arrow of Light Bobcat Required Adventure Requirements



- Learn about the patrol method and discuss the benefits.
- Choose a Patrol name and elect a patrol leader.
- Make a patrol flag that includes everyone's name.
- Recite the Scout Oath and Scout Law with your patrol.
- With your patrol develop a Code of Conduct.
- Demonstrate the Scouts BSA sign, salute, and handshake. Show how each is used.
- With your patrol or with your parent/legal guardian visit a Scouts BSA Troop.
- At home, with your parent or legal guardian do the activities in the booklet "How to Protect Your Children from Child Abuse: A Parent's Guide."

Arrow of Light to Scouts BSA



Collaboration with National Scouts BSA Committee

The complete Arrow of Light badge or rank is designed to prepare for Scouts BSA not just one Adventure.

Designed to have Arrow of Light Cub Scouts joining a Scouts BSA Troop by January/February.

No duplication of requirements between Arrow of Light and Scout Rank.

Webelos and Arrow of Light



4th Grade Webelos

Blue Cub Scout Uniform

Webelos Hat

Webelos Neckerchief

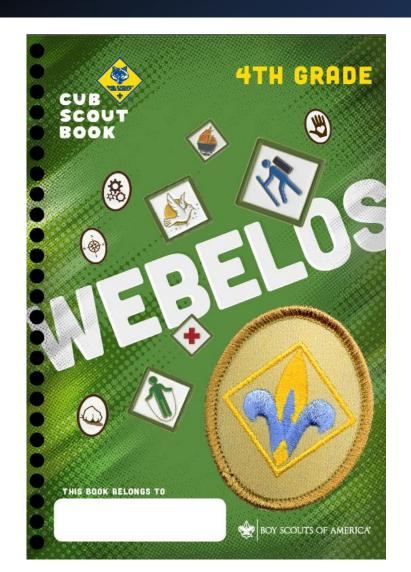


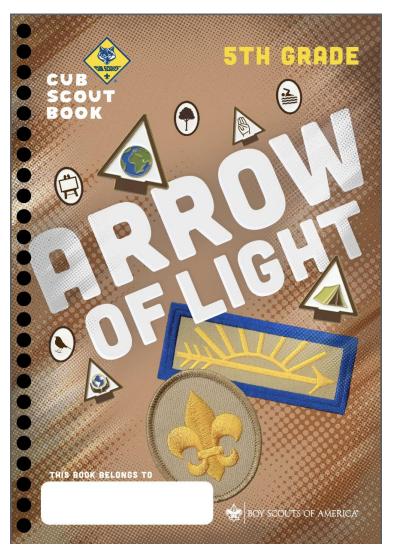
5th Grade Arrow of Light

Scouts BSA Uniform
Tan Shirt
Green Bottoms

There will not be an Arrow of Light Hat or Neckerchief.

Webelos and Arrow of Light





Arrow of Light Handbook

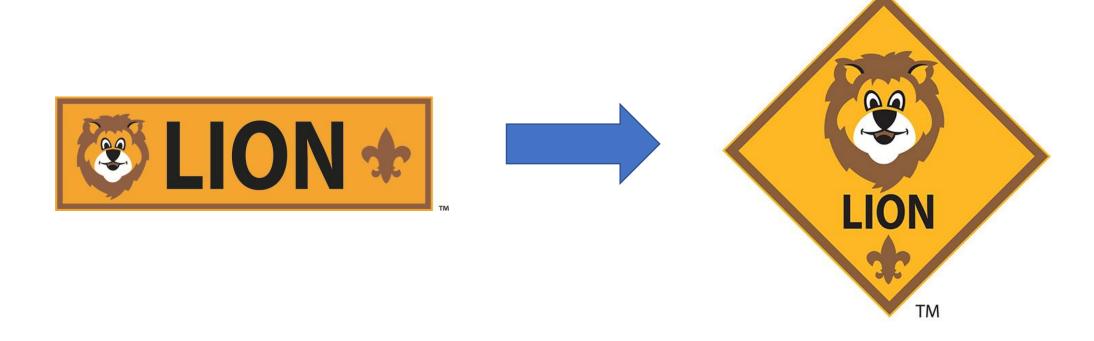
Arrow of Light Required and Elective Adventures

Content from Scouts BSA Handbook on the Scout Badge of Rank requirements.

