

Eagle Required Merit Badges



Eagle Palms

You can earn Bronze, Gold, and Silver Eagle Palms after you reach Eagle rank. Just earn your required 21 Merit Badges for Eagle rank, and then each 5 extra merit badges (earned at any time) will qualify you for an Eagle Palm. Up to age 18, you can earn a new Eagle Palm every 3 months that you remain active in the Troop after you reach Eagle rank.

The 21 required merit badges

Camping

Citizenship in the Community

Citizenship in the Nation

Citizenship in the World

Communications

Environmental Science

Family Life

First Aid

Personal Fitness

Personal Management

Cycling -OR- Hiking -OR- Swimming

Emergency Preparedness -OR- Lifesaving

Plus 9 more merit badges of your choice

Tips on Earning Merit Badges

- Go to Summer Camp.
- Attend Merit Badge Days and other merit badge class offerings in the area, and also any merit badge classes offered periodically before Troop meetings.
- Work together on merit badges with another Scout (share the work and the fun).
- Use the Merit Badge Worksheets that you can download from the Troop web site.
- The Family Life, Personal Fitness, and Personal Management merit badges require 3 months to complete. Try to work on those merit badges early and use opportunities to complete them whenever possible.
- The Camping Merit Badge requires 20 nights of camping, so be sure to keep your Camping Log.