Merit Badge Process

Step 1

- Scout contacts Scoutmaster, indicates interest and gets a signed Blue Card
- Scout contacts Merit Badge Coordinator, who identifies Merit Badge Counselor

Step 2

- Scout contacts Merit Badge Counselor
- Remember to include parents for 2 deep leadership

Step 3

- Scout/Merit Badge Counselor meet or Merit Badge Counselor hosts a kickoff or clinic and scout attends (in-person or online)
- Remember to include parents for 2 deep leadership

Step 4

- Subsequent meetings when needed
- Remember to include parents for 2 deep leadership

Step 5

Scout completes Merit Badge requirements

Step 7

 Counselor approves Meriti Badge completion and signs Blue Card (in-person or online)

Step 8

 Scout indicates Merit Badge completion to Scoutmaster and gets final sign off on Blue Card.

Step 9

 Scout returns signed Blue Card to Advancement Chair. If Merit Badge is taken online, scout emails Advancement Chair, Scoutmaster, and Merit Badge Counselor to confirm completion



Local Merit Badge Counselors (Available Within the Troop)

See Merit Badge Coordinator for Counselors Available Outside of the Troop, or for More Merit Badge Information

American Business
American Heritage
Animal Science
Art
Astronomy
Athletics
Backpacking
Bird Study
Bugling
Camping
Canoeing
Chess
Citizenship in the Community
Citizenship in the Nation
Citizenship in Society
Citizenship in the World
Communication
Cooking
Cycling
Digital Technology
Disability Awareness
Electricity
Electronics
Emergency Preparedness
Engineering

Photography
Pets
Plant Sciences
Plumbing
Programming
Public Health
Public Speaking
Reading
Reptile & Amphibian Study
Safety
Salesmanship
Scholarship
Scuba Diving
Skating
Small Boat Sailing
Snow Sports
Space Exploration
Soil and Water Conservation
Sports
Sustainability
Swimming
Traffic Safety
Weather
Welding
Wilderness Survival
Woodwork

Note: Eagle required merit badges are in orange.