

Boy Scout Nature Crafts and Outdoor Activities

Hiking Merit Badge

Acorn Naturalists specializes in resources that enhance Boy Scout experiences, including nature crafts, campfire activities, outdoor skill development, nature lore knowledge, camp nature craft activity kits, and many other fun resources for scout patch and award programs. Boy Scouts, patrol leaders and outdoor education and service leaders are encouraged to visit our online or “bricks and mortar” store, each filled with activities that supplement Boy Scout programs and activities. Watch interest in nature and outdoor education grow while your scouts enjoy the great outdoors, all the while earning their scout patches and awards.

The resources listed below can easily be found on the Acorn Naturalists website. When visiting acornnaturalists.com simply type in all or part of resource name into the search field located on every web page. You can then easily order online using our secure order form, or simply call us directly at (800) 422-8886. If you are in the area, visit us in person at our store (155 El Camino Real, Tustin, California 92780), or call to request our 200 page print catalog describing over 8000 hands-on education resources. We look forward to helping Boy Scouts achieve a high level of adventure, education and outdoor learning while developing valuable skills and, of course, having a lot of fun.

This resource list has been developed by educators familiar with Boy Scout handbook, fieldbook, merit badge and award requirements, and is offered to enhance and enrich Boy Scout education activities described in those resources. Specific learning resources should be selected based on local environments and interests as they complement official Boy Scout programs, projects, patches, awards and activities.

Requirement 1

Camp Out! (#B-16079)
Clever Catch Ball: First Aid (#G-15372)
Don't Get Bitten (#B-12109)
Don't Get Eaten (#B-51018)
Don't Get Sick (#B-12110)
Golden Guide to Poisonous Animals (#FG-14031)
Introducing Your Kids to the Outdoors (#EE-52325)
Northwood's First Aid Guide (#T-13176)
Peterson Field Guide to Venomous Animals and Plants (#FG-3122)
Pocket Naturalist Guide to Emergency First Aid (#FG-12249)
Pocket Naturalist Guide to Wilderness Survival (#FG-12278)

Poison Ivy Display (#T-12808)
Trekking on a Trail { In Store} (#STO-50846)
Wilderness Survival Knowledge Cards (#G-50814)

Requirement 2

Camp Out! (#B-16079)
Introducing Your Kids to the Outdoors (#EE-52325)
NOLS Soft Paths, How to Enjoy the Wilderness without Harming It (#B-14083)
NOLS Wilderness Ethics, Valuing and Managing Wild Places (#B-14082)
Outdoor Survival Skills (#EE-10037)

Additional Hiking Resources

101 Hikes in Southern California {In Store} (#STO-52378)
Afoot & Afield in La County(#STO-50565), Orange County (#STO-50563) and San Diego County {In Store} (#STO-50564)
Back Pack: Chipmunk { Ages 3 to 7} (#T-16123)
Back Pack: Coyote {Ages 7 and Up} (#T-16124)
Best Easy Day Hikes in Orange County {In Store} (#STO-51617)
Best Old Growth Forest Hikes {In Store} (#STO-51321)
Best Short Hikes in the Northern Sierra {In Store} (#STO-51317)
Binoculars:
 Acorn Naturalists Field Binoculars (#T-13000), Compact Folding Binoculars, 8x21mm (#T-11112), Compact Professional Quality 10x25 Binoculars (#T-13222), Nitrogen-Filled Binoculars (#T-13772), Shock-Proof Binoculars (#T-14107), Zoom Binoculars, 5-15x by 17mm (#T-12083), and Zoom Binoculars, 7-21x by 21mm (#T-9225).
Brunton Compasses
Day Hiker's Guide to Southern California {In Store} (#STO-50711)
Day Hikes Around Los Angeles {In Store} (#STO-50710)
Gem Trails Regional Books {In Store}:
 Arizona (#STO-51622), Colorado (#STO-51623), Nevada (#STO-51624), New Mexico (#STO-51625), Northern California (#STO-51621), Oregon (#STO-51626), and Southern California (#STO-51620).
Hiker's Guide to California Native Places {In Store} (#STO-50717)
New Day Hiker's Guide to Southern California {In Store} (#STO-51795)
Outdoor Game Bandanas:
 Beach Quest (#CL-10192), Bug Bingo (#CL-10193), Desert Quest (#CL-12815), Nature Quest (#CL-10194), Pond Bingo (#CL-12028), Scat & Track Quest (#CL-13539), Star Quest (#CL-10195), Tree Quest (#CL-11025), and Wild Bird Bingo (#CL-11024).
San Bernardino Mountain Trails {In Store} (#STO-50719)
Top Trails of Los Angeles {In Store} (#STO-51652)
Tracks and Scat Bandanas
Trail Runs of San Diego County {In Store} (#STO-50725)
Trails of the Angeles {In Store} (#STO-50722)
Walking Sticks for Adults and Children {In Store}
Wild L.A.: Day Hiker's Guide {In Store} (#STO-51094)

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