



Let's Camp

Cub Scouts · Elective · Tiger rank

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Let's Camp gets you ready for a Cub Scout campout. You'll learn the buddy system, plan for the weather, pack your Six Essentials, learn a camping skill, and then spend a night outdoors. You'll be ready for the adventure.

Requirements

Every official requirement, in plain language. Check the official wording when you sign off (scouting.org/cub-scout-adventures/lets-camp-tiger/). 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 park, you and your buddy stay where you can see each other. When an adult calls "Buddy check," you find your buddy, hold hands, and raise them high. If your buddy gets hurt, you go tell an adult together.

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

Tip: Check the forecast with your adult and pick clothes in layers for cool nights.

Example: The forecast says 70 in the day and 45 at night. You pack a T-shirt, a long-sleeve shirt, a sweatshirt, long pants, a warm hat, and dry socks to sleep in. Layers let you add or take off clothes.

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

Tip: Pack your Six Essentials yourself, then have your adult check your bag.

☐ **4** Learn a camping skill

Tip: Learn something like setting up a tent, rolling a sleeping bag, or using a flashlight safely at night.

Example: Learn to help set up a tent: lay out the tent, slide poles into the sleeves, and push stakes in at an angle with your adult. Or learn to roll your sleeping bag so it fits in its sack.

☐ **5** Go on a 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 pitch your family's tent, play a night game with flashlights, join the campfire program, and help clean up the campsite in the morning.