

Cadette and Senior Girl Scout Orienteering Merit Badge

Acorn Naturalists specializes in resources that enhance Girl 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. Girl 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 Girl 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 comprehensive print catalog describing over 8000 hands-on educational resources. We look forward to helping Girl 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 Girl Scout handbook, fieldbook, merit badge and award requirements, and is offered to enhance and enrich Girl Scout education activities described in those resources. Specific learning resources should be selected based on local environments and interests as they complement official Girl Scout programs, projects, patches, awards and activities.

Skill Builders

Activity 1

Basic Essentials: Using GPS (#B-14070)
Boundaries of Home, Mapping for Local Empowerment (#EE-7027)
GPS Mapping (#B-16119)
How to Teach with Topographic Maps (#B-3039)
Land Navigation Handbook (#B-14551)
Orienteering and Map Games for Teachers (#B-7102)

Activity 2

Be an Expert with Map and Compass 9#B-13140)
Brunton Intermediate Compass (#T-7107)
Brunton # 9020G Compass (#T-3037)
Brunton Compass plus Map Navigator Book (#T-7109)
Brunton Professional Compass (#T-7108)
Compass & Map Navigator, the Complete Guide to Staying Found (#B-9492)
Land Navigation Handbook, the Sierra Club Guide to Map, Compass & GPS (#B-14551)
Staying Found, the Complete Map and Compass Handbook (#B-3035)
The ABC's of Compass & Map DVD (#DVD-15203)
The Basic Essentials of Map and Compass (#B-122)

Technology

Activity 5

Basic Essentials: Using GPS (#B-14070)
Compass & Map Navigator, the Complete Guide to Staying Found (#B-9492)
GPS Made Easy, Using Global Positioning Systems (GPS) in the Outdoors (#B-12034)
GPS Mapping (#B-16119)
Land Navigation Handbook, the Sierra Club Guide to Map, Compass & GPS (#B-14551)
Outdoor Navigation with GPS (#B-16117)
Wilderness Navigation, Finding your Way Using Map, Compass, Altimeter and GPS (#B-14078)

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