Requirements for Scout Badge of Rank May Not Be Worked On Until the Cub Scout Is In A Scouts BSA Troop.

Badges of Rank and Adventures

Rolling change - the oblong Lion Badge of Rank to diamond – same dimensions as Tiger, Wolf, and Bear.



Badges of Rank and Adventures

Current Cub Scouts do not need to change their uniform. Lion – Bear badges of rank position on the uniform is based on the order earned.



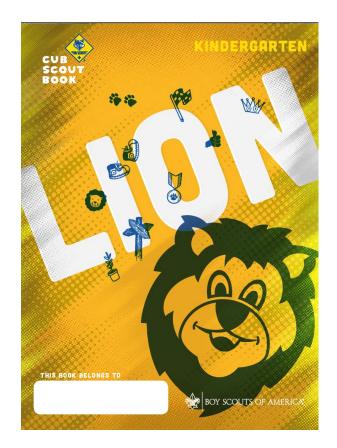


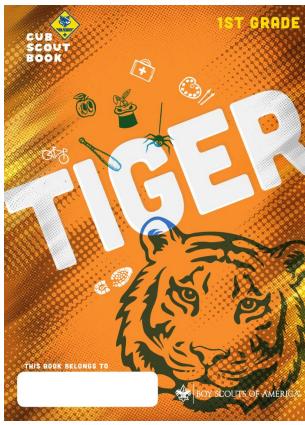


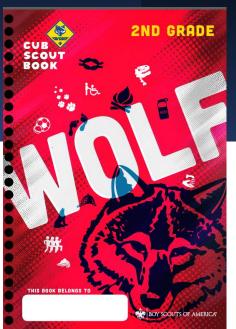


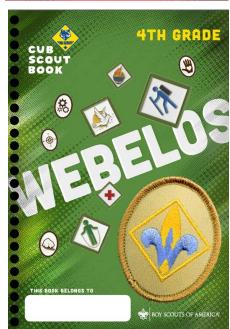
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Handbooks

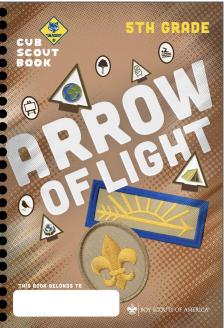












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Pick the Rank/Grade



CUB SCOUT RANKS

Select a specific rank to see the list of required and elective adventures.



LION

Kindergarten

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TIGER

1st Grade or 6 Years Old

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WOLF

2nd Grade or 7 Years Old

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BEAR

3rd Grade or 8 Years Old

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WEBELOS

4th Grade or 9 Years Old

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ARROW OF LIGHT

5th Grade or 10 Years Old

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Badge of Rank Page

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Bobcat Adventure

The first required Adventure.



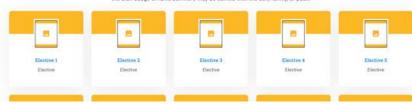
Required Adventures

After earning the Bobcat Adventure, begin working on any of the other Adventures. To earn the Lion badge of rank, complete all six (6) of the required Adventures.



Elective Adventures

There is no limit to the number of elective Adventures that can be earned. Two (2) elective Adventures are required to earn the Lion badge of rank, but more may be earned with the den, family, or pack.



Adventure Page

Lion - Kindergarten

Fun On The Run

REQUIRED



Snapshot Of Adventure

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Complete the following requirements

Activities to fulfill these requirements organized are below, Choose one activity of each requirement to complete Bobcat Adventure.

Requirement 1

Requirement 4

Get to know the members of your Den.

Requirement 2

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Requirement 7

Have your adult partner or den leader read the scout law to you, demostrate your understanding of being friendly.

Have your adult partner or den leader read the Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur scout law to you. demostrate your understanding of being friendly.

Requirement 5

Have your adult partner or den leader read the scout law to you. demostrate your understanding of being friendly.

