



SCOUTMASTER BUCKY

Geology Merit Badge Class Preparation Page

for **ONLINE** and **IN-PERSON** classes ScoutmasterBucky.com or ScoutmasterBucky@yahoo.com or 612-483-0665

Expectations

1. Read and Review ALL requirements prior to the class.
2. Active interaction / participation is expected and mandatory.
3. Share in your own words – avoid reading your answers.
4. Pay attention to the action verbs.
5. Bring proof of completion (even partially completed work).
6. A positive Scouting focus and attitude
7. Scout uniform.

Remember to Bring

1. Your Scouting Member ID (formerly BSA ID – **NOT** your Scoutbook ID) or your merit badge blue card properly filled out and signed off by your Unit Leader or authorized designee.
2. Notes and questions from reading the Geology merit badge pamphlet.
3. Supporting documentation or project work pertinent to this merit badge that may also include a merit badge workbook for reference with notes.
4. Your rock, mineral, or fossil collection and notebook, if working on Option C or D

Requirements Insight

Requirement(s)	Expectations
1, 2, 3, 5a, and 6	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 completion consideration.
4	Choose ONE of the four options for Requirement 4 and do ALL of its parts. • Each option includes experiments, collections, visits, or data provided by your counselor - contact your counselor ahead of time for any maps or data points you will need. • Collections (Option C or D) and notebooks must be prepared ahead of time and brought to class. • Visits and field observations must be done outside of class; bring notes and photos as proof.
5b	This requirement is based on your own field trips and collecting for this merit badge. • Be prepared to explain how you practiced the Leave No Trace Seven Principles and the Outdoor Code while doing your fieldwork.