



Cub Scout Archery

Cub Scout Academics and Sports Workbook

This workbook is not required but can help you with this award. Belt Loops and Pins may be earned more than once.

Links to other workbooks and resources are at the end of this workbook: [Online Resources](#).

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Scout's Name: _____

Pack: _____

Cub Scout Archery Belt Loop (See the [Pin Requirements](#) below.)

Note: The Archery loop and pin can be awarded only by a certified Cub Scout Archery shooting director.

Archery, like BB-gun shooting, is a camp program. Boys can earn archery recognition items only at council/district day camp, resident camp, or council-managed family camping programs.

To be a qualified and trained archery range supervisor, adults must take part in an archery supervisor training program conducted by the local council with the help of a National Camping School-certified field sports director or a National Archery Association (NAA) instructor.

Although archery programs are not permitted at den and pack activities, leaders can help parents understand the importance of training and encourage attendance of boys at Cub Scout camps that offer this training.

Complete these three requirements:

1. Explain the rules for safe archery that you have learned in the district/council camp or activity you are attending with your leader or adult partner. _____

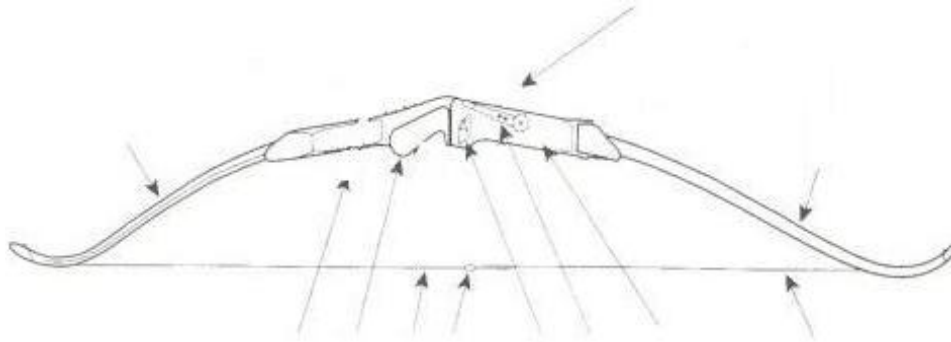
2. Demonstrate to your leader or adult partner good archery shooting techniques, _____
including the stance _____
and how to nock the arrow, _____
establish the bow, _____
draw, _____
aim, _____
release, _____
follow-through _____
and retrieve arrows. _____
3. Practice shooting at your district or council camp for the time allowed. _____

Cub Scout Archery Pin

Earn the Cub Scout Archery belt loop, and complete five of the following requirements:

A certified range officer must be present.

- 1. Explain the parts of a bow and demonstrate how to string the bowstring in a proficient manner. _____



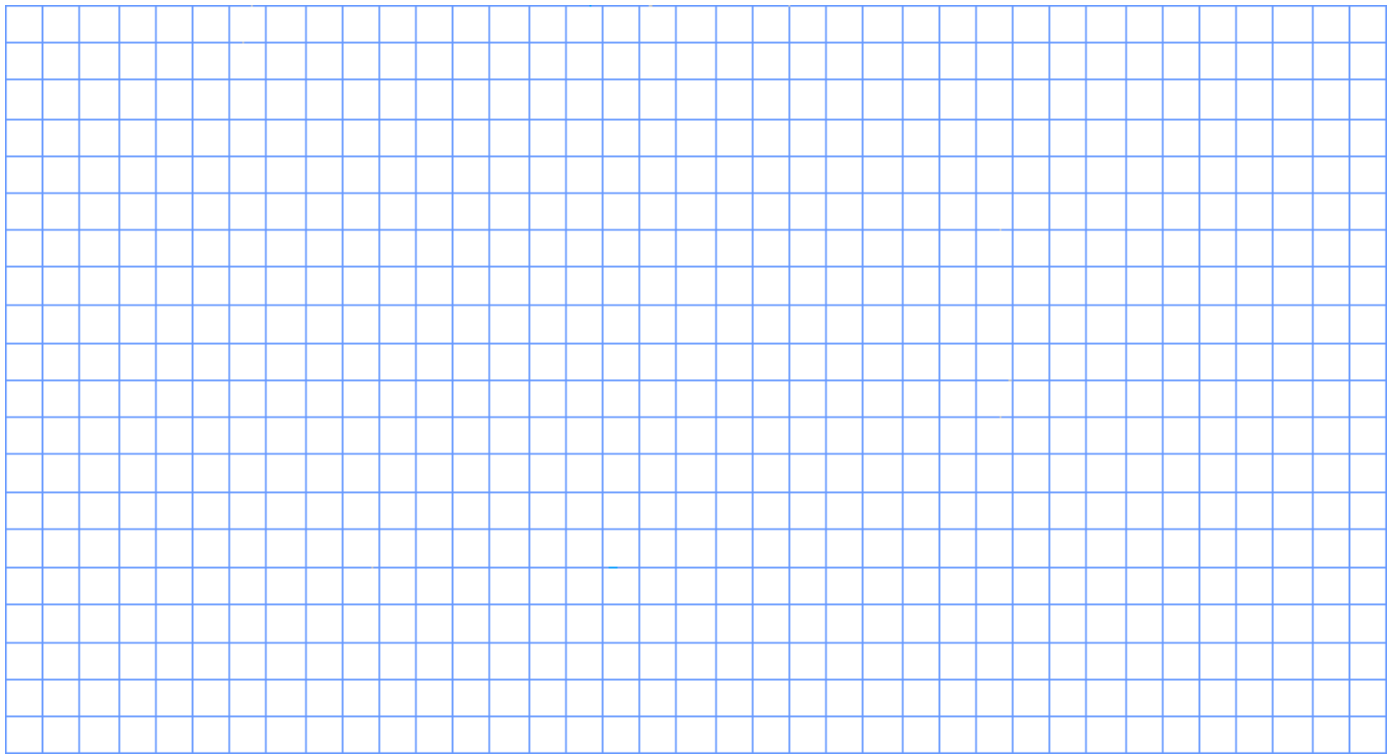
- 2. Demonstrate how to properly use archery equipment, including arm guards, finger tabs, and quivers and explain about proper clothing. _____