Requirement 8

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Requirement 3

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Requirement 6

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Requirement 9

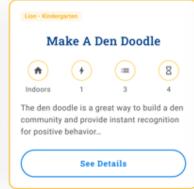
Have your adult partner or den leader read the scout law to you. demostrate your understanding of being friendly.

Activity Cards for Requirement

Requirement 1

Get to know the members of your den.







Activity Cards for Requirements

Location



Indoor



Outdoor



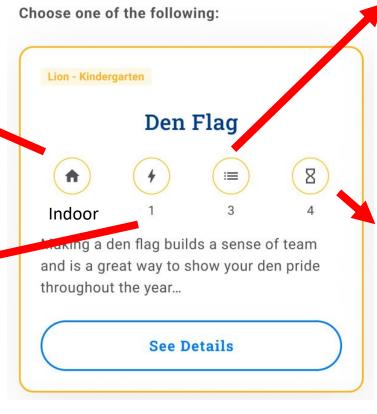
Travel

Energy Level

- 1- Very low energy listening
- 2- Low energy crafts
- 3- Moderate energy skilled crafts
- 4- High energy active movements
- 5- Very high energy running

Requirement 1

Get to know the members of your den



Supplies

- 1. None no supplies are needed
- 2. Very little common household items
- 3- Average low-cost craft supplies
- 4- Above average common craft supplies
- 5- Custom custom or uncommon

Prep Time

- 1. No prep time needed
- 2. One to three days ahead of time
- 3. Three to five days ahead of time
- 4. A week ahead of time
- 5. More than a week ahead of time

Lion - Kindergarten

Fun On The Run - Long adventure name here

Requirement 1



Den Flag - Here Can Go A Larger Title For The Adventure Name

Snapshot Of Activity

Make a den flag builds a sense of team and is a great way to show your den pride throughout the year. make your den flag part of your opening and closing ceremony and bring it to your pack meetings and outings, your den flag is a great way to keep your den together when on an outing.









Indoors

Supply List

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Additional Resources

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Based on the presentation, what questions do you have about the updates?





Required Adventures



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LION-REQUIRED ADVENTURE BELT LOOPS

Current

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NAME SKU	ТҮРЕ		ACTION		RESULT
Lion's Honor 646403	Required Adventure		Sunset Adventure		Sunset
Fun on the Run 646404	Required Adventure	*	No Change		Required Adventure
Animal Kingdom 646405	Required Adventure		Sunset Adventure		Sunset
Mountain Lion 646406	Required Adventure	**	No Change	## ##	Required Adventure
King of the Jungle 646607	Required Adventure		No Change	****	Required Adventure
Rumble in the Jungle 646394	Elective Adventure		Change Name; Lion's Roar – New Required		Required Adventure
			Lion Bobcat New Required Adventure		Required Adventure
			Lion's Pride New Required Adventure	©	Required Adventure



TIGER-REQUIRED ADVENTURE BELT LOOPS

Current

Update - 2024

NAME SKU	ТҮРЕ		ACTION		RESULT
Team Tiger 619914	Required Adventure	**************************************	None	**************************************	Required Adventure
Games Tigers Play 619917	Required Adventure		Sunset Adventure		Sunset
Tiger Bites 619915	Required Adventure	C.	None		Required Adventure
My Tiger Jungle 619913	Required Adventure	*	Sunset Adventure		Sunset
Tiger in the Wild 619916	Required Adventure		None		Required Adventure
Tiger Circles DTG 619918	Required Adventure	Î ÎÎÎ	None		Required Adventure
Bobcat 370	Earned Before starting rank		Convert to Required Adventure Loop		Required Adventure
			Tiger's Roar New Required Adventure		Required Adventure



WOLF-REQUIRED ADVENTURE BELT LOOPS

Current

Update - 2024

NAME SKU	ТҮРЕ		ACTION		RESULT
Call of the Wild 619932	Required Adventure	*>	Change name: Let's Camp Becomes Elective	⇔	Elective Adventure
Council Fire 619933	Required Adventure		None		Required Adventure
Howling at the Moon 619934	Required Adventure		Sunset Adventure		Sunset
Paws on the Path 619935	Required Adventure	**	None	***	Required Adventure
Running with the Pack 619936	Required Adventure	% ;	None	% ;	Required Adventure
Footsteps 619937	Required Adventure	FŽ	None	57	Required Adventure
Bobcat 370	Earned Before starting rank, if not previously earned	BOBCH	Convert to Required Adventure Loop		Required Adventure
			Safety In Numbers New Required Adventure	Acres 1	Required Adventure



