



# SCOUTMASTER BUCKY

Scouts participating in a Scoutmaster Bucky merit badge opportunity, whether online or in person, should consider using the Pets merit badge pamphlet for discovery and knowledge, along with the class preparation pages for clarifications, insights, and expectations.

<https://scoutmasterbucky.com/merit-badges/pets/pets-pamphlet.pdf>

<https://scoutmasterbucky.com/merit-badges/pets/pets-cpp.pdf>

**THE ACTIVITIES USED TO FULFILL THE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PETS MERIT BADGE MAY NOT BE USED TO HELP FULFILL THE REQUIREMENTS FOR OTHER MERIT BADGES.**

**REQUIREMENT 3 REQUIRES COUNSELOR APPROVAL.**

**REQUIREMENTS 4a and 4b RECOMMEND PARENT / GUARDIAN CONFIRMATION.**

**REQUIREMENT 1 REQUIRES A TRUSTED ADULT'S APPROVAL.**

**REQUIREMENT 1:** Present evidence that you have cared for a pet for four months. Get approval before you start.

**TRUSTED ADULT APPROVAL:** IS REQUIRED.

Trusted Adult's Name

Phone or Email

Trusted Adult's Signature

Date

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*approved*

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**REQUIREMENT 2:** Write in 200 words or more about the care, feeding, and housing of your pet.

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**REQUIREMENT 2:** Tell some interesting facts about your pet.

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**REQUIREMENT 2:** Tell why you have this kind of pet.

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**REQUIREMENT 2:** Give local laws, if any, relating to the pet you keep.

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**REQUIREMENT 3:**

Show that you have read a book or pamphlet, approved by your counselor, about your kind of pet. Discuss with your counselor what you have learned from what you read.

Book Title:

Author:

**COUNSELOR APPROVAL:** IS REQUIRED.

Counselor's Name

Phone or Email

Counselor's Signature

Date

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*approved*

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**DO ONE OF THE FOLLOWING (4A, 4B, or 4C) FOR REQUIREMENT 4**

**REQUIREMENT 4a:** Show your pet in a pet show.

Show Name:

Show Date, Time, and Location:

**PARENT/GUARDIAN CONFIRMATION:** IS RECOMMENDED.

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Parent's / Guardian's Name

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Phone or Email

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Parent's / Guardian's Signature

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Date ☐ *confirmed*

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**REQUIREMENT 4b:** Start a friend raising a pet like yours. Help your friend get a good start.

Friend's Name:

Type of Pet and Date Introduced:

**PARENT/GUARDIAN CONFIRMATION:** IS RECOMMENDED.

Parent's / Guardian's Name

Phone or Email

Parent's / Guardian's Signature

Date

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*confirmed*

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**REQUIREMENT 4c:** Train a pet in three or more tricks or special abilities.

While this Requirement does not state anything more than training your pet in three or more tricks or special abilities, it should be expected that the merit badge counselor will want to see these tricks or special abilities either in person or on video as a means of validating completion of this requirement.

**BE PREPARED!**

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