



SCOUTMASTER BUCKY

Hiking 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 Hiking 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 written hike plans and hike reports (Requirements 4 and 5)

Requirements Insight

Requirement(s)	Expectations
1a, 2, and 3	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.
1b	If you have prepared ahead of time, you will be able to complete this requirement during the class. • Time will be allotted for those Scouts who have prepared to share their work for completion consideration. • Be ready to show first aid, not just describe it. Only Scouts able to satisfactorily demonstrate their first aid skills will be considered for sign off.
4 and 5	These requirements will NOT be covered during the class. • The hikes must be done on your own (with your unit) before or after the class. Each hike requires a written hike plan shared with your counselor beforehand. • Bring your hike plans and reports for review. Time will be allotted for sign off consideration for Scouts with this work ready.