

Cub Scout
Outdoor Code and
Leave No Trace Pledge
Pack _____

We Promise to follow the Outdoor Code and Leave No Trace Pledge any time we are outside of our home.

Outdoor Code

As an American, I will do my best to
Be Clean in my Outdoor Manners,
Be Careful with Fire,
Be Considerate in the outdoors, and
Be Conservation Minded.

Leave No Trace Pledge

I promise to practice the Leave No Trace Principles wherever I go:

- 1. Know Before You Go**
- 2. Choose the Right Path**
- 3. Trash Your Trash**
- 4. Be Careful with Fire**
- 5. Respect Wildlife**
- 6. Be Kind to Other Visitors**

Cub Scout Homework

Name: _____

Date: _____

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Adult Partner, please sign below after reviewing these items and return this paper to the Cub Scout meeting.

(Adult Partner's signature)

(Date)

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Tiger Homework

Scout's Name: _____ Date: _____

Dear Adult Partner,

Please help your Tiger Scout to complete this Tigers in the Wild requirement:

6. Find two different trees and two different types of plants that grow in your area.

If you have the Tiger Handbook, write their names in it and bring it back to the next meeting. If you do not have a Tiger Handbook, write the names below and bring this form back to the next meeting.

Two different trees:

1.

2.

Two different types of plants:

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2.

(Adult Partner's signature)

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(Adult Partner's signature)

(Date)

Wolf Homework

Scout's Name: _____ Date: _____

Dear Adult Partner,

Please help your Wolf Scout to complete this Paws on the Path requirement:

7. Name two birds, two insects, and two other animals that live in your area. Explain how you identified them.

Two Birds	
1.	
2.	

Two Insects	
1.	
2.	

Two Other Animals	
1.	
2.	

(Adult Partner's signature)

(Date)

Return this to the next Cub Scout meeting.

Bear Homework

Scout's Name: _____ Date: _____

Dear Adult Partner,

Please help your Bear Scout to complete this Fur, Feathers, and Ferns requirement and return this paper at the next Cub Scout meeting:

4. Observe wildlife from a distance. Describe what you saw.

What was the wildlife?:
Where was it?:
Do you think it is young or old?:
Do you think it is native to Indiana and why?:
Describe what you saw.:

(Adult Partner's signature)

(Date)

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(Adult Partner's signature)

(Date)



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Scout Oath

On my honor, I will do be best to do my duty to God and my country, and to obey the Scout law; to help other people at all times; to keep myself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight.

Scout Law

A Scout is:
Trustworthy
Loyal
Helpful
Friendly
Courteous
Kind
Obedient
Cheerful
Thrifty
Brave
Clean
Reverent

Professional Staff

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Date: _____

Dear Partnering Adult,

For the last two (2) sessions of the Cub Scout meeting the Pack has been working on the following required adventures:

Tigers (1st graders) – Tigers in the Wild

Wolf (2nd graders) – Paws on the Path

Bears (3rd graders) – Fur, Feathers, and Ferns

Webelos (4th & 5th graders) – Webelos Walkabout

The Tigers, Wolves, and Bears are required to do a one (1) mile hike and the Webelos are required to have some leadership role during this hike. The scouts have drawn up their hike plan, learned the Outdoor Code and Leave no Trace Pledge, talked about what to wear on a hike, and made personal first aid kits for hiking. Next week we will cover the buddy system and what you do if you get separated from the pack. We are sure the boys are ready for this urban one (1) mile hike.

The hike will happen on _____ during the next meeting.

(Date of the hike)

If you do NOT want your scout to do this hike with the pack, please keep them home for the next meeting. The scout can still meet these requirements, but YOU will be responsible for meeting all of the requirements. Your program leader can help you to figure out how.

Sending your scout to the next meeting is consenting to the urban one (1) mile hike.

Sincerely,

Program Leader

TAKE A HIKE SCAVENGER HUNT

DURING THE HIKE, YOU AND YOUR BUDDY WILL TRY TO FIND EVERYTHING ON THE LIST. PUT EVERYTHING IN YOUR GROCERY BAG AND SHOW IT TO THE LEADERS AT THE END OF THE HIKE.

- Soda Can or Juice Box**
- Water Bottle**
- Candy or Snack Wrapper**
- Paper**
- Plastic Fork, Spoon, etc.**
- Fast Food Wrapper or Bag**
- Straw or Straw Wrapper**
- Something Bigger Than Your Hand**
- What is the strangest trash you found:**

1 point for each item checked off the list

5 bonus points if you find them all

5 points for each bag of trash that you fill up