

# 2016 MERIT BADGE OFFERINGS

Merit Badge	Times Offered	Size	Prerequisites	Minimum Rank	Costs
<b>Aquatics – Lakefront</b>					
Canoeing	9, 10, 11, 2:00	20	Able to pass BSA Swimmers' Test at camp	None	None
Kayaking	9, 10, 11, 2:00	16	Able to pass BSA Swimmers' Test at camp	None	None
Motor Boating	9, 11, 2:00	12	Able to pass BSA Swimmers' Test at camp	None	None
Rowing	10:00	12	Able to pass BSA Swimmers' Test at camp	None	None
Small Boat Sailing	9, 10, 11, 2:00	8	Able to pass BSA Swimmers' Test at camp	None	None
<b>Aquatics – Pool</b>					
Lifesaving	9, 10, 2:00	20	Able to pass BSA Swimmers' Test at camp, 1a	None	None
Swimming	9, 10, 11, 2:00	20	Able to pass BSA Swimmers' Test at camp,	None	None
<b>COSA (Camp Outdoor Skills Area)</b>					
Camping	9, 10, 11, 2:00	15	3, 4b, 5e, 8c, 8d, 9	First Class	None
Cooking	9, 11, 2, 3:00	15	4, 5, 6	None	None
Emergency Preparedness	9, 10, 2:00	20	1, 2c, 6c, 8b	None	None
First Aid **Note 2 hours**	9-11, 2-4	12	None	First Class	\$10.00
Fire Safety	11:00	20	6a	None	None
Geocaching	9:00, 2:00	20	7, 8, 9	None	None
Hiking & Backpacking	3:00	20	Hiking: 5, 6, 7 Backpack: 6b, 9, 10, 11	None	None
Orienteering	3:00	20	Large Time Requirements	None	None
Pioneering**Note 2 hours**	10-12:00	15	2a	First Class	None
Search and Rescue	10, 2:00	15	4, 5	First Class	None
Traffic Safety	11:00	20	5	None	None
<b>Trail To the Eagle</b>					
Citizenship in the Nation	9, 11:00	16	2, 8	Star or 14yrs	None
Citizenship in the World	2, 3:00	16	7	Star or 14yrs	None
Communications	2, 3:00	16	5, (3, 8 recommended)	Star or 14yrs	None
Personal Management	9, 11:00	16	1, 2, 8a, 8b,8c	Star or 14yrs	None
<b>Ecology (be sure to see page 30 for any additional comments)</b>					
Animal Science	10:00	20	6 - Visits	First Class	None
Astronomy	9, 10:00	20	6, (7b would be helpful)	None	None
Bird Study	9:00	20	7b – helpful to print at home, 8	None	None
Chemistry	2, 3:00	20	None	First Class	None
Electronics 2 hour class	2-4:00	8	None	First Class	\$25.00
Envi. Sci. 1.25 hour class	9-10:15, 10:30-11:45, 2-3:15	20	None	First Class	None
Fish & Wildlife Management	2:00	20	5	None	None
Fishing	10, 11, 2, 3:00	20	(9 would be helpful)	None	None
Fly Fishing	9, 2:00	8	(10 would be helpful)	First Class	\$5.00
Forestry	9:00	20	5	None	None
Geology	10:00	20	None	First Class	None
Insect Study	11:00	20	4(b) and 8 would be helpful	First Class	None
Mammal Study	10, 3:00	20	None	None	None
Nature	11:00, 2:00	20	None	None	None
Oceanography	10:00	20	8c – complete outline ahead of arrival	None	None
Plant Science 2 hour cl	10:00 to Noon	15	None	First Class	None
Pulp and Paper	2:00	20	6, 7	None	None
Radio - 1 ½ hour class	9-10:15 10:30-12:00	15	None	First Class	None
Reptile and Amphibian	3:00	20	8	None	None
Soil and Water Conservation	3:00	20	None	None	None
Space Exploration	11, 2, 3:00	15	None	None	\$17.00
Sustainability	11:00	20	1 (must be completed before camp), 2, 4, 5	First Class	None
Weather	11:00	20	(8 would be helpful)	None	None

