

What will YOU learn and accomplish on the road to Eagle Scout?

Outdoors – You will learn to handle yourself in the outdoors.

- You will learn how to camp, swim, hike, use wood tools, build a fire, use a camp stove, and find your way with a map and compass.
- You will spend at least 20 days and nights camping out in a tent that you pitched, you will plan your own menus, and cook your own food.
- You will go on hiking trips, backpacking trips, and canoe trips.

Conservation - You will learn to be comfortable with nature.

- You will learn to identify local animals and plants, including poisonous plants.
- You will learn the causes of pollution in water, land, and air and develop a project to solve an environmental problem and spend at least 8 hours working on conservation projects.
- You will learn the principals of “Leave No Trace” and “Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle.”

Preparedness - You will learn to embody the Scout motto, “Be Prepared.”

- You will learn how to treat fractures, head injuries, hypothermia, convulsions, frostbite, burns, abdominal pain, muscle cramps, and even knocked-out teeth.
- You will learn what to do in case of a fire, storm, power outage, and water outage. You will learn how to safe swim and learn how to do "reaching" and "throwing" rescues of a subject.

Life Skills - You will learn how to manage your money.

- You will understand the risks and benefits of putting your money in savings bonds, mutual funds, common stock, and real estate.
- You will set financial goals and work toward achieving those goals.
- You will learn how to be a good family member. You will learn what things are important to the members of your family and will talk to your family about finances, drug abuse, and growing up.

Personal Fitness - You will learn how to set and work toward fitness goals.

- You will develop aerobic endurance, flexibility, and muscular strength.
- You will learn what it means to be physically, mentally, and emotionally fit.

Citizenship and Community Service - You will learn to how to be a good citizen.

- You will attend a city meeting and learn how the city government is organized.
- You will learn who your U.S. Senators and Representatives are and you will write a letter to one of them about a national issue.
- Throughout your ranks you will volunteer at least 28 hours for different charitable organizations.

Leadership - You will learn to be a good leader.

- You will serve actively in the troop for at least 16 months in different leadership positions.
- You will lead an Eagle Service Project where you will plan, develop, and give leadership to others in a project helpful to your community.

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