

2023 Broad Creek Scouts BSA Summer Camp Merit Badge Prerequisites

All prerequisites listed below are derived from the 2023 Scouts BSA Requirements

Merit Badge	Prerequisite Requirements	Description
Animation	4a	Tour an animation studio
Art	6	Visit a museum, exhibit, gallery, co-op, or workshop
Bird Study	8b	Find the name and location of the Christmas Bird Count nearest your home and obtain the results of a recent count
Camping	4b	Help a unit in your area prepare for an actual campout
	5e	Present yourself to your scoutmaster for pack inspection
	7b*	Pack your own gear and your share of patrol equipment (or bring a pack and gear to demonstrate to counselor
	8d	Cook one day of meals on camp out
	9a	Camp a total of 20 nights
	9b	Camping experiences
Citizenship in the Nation	7	Do TWO of the following
	8	Write a letter to your representative in congress
Emergency Prep	1	Earn First Aid Merit Badge
	2c*	Teach family
	8b	Prepare emergency kits
Fire Safety	11	Visit a fire station
	12	Smoke detector requirements for your municipality; Is your home up to code?
First Aid	1	Rank advancement requirements related to first aid
Fish and Wildlife Management	7	Do ONE of the following: a, b, c, or d
Game Design	8a <i>or</i> b	Visit with a professional in the game development, or game development education industry
Insect Study	9	Raise an insect through complete metamorphosis
Lifesaving	2a	Complete Swimming merit badge <u>beforehand</u>
	16b	Demonstrate CPR, including rescue breathing, on a mannequin under the guidance of a current CPR/AED instructor trained by a nationally certified provider
Mining in Society	8b	Research 3 career opportunities in the mining industry. Pick one and research for discussion.
Moviemaking	***	Complete your Cyber Chip (scouts will be using digital editing software)
Music	3a <i>or</i> b <i>or</i> c	-do one out of a, b, or c
Orienteering	7	Participate in 3 orienteering events
Paul Bunyan Woodsman	3	Earn the Totin' Chip
Personal Fitness	8	12-week physical fitness program
Personal Management	1a	Choose an item that your family might want to purchase
	1b2	Discuss a plan to purchase the item from requirement 1a with your family
	1c2	Comparison shop and provide prices from at least two different price sources for item from requirement 1a
	2a	Prepare what you expect your budget to be for a 13-week period (best estimate starting point)
	2c	Track and record your actual budget for the 13 week period identified in requirement 2a
Programming	1a	Complete your Cyber Chip
Reptile and Amphibian Study	8	Do one of the following: a or b
Robotics	***	Complete your Cyber Chip (scouts will be using computer software to program robots)
Salesmanship	5	Do ONE of the following and keep a record
Scouting Heritage	5	Learn about the history of your unit
Veterinary Medicine	6	Do one of the following: a or b
Woodcarving	2a	Earn the Totin' Chip
Woodworking	1c	Earn the Totin' Chip
	7	Talk with a cabinetmaker or finish carpenter