



# SCOUTMASTER BUCKY

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

## Camping 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 Camping Merit Badge Pamphlet
4. Your personal, properly packed, camping gear
5. Camping Log Sheet / Scout Handbook / ScoutBook Printout with camping nights logged and signed off
6. Supporting documentation or project work pertinent to this merit badge which may also include a Merit Badge Workbook for reference with notes.
7. A positive Scouting focus and attitude

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### Requirements Insight

Requirements	Expectations
1a, 1b, 2, 5a, 5b, 5c, 5d, 6, 8a, 8b, 10	<p><b>If you have prepared ahead of time, you will be able to successfully complete these requirements and options 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>
1c	<p><b>If you have prepared ahead of time, you will be able to complete this requirement option during the class.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• You will be challenged to show your proficiency in first aid skills and only Scouts that are able to satisfactorily demonstrate their ability to address each of the requirement examples will be considered for sign off.</li></ul>
3	<p><b>This requirement will NOT be covered during the class.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The requirement does not state that the written plan has to be for a future camping trip. You may find using a past trip can be beneficial to help assess successes and failures from the experience while doing your written plan.</li><li>• Scouts are expected to prepare and be ready to share their written plan as a part of the class.</li></ul>
4a	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Bring your completed unit or patrol duty roster for review and sharing during the class.</li><li>• Scouts not having this done prior to the class may find it difficult to complete this requirement option during the class.</li></ul>
4b, 5e, 8c, 8d, and 9	<p><b>These requirement options will NOT be covered during the class.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Scouts who bring tangible proof for any or all of these requirements or requirement options will have an opportunity to share this with the counselor for sign off consideration.</li></ul>
7	<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>• Bring your completed checklists for review with the counselor during the class.</li><li>• Have your personal gear with you and pictures of your patrol gear ready for review with the merit badge counselor. You will be required, as the requirement states, to show your pack and it's proper contents and set up.</li></ul>

**Merit Badge Workbooks are a tool to aid Scouts with their work preparation. BSA discourages — but does not ban — the use of any merit badge worksheets or workbooks. Merit badge counselors must NEVER require the use of merit badge worksheets or workbooks and may if they choose, refuse to accept them. Scouts shall not be required to use ANY of these to complete a merit badge.**