



# SCOUTMASTER BUCKY

2024 Class Preparation Page - for ONLINE and IN-PERSON classes

## Archery Merit Badge



### Expectations

- Read and Review **ALL** requirements prior to the class  
Even though a requirement may be identified as one to be done in class, Scouts are still expected to familiarize, review, and prepare for the requirement – BE PREPARED!
- Active interaction/participation is expected and mandatory.
- Share in your own words – avoid reading your answers.
- Pay attention to the action verbs.
- Bring proof of completion (even partially completed work)



### Things to Remember to Bring

1. Your BSA ID# and /or your Merit Badge Blue Card properly filled out and signed off by your Scout Leader
2. Scout Uniform
3. Notes and Questions from reading the Archery Merit Badge Pamphlet
4. **IN-PERSON CLASS:** Appropriate outdoor weather clothing for the forecasted weather conditions (some/all components of the class will take place outdoors)
5. **IN-PERSON CLASS:** A long-sleeved shirt is recommended for wear when shooting archery
6. **IN-PERSON CLASS:** Permission Slip signed by parent or guardian when and if required, by the facility or location the Archery activity is being held at (check the registration page or with Scoutmaster Bucky if you are uncertain whether a permission slip is needed).
7. Supporting documentation or project work pertinent to this merit badge which may also include a Merit Badge Workbook for reference with notes.
8. A positive Scouting focus and attitude

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**IN-PERSON CLASS:** It must be noted that some requirements may take place outdoors and Scouts should attend with outdoor gear appropriate for the time of year, location, and forecasted weather conditions.

**Additionally, a long-sleeved shirt is highly recommended wear for shooting archery.**



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### Requirements Insight

Requirements	Expectations
1	<p><b>If you have prepared ahead of time, you will be able to complete this requirement during the class.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Time will be allotted for those Scouts who have prepared to share their work for sign off consideration</li> </ul>
2a, 2b, 2c, and 2e	<p><b>If you have prepared ahead of time, you will be able to complete these requirement options during the class.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requirements 2a, 2b, 2c, and 2e will have time allotted for those Scouts who have prepared to share their work for sign off consideration.</li> </ul>
2d	<p><b>ONLINE CLASS:</b></p> <p><b>This requirement will NOT be covered during the class.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scouts having completed their project work will be afforded time to share their work during the class for sign off consideration.</li> </ul> <p><b>IN-PERSON CLASS:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requirement 2d will be facilitated by the class instructor / counselor during the class</li> </ul>
3a and 3b	<p><b>If you have prepared ahead of time, you will be able to complete these requirement options during the class.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scouts will share their explanation for these two requirement options during the class. <b>Be Prepared!</b></li> </ul>
3c	<p><b>ONLINE CLASS:</b></p> <p><b>This requirement will NOT be covered during the class.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bring your completed bowstring for review and sign off consideration to share during the class.</li> </ul> <p><b>IN-PERSON CLASS:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requirement 2d will be facilitated by the class instructor / counselor during the class</li> </ul>
4	<p><b>If you have prepared ahead of time, you will be able to complete this requirement during the class.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be ready to share your research and findings with the other Scouts and counselor during the class.</li> </ul>
5	<p><b>ONLINE CLASS:</b></p> <p><b>This requirement will NOT be covered during the class.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scouts will need to bring proof of their archery performance and accomplishments for review with the merit badge counselor. Only proof that meets the satisfaction of the merit badge counselor and their interpretation of the requirement and it's components will be eligible for sign off.</li> <li>• It is highly recommended to bring a multitude of supporting proof to share with the counselor (i.e. pictures, video, awards, testimonials, etc.)</li> </ul> <p><b>IN-PERSON CLASS: Unless otherwise noted, all archery activities during the class will utilize the Compound Bow option.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review and prepare for explanation and discussion on Requirements 5a, 5b, 5c, and 5d prior to the class.</li> <li>• Requirement 5e will be done during the class.</li> </ul> <p><b>Please note that Requirement 5f requires a level of physical dexterity and strength to complete. A reasonable effort will be made to accommodate all developmental and skill levels, but no guarantee is made that a Scout will be able to successfully complete this requirement.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The instructor / counselor will determine the scoring method used for the class</li> </ul>