



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

Law 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 Law Merit Badge Pamphlet
- 4. Supporting documentation or project work pertinent to this merit badge which may also include a Merit Badge Workbook for reference with notes.
- 5. A positive Scouting focus and attitude

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Requirements Insight

| Requirements | Expectations |
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| 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, and 11 | If you have prepared ahead of time, you will be able to successfully complete these requirements during the class. • Time will be allotted for those Scouts who have prepared to share their work for sign off consideration. |
| 4 | You will need to interview 5 people and a law enforcement officer as a part of your preparation for this requirement. • Time will be allotted for those Scouts who have prepared to share their work for sign off consideration. |
| 5 | Be sure to do your research to prepare for discussion during the class. • Time will be allotted for those Scouts who have prepared to share their work for sign off consideration. |
| 6 | ONLINE CLASS: This requirement will NOT be covered during the class. • Time will be allotted for sign off consideration for any Scouts attending the class with this requirement ready for review. IN-PERSON CLASS: Requirement 6b will be worked on during the class. • The instructor / counselor will prepare and present a mock trial. • Scouts must actively and honorably participate for sign off consideration. |
| 7 | This requirement will be covered during the class. • Scouts are encouraged to become familiar with the duties and responsibilities of lawyers in general to best aid them during the class for potential requirement completion. |

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.

