



WEBELOS CUB SCOUT

Boys and Girls in 4th Grade or 10 Years Old

Welcome to the Boy Scouts of America! Webelos Cub Scouts is the beginning of what we hope will become a lasting relationship between your Scout and the Boy Scouts of America.

The Webelos Cub Scout program helps your child connect with a group of kids their own age, where they can learn new skills, earn achievements, and gain a sense of personal accomplishment.

This form is designed to give you a closer glimpse into the Webelos Cub Scout program and handbook. For more information, visit www.cubscouts.org.

Your Scout is a Member of a Webelos Den...

- The Webelos den is typically made up of five to eight boys or girls who are in the fourth grade or ten years old.
- The den meets one to three times a month. One of the den meetings each month may include a fun and educational field trip or outdoor activity.
- Two registered adult volunteer leaders 21 years of age or over are required at all Scouting activities, including meetings. Parents or guardians of the Webelos Cub Scouts are encouraged to attend meetings and activities to assist the registered adult leaders.
- The den has a Webelos den leader and an assistant Webelos den leader.



Your Scout is a Member of a Cub Scout Pack...

- A pack consists of several dens with boys and girls from the different age groups. The dens meet together once a month for a pack meeting.
- The Cubmaster leads the monthly pack meeting, but each den will have a part in the pack meeting.
- Some months, the pack meeting will have special themes such as Pinewood Derby, Blue & Gold Banquet or guest speakers. Other months may be devoted to recognizing the Scouts for the projects they have completed by the presentation of Adventure loops, Adventure pins, or badges of rank.

Webelos Uniform

- Blue Cub Scout uniform
- Webelos Cub Scout neckerchief and slide
- Adventure Colors
- Uniforms can be purchased at Crossroads Outfitters. Visit www.crossroadsbsa.org/shop for location and store hours.

For more information, visit JoinScoutsIN.org

WEBELOS ADVANCEMENT

In Scouting, advancement is the process by which a member meets certain requirements and earns recognition. Boys and girls in Cub Scouting work on advancements with their families and at den meetings.

To advance, Cub Scouts complete Adventures. As these are completed, they are awarded Adventure pins to mark their progress.

- Bobcat (Character / Leadership)
- My Community (Citizenship)
- My Family (Family / Reverence)
- My Safety (Personal Safety)
- Stronger, Faster, Higher (Personal Fitness)
- Webelos Walkabout (Outdoors)

Once a Scout completes the requirements for the six required Adventures and at least two elective adventures, they will be eligible to receive their Webelos badge, signifying that they have earned the Webelos rank and can move on to completing more Adventures.



After your Scout has earned the Webelos badge, they can earn more Adventure pins by completing elective Adventures outlined in the handbook. The wide variety of electives help broaden a Scout's horizons and reinforce the aims of Scouting. Electives provide advancement opportunities and recognition for your Scout until they are eligible to begin working on the Arrow of Light rank (boys and girls in fifth grade).

- Aquanaut
- Art Explosion
- Aware and Care
- Build It
- Catch the Big One
- Champions for Nature Webelos
- Chef's Knife
- Earth Rocks
- Let's Camp Webelos
- Math on the Trail
- Modular Design
- Paddle Onward
- Pedal Away
- Race Time Webelos
- Summertime Fun Webelos
- Tech on the Trail
- Yo-yo



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