

**Information for Applicant**

- A merit badge application can be approved only by a registered merit badge counselor.
- You must have a buddy with you (Scout buddy system) at each meeting with the merit badge counselor.
- Turn in your approved application to your unit leader. You will be awarded the merit badge emblem and certificate at a suitable occasion.

**Information for Counselor**

- Merit badge applications must be signed in advance by the applicant's unit leader.
- The Scout must have his buddy (Scout buddy system) in attendance at all instructional sessions.
- You may not change any requirement, but you may share your knowledge or experience that will make the counseling more interesting and valuable.

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**APPLICATION FOR MERIT BADGE**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_  
 is a registered \_\_\_\_\_  
 Boy Scout of \_\_\_\_\_ Troop       Explorer No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 District \_\_\_\_\_  
 Council \_\_\_\_\_

and is qualified to begin working for merit badge noted on the reverse side. **B**

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Unit Leader \_\_\_\_\_  
**BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**  
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The applicant has personally appeared before me and demonstrated to my satisfaction that he met all requirements for the (please print):

\_\_\_\_\_ **D** \_\_\_\_\_  
 Merit Badge  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone number of Counselor \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Counselor \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Checked and recorded: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_ Initials \_\_\_\_\_  
 Certificate and badge presented: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant will turn in this portion to his unit leader for record posting.

**APPLICANT'S RECORD**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ **A** \_\_\_\_\_  
 has given me his completed application for the \_\_\_\_\_  
 Merit Badge  
 Completed on \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Counselor \_\_\_\_\_ **E** \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Unit Leader \_\_\_\_\_ **B** \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE TO BOY SCOUT, VARSITY SCOUT, OR EXPLORER:** Retain this copy for your permanent records.

**COUNSELOR'S RECORD**

Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ **A** \_\_\_\_\_  
 Troop      Unit number: \_\_\_\_\_ **A** \_\_\_\_\_  
 Team  
 Post      \_\_\_\_\_ **D** \_\_\_\_\_  
 Merit Badge  
 Date Completed \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
 Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

It is suggested that the counselor keep this record for at least 1 year in case any question is raised later in regard to this award.

- A- Scout name, filled in by scout
- B- Signature of the scoutmaster
- C- For MB counselor **ONLY!!!**
- D- Name of merit badge, filled in by scout
- E- Signature of MB counselor