



# Outdoorsman

## Webelos Activity Workbook

This workbook is not required but can help you with this activity badge. Your Webelos Den Leader approves your work. No one can add or subtract from the requirements. Webelos Workbooks and much more are below: [Online Resources](#).

Send comments to the workbook developer: [craig@craiglincoln.com](mailto:craig@craiglincoln.com). Workbook updated: June 2009.

Webelos Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Pack: \_\_\_\_\_ Activity Badge Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_

**Do two of these:**

- 1. Present yourself to your Webelos den leader, properly dressed, as you would be for an overnight campout. Show the camping gear you will use.

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Show the right way to pack and carry it. \_\_\_\_\_

- 2. With your family or Webelos den, help plan and take part in an evening outdoor activity that includes a campfire.

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- 3. With your parent or guardian, take part in a Webelos den overnight campout or a family campout. Sleep in a tent that you have helped pitch.

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- 4. With your parent or guardian, camp overnight with a Boy Scout troop. Sleep in a tent that you have helped pitch.

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**And do five of these:**

- 5. During a Webelos den meeting, discuss how to follow the Leave No Trace Frontcountry Guidelines during outdoor activities

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6. Participate in an outdoor conservation project with your Webelos den or a Boy Scout troop. \_\_\_\_\_

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7. Discuss with your Webelos den leader the rules of outdoor fire safety. \_\_\_\_\_

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Using these rules, show how to build a safe fire and put it out. \_\_\_\_\_

8. With your accompanying adult on a campout or outdoor activity, assist in preparing, cooking, and cleanup for one of your den's meals.

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Tell why it is important for each den member to share in meal preparation and cleanup, and explain the importance of eating together.

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9. Discuss with your Webelos den leader the things that you need to take on a hike. \_\_\_\_\_

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Go on one 3-mile hike with your Webelos den or a Boy Scout troop. \_\_\_\_\_

10. Demonstrate how to whip and fuse the ends of a rope. \_\_\_\_\_

11. Demonstrate setting up a tent or dining fly using two half hitches and a taut-line hitch. \_\_\_\_\_

Show how to tie a square knot and explain how it is used. \_\_\_\_\_

12. Visit a nearby Boy Scout camp with your Webelos den. \_\_\_\_\_

**Online Resources** *(Use any Internet resource with caution and only with your parent's or guardian's permission.)*

Outdoorsman is preparing you for [Camping](#), [Cooking](#), [Hiking](#), and [Backpacking](#) Merit Badges.

Outdoorsman # 1 can help prepare you for [Tenderfoot](#) # 1 and [Camping](#) Merit Badge # 5.

Outdoorsman # 3 & 4 can help prepare you for [Tenderfoot](#) # 2 and [Camping](#) Merit Badge # 6.

Outdoorsman # 5 can help prepare you for [Camping](#) Merit Badge # 2.

Outdoorsman # 6 can help prepare you for [Camping](#) Merit Badge # 9c.

Outdoorsman # 7 can help prepare you for [Second Class](#) #2d and [Camping](#) Merit Badge # 8.

Outdoorsman # 8 can help prepare you for [Tenderfoot](#) # 3 and [Second Class](#) #2g.

Outdoorsman # 9 can help prepare you for [Tenderfoot](#) # 5 and [Second Class](#) #1b .

Outdoorsman # 10 can help prepare you for [Tenderfoot](#) # 4a.

Outdoorsman # 11 can help prepare you for [Scout](#) #6 and [Tenderfoot](#) #2 and # 4b..

**Webelos Activity Badge Workbooks:** [meritbadge.org](http://meritbadge.org) -or- [usscouts.org](http://usscouts.org)

**Cub Scout Academics and Sports Workbooks:** [meritbadge.org](http://meritbadge.org) -or- [Academics](#) / [Sports](#)

**Resources:** ▶ [scouting.org](http://scouting.org) ▶ [Guide to Safe Scouting](#) ▶ [Age-Appropriate Guidelines](#) ▶ [Safe Swim Defense](#)

**Boy Scout Merit Badge Workbooks:** [meritbadge.org](http://meritbadge.org) -or- [usscouts.org](http://usscouts.org) **Merit Badge Books:** [www.scoutstuff.org](http://www.scoutstuff.org)

**Requirement Resources**

These resources and much more are at: <http://meritbadge.org/wiki/index.php/Outdoorsman>

- Your handbook is your primary reference. See [Outdoor Skills](#) for step-by-step instructions and lesson video links.
  - **See also:** [Hiking Skills](#) - [Hydration](#) - [Outdoor Gear](#) - [Tents](#) - [Water Purification](#) - [Weather Skills](#)
1. [BSA Video: Overnight camping gear TF1.m4v](#) - [Outdoor Checklists](#) - [Packing a Backpack](#) - [Clothing](#) - [Outdoor Gear](#) - [Footwear](#) - [Sleeping Bags](#) - [Sleeping Pads](#)
  2. [Campfire Building](#) - [Scout Skits](#) - [Scout Songs](#) - [Scout Cheers](#).
  - 3 & 4. [BSA Video: Help pitch a tent TF2.m4v](#) Also see #1 above and [Tent Setup](#)
  5. [Leave No Trace Frontcountry Guidelines](#)
  6. Participate In An Outdoor Conservation Project With Your Webelos Den Or A Boy Scout Troop.
  7. [Campfire Setup](#) - [Campfire Types](#) - [Campfire Starting](#) - [Campfire Safety](#)
    - The [Webelos Scout Handbook](#) is the primary reference. See [Campfire Skills](#) for instructions and lesson video links.
    - **See also:** [Campfire Setup](#) - [Campfire Types](#) - [Campfire Starting](#) - [Campfire Safety](#) - [Firem'n Chit](#) - [Fire Safety](#)
  8. [BSA Video: Help cook a meal TF3.m4v](#) - [BSA Video: Cook a meal SC2g.m4v](#) - [Cooking Skills](#)
    - Your handbook is your primary reference. See [Cooking Skills](#) for step-by-step instructions and lesson video links.
- See also:** [Cooking Merit Badge Pamphlet](#) - [Food Pyramid](#) - [Meal Planning](#) - [Recipes](#) - [Food Handling](#) - [Dutch Oven Cooking](#)9.
- [BSA Video: Safe hiking TF5.m4v](#) - [Hiking Skills](#)
10. [BSA Video: Whip a rope TF4a.m4v](#) - [Whipping and Fusing](#)
    - **Animated Knots:** [Basic Scout Knots](#) - [Forty Scout knots](#) - [Special Knots](#) - [Sailing knots](#) - [Fishing knots](#) - [Folsoms Knots](#) - [Animatedknots.com](#) - [Great Animations](#) - [More Animated Knots](#) - [More great Animated Knots](#) - [Still more](#) - [Knot Videos](#) - [Basics Videos](#) - [Basics2](#)
    - **Other Knot Links:** [Advanced knots](#) - [Ropers Knots Page](#) - [Climbing Knots](#) - [Fishing knots](#) - [Knots Index](#)
  11. [Tent Setup](#) - [BSA Video: Knots TF4b.m4v](#) - [Two Half Hitches](#) - [Taut-Line Hitch](#) - [Square Knot](#)
  12. [Camps](#) will help you locate Boy Scout Camps in your area.