

Forestry Merit Badge

Hidden Oaks Nature Center

The Forestry merit badge is a 4 hour session. Scouts should bring a snack and plenty of water. Please no red liquids

What to bring:

- Blue card, pen and pencil.
- Snack and water.
- Appropriate clothing including closed toe shoes.
- Prework.

Prework

1. Bring a field notebook for making a collection of tree leaves, shrubs or vines. Scouts are encouraged to start their collection prior to class.

7. Visit one or more local foresters and write a brief report about the person (or persons). Or, write about a forester's occupation including the education, qualifications, career opportunities, and duties related to forestry.

For help or questions, contact Emily Cole at Emily.cole@fairfaxcounty.gov, or at (703) 941-1065.