

### Scout Merit Badges Mount Vernon Rec Center

**PARTIALS:** If any scout receives a partial blue card, your troop may be able to complete the card. If not, please contact the merit badge counsellor for a time to meet, check requirements and sign the blue card.

**PREREQUISITES:** Please check the merit badge pamphlet or look online for requirements that are done outside of class. Proof of these requirements can include a note from a scoutmaster or a parent, but scouts will be expected to discuss during the class session. Information will be sent out as well approximately one week before class.

### Citizenship in the Community Merit Badge

We will complete all the requirements for the citizenship in the community merit badge except for requirement #3, attending a town meeting and #7c, volunteering 8 hours.

### Communication Merit Badge

We will complete all the requirements for the Communication merit badge in this session except for requirement #5, attending a town meeting and #8, serving as master of ceremony for your troop campfire, court of honor or worship service.

### Cooking Merit badge

This will be a partial because of the large number of camp and trail meals. Cooking at home can be done as prework. Any partials can be completed with a scout's troop or brought back for completion signatures by the merit badge counsellor.

Possible prework: (to get as much signed off as possible)

Requirements 2 a, b, c and e.

Requirements 3 a

Requirement 4 a, c, d and e-- This is the big one, lots of home cooking.



Cooking Merit  
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[Cooking Merit Badge](#)

### Emergency Preparedness Merit Badge

The first requirement for this merit badge is having earned the First Aid merit badge. If you have already done this, please bring proof -your merit badge card or award card, photo or scoutbook record.

Requirement #8b requires an emergency kit be created at home. This can be done, and a printed photo brought to class or a photo on a cell phone. There is a link below with more information, and a family disaster template that the American Red Cross recommends.



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[ARC Family Disaster Plan Template](#)

### Environmental Science Merit Badge

All the requirements for this merit badge will be completed. Please come prepared to be outside most of the day. Wear long pants, boots and bring water.

### Family Life Merit Badge

There is no prework required for this merit badge. Successful completion of the merit badge will involve coming back and presenting work after 3 months on a drop in basis (no scheduled class times). This will all be discussed with the scouts attending, and materials provided. Scouts may print and chart chores (Req 3) at home before meeting for the merit badge.

Requirement 3 is listed below. Chore chart can be found online or created by the scout.

3. Prepare a list of your regular home duties or chores (at least five) and do them for 90 days. Keep a record of how often you do each of them. Discuss with your counselor the effect your chores had on your family.

### First Aid Merit Badge

Scouts must bring a personal first aid kit with them, check their troop first aid kit and do a worksheet for some first aid topics. This should be brought with them to the merit badge session.

Requirement #5a and b, and part of Requirement #1.



First aid merit  
badge homework.p

[First Aid Merit Badge Homework](#)

### Lifesaving Merit Badge

All the requirements for this merit badge will be completed, pending scout swimming ability.

### Swimming Merit Badge

All the requirements for this merit badge will be completed, pending scout swimming ability.