BEAR-REQUIRED ADVENTURE BELT LOOPS

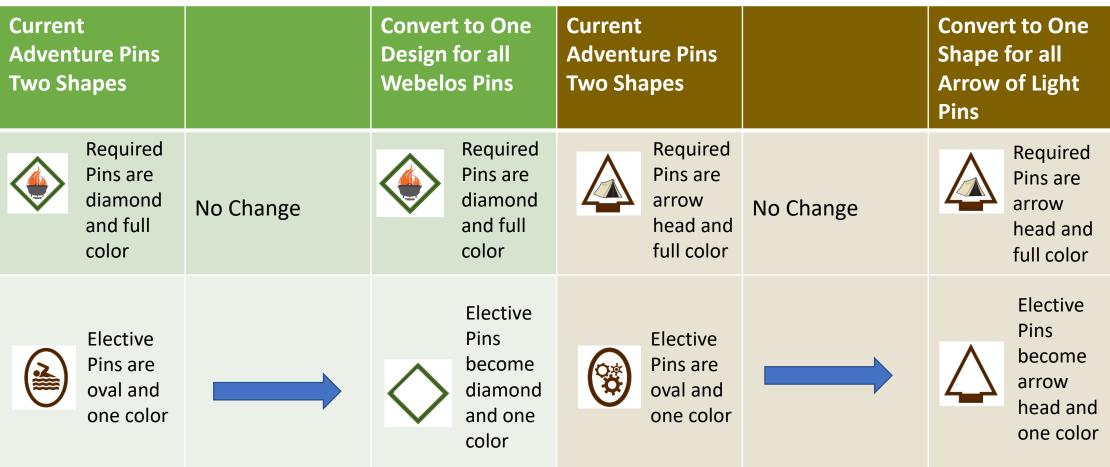
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NAME SKU	ТҮРЕ		ACTION		RESULT
Baloo the Builder 649154	Required Adventure	7	Convert to Elective Adventure	7	Elective Adventure
Bear Claws 649951	Required Adventure		Convert to Elective Adventure - Whittling		Elective Adventure
Bear Necessities 649952	Required Adventure		Convert to Elective Adventure – Let's Camp		Elective Adventure
Fellowship DTG 619956	Required Adventure		No Change		Required Adventure
Fur Feather Ferns 619953	Required Adventure	•	Name Change to Bear Habitat – Loop Change		New Adventure
Paws for Action 619955	Required Adventure	***	No Change		Required Adventure
Bobcat 370	Earned Before starting rank, if not previously earned	a a	Convert to Required Adventure Loop		Required Adventure
			Standing Tall New Required Adventure	Ä	Required Adventure
			Bear Strong New Required Adventure	CO	Required Adventure

Webelos and Arrow of Light Adventure Pins – Rolling Change







WEBELOS-REQUIRED ADVENTURE PINS

Current

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NAME SKU	TYPE		ACTION		RESULT
Cast Iron Chef 619984	Required Adventure		Sunset adventure		Sunset
First Responder 619985	Required Adventure	(+)	None	•	Required Adventure
Stronger, Faster, 619986	Required Adventure		None	(1)	Required Adventure
Webelos Walkabout 619987	Required Adventure		None	(A)	Required Adventure
Duty to God and You 619988	Required Adventure		Name Change to: My Family		Required Adventure
Bobcat 370	Earned Before starting rank, if not previously earned	asico.	Convert to Required Adventure Pin		Required Adventure
			My Community New Required Adventure		Required Adventure



