



SCOUTMASTER BUCKY

2024 Class Preparation Page - for IN-PERSON class only

Cycling 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 Cycling Merit Badge Pamphlet
4. Weather appropriate clothing for the time of year and location of the class for outdoor participation.
5. Your Bicycle and riding equipment (i.e., helmet, pads, etc.) (The bicycle used for fulfilling these requirements must have all required safety features and must be registered as required by your local traffic laws)
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

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.

Requirements	Expectations
1, 2, and 3	<p>If you have prepared ahead of time, you will be able to successfully complete these requirements during the class.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Time will be allotted for those Scouts who have prepared to share their work for sign off consideration
4	<p>This requirement will be done as a part of the class.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HOWEVER, this does not exempt Scouts from making themselves knowledgeable and prepared for quality discussion and review of the requirement components during the class. Scouts who do not prepare ahead of time should NOT have expectations of being signed off on this requirement. Be Prepared! <p>YOU WILL ALSO NEED YOUR BICYCLE IN ORDER TO COMPLETE THIS REQUIREMENT</p>
5	<p>This requirement will be done as a part of the class for those who attend with their bicycle, in weather appropriate clothing, and appropriate and required safety gear.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The instructor / counselor will facilitate this requirement as part of the class for Scouts meeting the pre-requisites. Scouts not meeting the pre-requisites, will still participate but will not receive full sign off on this requirement.
6	<p>THIS CLASS WILL FOCUS ON THE ROAD BIKING OPTION.</p> <p>It should be noted that any components of Requirement 6 that are addressed during the class will be done ONLY by Scouts who are wearing weather appropriate clothing, have and wear the proper safety gear, and have a bicycle with all required safety features and is registered as required by local traffic laws.</p>
6a	<p>This requirement component will be done as a part of the class, per the above stated conditions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The instructor / counselor will facilitate this requirement component during the class. • No guarantee of completion is guaranteed or implied as this requirement component requires a level of skill, which may not be able to be accomplished as a part of the class by certain Scouts.
6b and 6c	<p>These requirement components will NOT be done as a part of this class.</p>

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.