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<b>Extreme Sports/Tower</b>					
Athletics	9:00	20	3, 5, 6b	None	None
Climbing	9, 10, 11, 2:00	12	None	12 Years	None
<b>Cycling</b>	9:00	16	7a or 7b3, 7b4 bring map, attend outpost	None	None
Game Design	2:00	16	None	None	None
Golf ** 2Hours on Tuesday	10:00	8	8 (outpost on Tues. you will miss 11AM class)	None	\$17.00
<b>Personal Fitness</b>	9, 10, 11:00	20	1b, 8, 9	None	None
Sports	10:00	20	4	None	None
<b>Handicrafts</b>					
Art	2:00	20	6, 7	None	\$4.50
Basketry	9, 3:00	15	None	None	\$8.00
Chess	9, 10, 11:00	16	None	None	None
Composite Materials	2:00	15	4	Second Class	\$7.00
Fingerprinting	9:00	25	None	None	None
Graphic Arts	11:00	15	5b, 6	None	None
Leatherwork	9, 10, 11, 2, 3:00	20	None	None	\$8.00
Metalworking	9, 10, 11, 2, 3:00	12	Fireman Chit Card	Second Class	\$6.50
Painting	9:00	15	None	None	None
Pottery	2, 3:00	12	7	Second Class	\$8.00
Sculpture	10, 11:00	6	None	Second Class	\$11.00
<b>NEW Signs, Signals and Codes</b>	2:00	15	7	None	None
<b>NEW Theater</b>	10:00	10	1	None	None
Welding	9, 10,11, 2, 3:00	10	7a	First Class	\$8.00
Woodcarving	10, 11, 3:00	16	Totin' Chip Card	Second Class	\$4.00
<b>Frontier Trading Company (FTC)</b>					
Textiles	9:00	20	6	None	None
American Heritage	10:00	20	3c,	None	None
Indian Lore	10, 11:00	20	Attend Outpost	None	\$9.00
FTC Program	2:00 – 5:00	10	None	14 years	None
Wilderness Survival	9, 11, 2:00	15	Bring personal survival kit	None	None
<b>Shooting Sports</b>					
Archery	9, 10, 11, 2, 3:00	16	Bring State laws if out of Ohio (1c)	None	\$4.50
Rifle Shooting	9, 10, 11, 2, 3:00	16	Bring State laws if out of Ohio (1d)	12 Years	None
Shotgun Shooting	9, 10, 11, 2, 3:00	8	Bring State laws if out of Ohio (1d)	12 Years	\$8.00
<b>Additional Merit Badges</b>					
Bugling/Music	11:00	6	Bug 6, 2 yrs experience, Mus 3	None	None
Crime Prevention	10:00	15	2, 4, 5, 6, 7	None	None
Mining in Society	9:00 (Weeks 1&7 Only)	20	None	None	None
Photography	10:00	12	Bring digital camera	14 years	None
Public Speaking	2:00	20	Prep for #2	None	None
<b>Older Scout Opportunities</b>					
Aviation	Thurs (meet @ Loftus)	8	Must turn in permission slip	14 years	\$55.00
Horsemanship	Tues (meet @ Loftus)	6	Must turn in permission slip	14 years	\$50.00
<b>Non Merit Badge Program Offerings</b>					
Starting Place/T-2-1	Drop-in	N/A	None	None	None
Snorkeling	10:00	12	Able to pass BSA Swimmers' Test at camp	None	None
Stand-Up Paddleboarding	9, 10, 11, 2:00	12	Able to pass BSA Swimmers' Test at camp	None	None
Instructional Swim	3:00	N/A	None	None	None
Mile Swim	4:00	N/A	Able to pass BSA Swimmers' Test at camp	None	None
ATV Adventure	9-11,11-3, 3-5:00	8	Parent Permission, 2 hours	14 years	\$60.00
Mountain Biking	11, 2, 3:00	16	See Extreme Sports Page	None	None
Mountain Boarding	11, 2, 3:00	7	See Extreme Sports Page	None	None
Trek Safely/Leave No Trace	4-5 Tuesday	20	None	None	None
COPE	Tues Low, Thurs High 3-5:00	N/A	Minimum of 6 people for low and 8 for high	13 years	None