ARROW OF LIGHT -REQUIRED ADVENTURE PINS

Current

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NAME SKU	ТҮРЕ		ACTION		RESULT
Building a Better World 619971	Required Adventure		Change Name to; Citizenship		Required Adventure
Duty to God In Action 619974	Required Adventure		Change Name to; Duty to God		Required Adventure
Outdoor Adventurer 619972	Required Adventure		None		Required Adventure
Scouting Adventure 619973	Required Adventure		Sunset Adventure		Sunset
Bobcat 370	Earned Before starting rank, if not previously earned	aciecar o	Convert to Required Adventure Pin	<u> </u>	Required Adventure
			First Aid New Required Adventure	<u></u>	Required Adventure
			Personal Fitness New Required Adventure	À	Required Adventure

Required Adventure Survey Data

- The survey was conducted by the Research Department of the BSA in collaboration with the National Director and Volunteer Chair of Cub Scouting.
- The survey was sent to all registered Den Leaders as an independent survey on May 25, 2021. Reminders to those who had not responded to the survey were sent on June 3. The survey closed on June 10.
- No Den Leader received the same survey. No Den Leader could comment on more than one required adventure. Den Leaders could comment on multiple ranks for one of the required adventures.

Required Adventures Survey Data

- Bobcat 6,606 den leaders sent survey with 681 completing the survey resulting in a response rate of 10.3%
- Safety 6,649 den leaders sent a survey with 627 completing the survey resulting in a response rate of 9.4%
- Citizenship 6,525 den leaders sent a survey with 652 completing the survey resulting in a response rate of 10%
- Personal Fitness 6,843 den leaders sent a survey with 668 completing the survey resulting in a response rate of 9.8%
- Outdoor 6,677 den leaders sent a survey with 508 completing the survey resulting in a response rate of 7.6%
- Reverence 6,663 den leaders sent a survey with 744 completing the survey resulting in a response rate of 11.2%

Bobcat – Character and Leadership





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- The BSA wants to develop leaders who have character and the character we want to instill are the values of the Scout Oath and Scout Law.
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- Requirements are age-appropriate.
- Easier to deliver because it is earned each year.

Bobcat Required Adventure Requirements Earned each year, not just once when you first join.

LION – KINDERGARTEN

- 1. Get to know the members of your den.
- 2. Have your adult partner or den leader read the Scout Law to you.

 Demonstrate your understanding of being friendly.
- 3. Share with your adult partner, during a den meeting or at home, a time when you have demonstrated the Cub Scout motto "Do Your Best."
- 4. At home, with your parent or legal guardian do the activities in the booklet "How to Protect Your Children from Child Abuse: A Parent's Guide."

BEAR - 3RD GRADE

- 1. Get to know members of your den.
- 2. Recite the Scout Oath and Scout Law with your den and den leader.
- 3. Learn about the Scout Oath. Identify the three points of the Scout Oath.
- 4. With your den Create a Den Code of Conduct.
- 5. Learn about the denner position and responsibilities.
- 6. Demonstrate the Cub Scout sign, Cub Scout salute and Cub Scout handshake. Show how each are used.
- 7. Share with your den, or family, a time when you demonstrated the Cub Scout motto "Do Your Best." Explain why it is important to do your best.
- 8. At home, with your parent or legal guardian do the activities in the booklet "How to Protect Your Children from Child Abuse: A Parent's Guide."

ARROW OF LIGHT – 5TH GRADE

- 1. Learn about the patrol method and discuss the benefits.
- 2. Choose a Patrol name and elect a patrol leader.
- 3. Make a patrol flag that includes everyone's name.
- 4. Recite the Scout Oath and Scout Law with your patrol.
- 5. With your patrol develop a Code of Conduct.
- 6. Demonstrate the Scouts BSA sign, salute, and handshake. Show how each is used.
- 7. With your patrol or with your parent/legal guardian visit a Scouts BSA Troop.
- 8. At home, with your parent or legal guardian do the activities in the booklet "How to Protect Your Children from Child Abuse: A Parent's Guide."

Bobcat - Lion; What do you like?

Of the 300 Den Leaders, 143 provided an open-ended reply.

27% - Like it all

22% - Getting to know members of your den

20% - Games and Activities(No specific game or activity mentioned)

8% - Comment not related to question

7% - Introduction of Scout Oath and Law

"When I was a Den leader for a mixed Lion/Tiger den that would have been helpful to give everyone access to earn the Bobcat."

"Simple and more streamlined."

"I like the get to know you. Perfect first den meeting for a lion."

