Pioneering 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)

DESCRIBE EXPLAIN IDENTIFY RESEARCH DISCUSS VISIT

ACTION VERBS

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 Pioneering Merit Badge Pamphlet
4. **IN-PERSON CLASS:** Appropriate outdoor weather clothing for the forecasted weather conditions (some/all components of the class may take place outdoors)
5. Supporting documentation or project work pertinent to this merit badge which may also include a Merit Badge Workbook for reference with notes.
6. A positive Scouting focus and attitude

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Requirements Insight

Requirements	Expectations
1, 2c, 4, 5, 7, and 8	**If you have prepared ahead of time, you will be able to complete these requirements during the class.** • Time will be allotted for those Scouts who have prepared to share their work for sign off consideration • For 2c, while the instructor / counselor will help instruct and guide in this skill based requirement, Scouts will still need to demonstrate satisfactory ability in order to receive sign off completion. *Practice, Practice, Practice.*
2a, 2b, 3, 6, and 9	**Be sure to review the merit badge pamphlet for a more comprehensive understanding on these requirements and components.** • The instructor / counselor will facilitate these requirement components during the class.