

Advancement Requirement

Tiger

Complete a family activity, a den activity, and a Go See It outing in the five achievements, Making My Family Special, Where I Live, Keeping Myself Healthy and Safe, How I Tell It, and Let's Go Outdoors.

Bobcat

1. Learn and say the Cub Scout Promise.
2. Say the Law of the Pack. Tell what it means.
3. Tell what *Webelos* means.
4. Show the Cub Scout sign and handshake. Tell what they mean.
5. Say the Cub Scout motto and give the salute. Tell what they mean.
6. With your parent or guardian, answer the questions in the 'What If . . . ' section of 'How to Protect Your Children from Child Abuse: A Parent's Guide.'

Wolf

Complete Bobcat Badge requirements if you have not done so already.
Complete all 12 achievements as outlined in the Wolf Cub Scout Book.

Bear

Complete Bobcat Badge requirements if you have not done so already.
Complete 12 of the 24 achievements as outlined in the Bear Cub Scout Book.

Webelos

Complete Bobcat Badge requirements if you have not done so already.

Webelos Badge

1. Have an adult member of your family read the Webelos Scout Parent Guide that comes with your book.
2. Be an active member of your Webelos den for three months. (Active means having good attendance, paying den dues, working on den projects.)
3. Know and explain the meaning of the Webelos badge.
4. Point out the three special parts of the Webelos Scout uniform. Tell when to wear the uniform and when not to wear it.

5. Earn the Fitness activity badge and two other activity badges from different activity badge groups.

6. Plan and lead a flag ceremony in your den.

7. Show that you know and understand the requirements to be a Boy Scout.

Understand and intend to live by the Scout Oath, Scout Law, Scout motto, and Scout slogan.

Know the following and when to use them: Scout salute, Scout sign, Scout handclasp.

Understand and agree to follow the Outdoor Code.

8. Complete one of the following:

a. Earn the religious emblem of your faith*

OR b. Do two of these:

- Attend the church, synagogue, mosque, or other religious organization of your choice; talk with your religious leader about your beliefs; and tell your family and Webelos den leader what you learned.
- Tell how your religious beliefs fit in with the Scout Oath and Scout Law. Discuss this question with your family and Webelos den leader: What character building traits do your beliefs and the Scout Oath and Scout Law have in common?
- With your religious leader, discuss and write down two things you think will help you draw nearer to God. Do these things.
- Pray to God or meditate reverently each day as taught by your family and by your church, synagogue, or religious group. Do this for at least one month.
- Under the direction of your religious leader, do an act of service for someone else. Talk about your service with your family and Webelos den leader. Tell them how it made you feel.
- List at least two ways you believe you have lived according to your religious beliefs.

* If you earned your faith's religious emblem when you were a Wolf or Bear Cub Scout, you must do two of the other religious requirements listed under (b).

- Completion of requirement (b) does not qualify a youth to receive the religious emblem of his faith.

Arrow of Light Award

1. Be active in your Webelos den for at least six months since completing the fourth grade (or for at least six months since becoming 10 years old), and earn the Webelos badge.

2. Show your knowledge of the requirements to become a Boy Scout by doing all of these:

- Repeat from memory and explain in your own words the Scout Oath or Promise and the 12 points of the Scout Law. Tell how you have practiced them in your everyday life.

- Give and explain the Scout motto, slogan, sign, salute, and handclasp.
 - Understand the significance of the First Class Scout badge. Describe its parts and tell what each stands for.
 - Tell how a Boy Scout uniform is different from a Webelos Scout uniform.
 - Tie the joining knot (square knot).
3. Earn five more activity badges in addition to the three you already earned for the Webelos badge. The total of eight activity badges must include:
- Fitness (already earned for the Webelos badge)
 - Citizen
 - Readyman
 - At least one from the Outdoor Group
 - At least one from the Mental Skills Group
 - At least one from the Technology Group
 - Two more of your choice
4. With your Webelos den, visit at least one Boy Scout troop meeting and one Boy Scout-oriented outdoor activity.
5. Participate in a Webelos overnight campout or day hike.
6. After you have completed all five of the above requirements, and after a talk with your Webelos den leader, arrange to visit, with your parent or guardian, a meeting of a Boy Scout troop you think you might like to join. Have a conference with the Scoutmaster. This is one of the most important requirements. You will talk with the Scoutmaster and turn in an application to become a Boy Scout. (Note to parents: Paperwork to join a troop may not actually be processed until boys receive the Arrow of Light Award and are ready to become a member of the troop, but this final step encourages him to continue in Scouting and enjoy the program's benefits.)