"They include games and craft options which the Lions seemed to like best this year."

"The fun games will engage the Lions."

"More advancements for them."

"I like the concept of digging deeper and connecting with the Scout Law and Scout Oath."

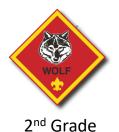
Outdoor Required Adventures



Mountain Lion



Tigers in the Wild



Paws on the Path



Bear Habitat



Webelos

Walkabout



4th Grade

5th Grade

Outdoor

Adventurer

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Common Activity - Take a walk outside

Cub Scout Six Essentials

Go on a campout.
Scout 10

Essentials

Outdoor Required Adventures













Kindergarten

1st Grade

2nd Grade

3rd Grade

4th Grade

5th Grade

Mountain Lion	Tigers in the Wild	Paws on the Path	Bear Habitat	Webelos Walkabout	Outdoor Adventurer
Domestic animals and wild animals	Domestic animals and wild animals	Domestic and wild animals	Leave No Trace Principles for Kids in Action	Planning Basics First Aid Leave No Trace Principles for Kids	Camp with your Arrow of Light Den or with a Scouts BSA Troop

Outdoor-bear; What do you like?

Of the 269 Den Leaders, 108 provided an open-ended reply.

37% - Like it all

13% - Introduction of maps / technology

12% - 1 mile hike

10% - Scouts are part of planning

This seems like a fantastic adventure! I would love to add all of these activities to my den's adventures!

Incorporating the map (digital or otherwise) starts to teach the scouts about planning their adventure ... a great skill that will be needed in the future!

The suggestions for the 1-mile hike are great. The boys need a way to make the hike less of an unstructured walk. Giving them activities for the trail is a great way to do that

One requirement follows the others in a logical sequence and requires so though by the Cubs putting together the hike.

Personal Fitness Required Adventures



Common Activity – Be Active for 20 minutes or more

Healthy Eating – Personal Hygiene – Proper Rest and Relaxation

Personal Fitness Required Adventures













Kindergarten

1st Grade

2nd Grade

3rd Grade

4th Grade

5th Grade

Fun on the Run	Tiger Bites	Running with the Pack	Bear Strong	Stronger, Faster, Higher	Personal Fitness
Food Groups Handwashing	Food Groups Handwashing	Sample Foods Brushing Teeth Personal Exercises	Sample Foods BSA Health and Medical Record Personal Exercises	Healthy Meal Prep BSA Health and Medical Record Personal Exercises	Healthy Meal Prep BSA Health and Medical Record Track Personal Exercises

Personal Fitness – Arrow of Light What do you like?

Of the 126 Den Leaders, 46 provided an open-ended reply.

34% - Like it all

22% - Good preparation for Scouts BSA

13% - Tracking requirement lines up with two meetings
Like that it is not 30 days

I think this for the most part is perfect. It is getting them ready for Scouts BSA with the cooking requirements, keeping them physically active, and teaching them to keep logs which is very important in Scouts BSA.

Seems like a bridge between earlier Cub Scout physical fitness adventures and Scouts BSA fitness requirements. Arrow of Light should be this sort of bridge between Cubs and Scouts BSA.

Fitness tracking is good here. A nice precursor to the fitness they should have in Scouts BSA

Citizenship Required Adventures



Citizenship Required Adventures













Kindergarten

1st Grade

2nd Grade

3rd Grade

4th Grade

5th Grade

King of the Jungle	Team Tiger	Council Fire	Paws for Action	My Community	Citizenship
Citizenship in the family	Citizenship in the family	Citizenship in the community Flag Etiquette	Citizenship in the nation Flag Etiquette	Citizenship in the nation - voting	Planning Service Projects

Citizenship— Wolf; What do you like?

Of the 429 Den Leaders, 157 provided an open-ended reply.

23% - Guest Speaker / Visit

14% - Service Project

13% - Like it all

12% - Sense of community

11% - Scout Law connection with being a good neighbor

It can expose the scouts to learn more about their neighborhood. With the options of visiting/meeting with a police officer or fire fighter to either a local historian talking with them or a museum visit; it will enrich their lives.

Participation in community service

This is a good change over the current requirements!

