



Let's Camp

Cub Scouts · Elective · Lion rank

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Let's Camp gets you ready for your first Cub Scout campout. You'll learn the buddy system, think about the weather, pack your Six Essentials, and then head out for a night under the stars. Getting ready is half the fun.

Requirements

Every official requirement, in plain language. Check the official wording when you sign off (scouting.org/cub-scout-adventures/lets-camp-lion/). Tips and examples are ideas, not extra requirements.

☐ 1 Learn how the buddy system works outdoors

Tip: Practice the buddy system at a park: stay together, check on each other, and tell an adult if your buddy needs help.

Example: At a den meeting, your leader calls "Buddy check." You find your buddy, grab hands, and raise them up. If your buddy needs help, you tell an adult right away.

☐ 2 Before the overnight campout, talk about the weather expected and what clothes to wear

Tip: Check the forecast with your adult a few days before and pick clothes for warm, cool, or rainy weather.

Example: Three days before the campout, check the forecast with your adult. If nights will be cold, pack a warm hat, a jacket, and extra socks. If rain is coming, pack a rain jacket.

☐ 3 Pack your own Cub Scout Six Essentials to bring on the campout

Tip: Lay out your Six Essentials and pack them yourself. Have your grown-up double-check.

- ☐ **4** Go on an overnight campout with your pack, or to a Cub Scout overnight camp run by your council or district

Tip: Go to a pack campout or a council or district Cub Scout overnight with your adult partner.

Example: At the pack campout, help your adult set up the tent, play games with your den, eat dinner around the campfire area, and look for stars before bed.