



## 2024 Merit Badge Prerequisites and Fees

Badge	Prerequisite Requirements/Fees
ALL AQUATICS BADGES & ACE Program, Aquatics Supervision*	Pass BSA Swim Test *See Program Guide for Info
Art	6
Astronomy	May not fully complete 4a, 4b, 5d, and 6a depending on weather (cloud coverage)
Bird Study	May not fully complete 5a-d
Bugling	6
Camping	4b, 5e, 7b, 8c, 8d, 9a, 9b
Emergency Preparedness	1 (First Aid Merit Badge), 2c, 6c, 8b
Engineering	4 (may be completed at camp if there is an engineer present that week)
Fire Safety	6 (complete home safety survey- bring to camp), 6a, 6b, 11, 12, 7a/7b/7c (weather depending- if in a fire ban)
First Aid	5a, 5b, 7e
Inventing	8a or 8b (pick one)
Lifesaving	2a (Swimming Merit Badge), 16b (CPR demonstration to CPR instructor) Please bring appropriate clothing to camp for requirement 9
Nature	4a2, 4c/4d/4f (pick one of these options)
Scouting Heritage	4, 5, 6 (bring collection items or photos of items to camp)
Search and Rescue	6a
Theater	1, 2
Weather	2(discuss with family), 9a or 9b (pick one)
Wilderness Survival	6 (weather depending- if in a fire ban)
Wood Carving	Totin' Chip required (can be done during Monday open program but need it to begin project)
A.C.E. Program	\$115 activity fee
Basketry/Leatherwork/Sculpture	\$10 supply fee
Motorboating	\$5 fuel fee
Watersports	\$15 fuel fee
Wood Carving	\$15 supply fee

**Note:** Badge prerequisites indicate requirements not instructed at camp. Scouts will need to complete these requirements outside of summer camp. Proof of completion can be provided to the Melita Island staff or merit badge completion can be finalized through troop merit badge counselor resources.