Promotes citizenship in the community.

Making connections between the points of the Scout Law and how we should conduct ourselves to be a good neighbor is an important part of Scouting. Same with doing service projects.

Personal Safety Required Adventures



Common Activity – Protect Yourself Rules

Designed to easily be done at home

Personal Safety Required Adventures













5th Grade

en 1st Grade 2nd Grade 3rd Grade 4th Grade

Lion's Roar	Tiger's Roar	Safety In Numbers	Bear Strong	My Safety	First Aid
Access emergency services	Access emergency services	Playground Safety	Online Safety	Home Safety	First Aid
C'	C'' I		Safety Equipment	Natural Disasters	
Situational	Situational				
awareness	awareness				

Safety – Bear; What do you like?

Of the 310 Den Leaders, 94 provided an open-ended reply.

29% - Digital devices and internet safety

Digital devices can be extremely harmful to children in many ways if left unchecked by an adult in the home. This is a good way to give kids tools to create boundaries as well as set limits.

16% - Like it all

Different and more in depth on the same concepts. Relevant to the age group. Clear and direct requirements that a leader can use.

11% - Learning about rating systems

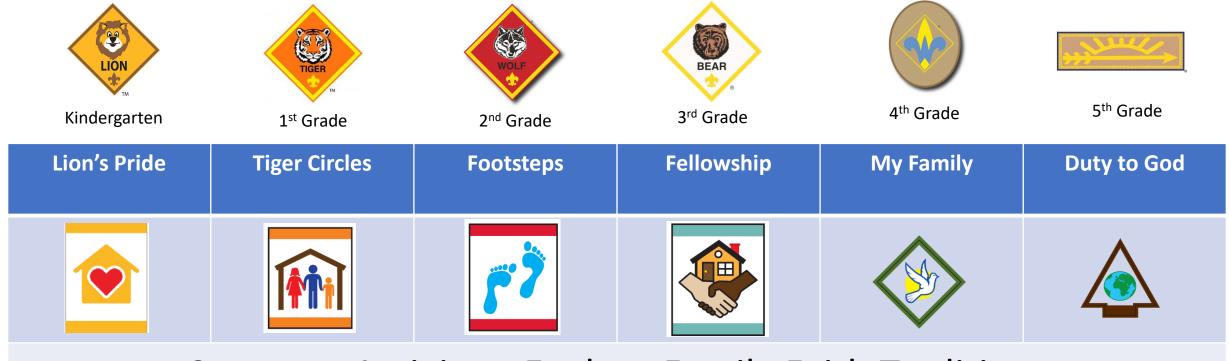
This is a good age to discuss ratings systems.

11% - Comment not related to question

Emphasizing the buddy system, which is used throughout Scouts even before the Youth Protection era, is a great concept to keep reinforcing.

10% - Buddy System

Family and Reverence Required Adventures



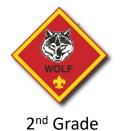
Common Activity – Explore Family Faith Traditions

Designed to easily be done at home

Family and Reverence Required Adventures













4th Grade 5th Grade

	Lion's Pride	Tiger Circles	Footsteps	Fellowship	My Family	Duty to God
A	Act of Kindness	Act of Kindness	Act of Kindness Aesop's fable "The Boy Who Cried Wolf."	Common themes of different faiths	Being Reverent in your daily life	Faith-Based Organizations Defining Duty in your daily life

Family and Reverence—Tiger; What do you like?

Of the 473 Den Leaders, 193 provided an open-ended reply.

22% - Like it all

I like that it allows more flexibility for people of all faiths to participate without feeling that if you don't attend church you can't really understand the elective.

18% - Doing an act of kindness

I like the mixing of an act of kindness with religious observations.

15% - Inclusive

Again, I like that the wording is inclusive of all religions that are represented by our youth.

13% - Family focused

Rather than focusing solely on religious ceremonies, families get to choose what is most important in their family circle.

9% - Flexibility to be a den or At home adventure

I feel this is something that can be completed in a den meeting, past requirements on Duty to God are really focused on outside den meeting work, which I found difficult for parents to follow thru with and had to get really creative in marking that requirement off.



BREAK