- 3. Develop proficient shooting techniques by practicing for three hours. _____

- 4. Learn the correct scoring techniques for target archery. _____

- 5. Make a poster that emphasizes the four whistle codes. _____

- 6. Draw to scale or set up an archery range.



- 7. Shoot 30 arrows from a distance of 30 feet at a target and score at least 50 points, or shoot 30 arrow from a distance of 90 feet and score at least 30 points. _____
- 8. Help make a type of target for the camp archery range. _____
- 9. Show how to put away and properly store archery equipment. _____
- 10. Tell five facts about an archer in history or literature. _____

Cub Scout Shooting Sports Award Certificate

In Cub Scout archery, the camp awards the certificate when the Cub Scout or Webelos Scout qualifies for the different levels of recognition. It is possible to earn four certificates if every level of marksmanship has been accomplished.

Before firing the Pro Archer course, the camper is to complete the following:

- 1. Explain how to string your bow and explain the use of archery equipment. _____
- 2. Be able to list and discuss nine points in 'Shooting Techniques.' _____

Pro Archer Level

- Shoot five groups (three arrows per group) trying to group each set within a circle the size of the nine-ring. (No specific score is required.)
- Then fire for the Pro Archer score.

Level of Recognition	Number of Arrows	Distance	Score
Pro Archer	30	15 feet	30
Archer I	30	20 feet	30
Archer II	30	20 feet	50
Archer III	30	20 feet	100

Online Resources (Use any Internet resource with caution and only with your parent's or guardian's supervision.)

Cub Scout Advancement: <http://usscouts.org/advance/cubscout/ranks.asp>

Tiger: <http://meritbadge.org/wiki/index.php?title=Tiger>

Wolf: <http://meritbadge.org/wiki/index.php?title=Wolf>

Bear: <http://meritbadge.org/wiki/index.php?title=Bear>

Webelos: <http://meritbadge.org/wiki/index.php?title=Webelos>

Cub Scout Academics and Sports Workbooks: ► meritbadge.org -or- ► [Academics](#) / [Sports](#)

Webelos Activity Badge Workbooks: ► usscouts.org -or- ► meritbadge.org

Boy Scouts of America: <http://www.scouting.org/> ► [Guide to Safe Scouting](#) ► [Age-Appropriate Guidelines for Activities](#)

Requirement Resources

These resources and much more are at: http://meritbadge.org/wiki/index.php/Cub_Scout_Archery

Archery Belt Loop Requirement Resources

1. [Venturing Powderhorn](#) has similar Rules, Whistle Commands, Bow Diagrams, Stances, Explanations, etc.

[Encarta Encyclopedia: Archery](#) - [Archery Safety Rules](#) - [another source](#)

[Lesson Video: Safety](#) - [Lesson Video: More Safety](#)

2-3. [Lesson Video: Gear](#) - [Lesson Video: Stance](#) - [Lesson Video: Release](#) - [Lesson Video: Scoring](#)

Archery Pin Requirement Resources

1-5. [Venturing Powderhorn](#) has similar Rules, Whistle Commands, Bow Diagrams, Stances, Explanations, etc.

1. The blank bow diagram is in the [Cub Scout Archery Worksheet](#).

2. [Archery Equipment](#) - [Fletching](#) - [Quiver](#)

3, & 7. [Lesson Video: Gear](#) - [Lesson Video: Stance](#) - [Lesson Video: Release](#) - [Lesson Video: Scoring](#)

6. The graph paper you will need is in the [Cub Scout Archery Worksheet](#).

10. [Encarta Encyclopedia: Archery](#)