

Columbia-Montour Council, BSA
Camp Lavigne – Scouts BSA Summer Camp 2020
Merit Badge Prerequisites



ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

The following requirements must be completed prior to arrival at camp, if the Scout is to complete the merit badge at the end of his long-term camping experience this summer. A Scout should decide with his Scoutmaster's counseling and approval what merit badges he will work on at summer camp at least six weeks prior to his arrival. Numbers and letters refer to the requirements listed in the Merit Badge's worksheet/pamphlet.

If a requirement is not listed below, it can be completed at camp, unless otherwise specified while there.

Be sure use the most recent Merit Badge Pamphlet.

A Scout MUST bring proof of the completion of his prerequisites to camp.

1. Make a timeline of the history of environmental science in America. Identify the contribution made by the Boy Scouts to environmental science. Include dates, names of 30 people or organizations, and important events. *(Note: Information required for this timeline is found in the Environmental Science merit badge book)*

3. Do ONE activity from the following category (using the activities in this pamphlet as the basis for planning and projects):

E. Endangered Species

(1) Do research on one endangered species found in your state. Find out what its natural habitat is, why it is endangered, what is being done to preserve it, and how many individual organisms are left in the wild. Prepare a 100-word report about the organism, including a drawing. Present your report to your patrol or troop. *(You will present to the patrol you are placed in for the week at summer camp.)*

OR

(2) Do research on one species that was endangered or threatened but which has now recovered. Find out how the organism recovered, and what its new status is. Write a 100-word report on the species and discuss it with your counselor.