



# Trail to Eagle Overview

## Troop 505 - TrailBlazers



Learning the Skills	<h3>SCOUT RANK</h3> <p><i>Show your understanding of being a BSA Scout. Start demonstrating basic scout skills.</i></p>	<p>Rank requires Scoutmaster Conference.</p> <p>Complete Merit Badges to be applied to Star/Life Rank.</p>																	
	<h3>TENDERFOOT – SECOND CLASS – FIRST CLASS RANKS</h3> <p><i>Work on developing and mastering scout skills. Requirements are specific and unique to each Rank. Complete rank requirements in</i></p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%;">Aquatics</td> <td style="width: 33%;">First Aid</td> <td style="width: 33%;">Navigation</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Camping</td> <td>Fitness</td> <td>Outdoor Ethics</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Citizenship</td> <td>Hiking</td> <td>Personal Safety</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Cooking</td> <td>Leadership</td> <td>Awareness</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Emergency Preparedness</td> <td>Nature</td> <td>Scout Spirit</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td>Tools</td> </tr> </table>	Aquatics	First Aid	Navigation	Camping	Fitness	Outdoor Ethics	Citizenship	Hiking	Personal Safety	Cooking	Leadership	Awareness	Emergency Preparedness	Nature	Scout Spirit			Tools
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Living the Skills	<h3>STAR RANK</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>While being active in the troop for four (4) months, work on developing leadership skills by performing a position of responsibility.</i></li> <li>• <i>Complete six hours of service through one or more projects approved by your Scoutmaster.</i></li> </ul>	<p>Rank requires Scoutmaster Conference and Board of Review.</p> <p>Complete 6 Merit Badges of which 4 must be Eagle Requirements.</p>																	
	<h3>LIFE RANK</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>While being active in the troop for six (6) months, work on developing leadership skills by performing a position of responsibility.</i></li> <li>• <i>Complete six hours of service through one or more projects approved by your Scoutmaster. Three hours must be conservation-related.</i></li> <li>• <i>Teach a young scout, Scouting Skills, by utilizing the EDGE method.</i></li> </ul>	<p>Rank requires Scoutmaster Conference and Board of Review.</p> <p>Complete 5 more Merit Badges of which 3 must be Eagle Requirements.</p>																	
	<h3>EAGLE RANK</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>While being active in the troop for six (6) months, work on developing leadership skills by performing a position of responsibility.</i></li> <li>• <i>Complete an Eagle Service Project</i></li> </ul>	<p>Rank requires Scoutmaster Conference and <b>Eagle</b> Board of Review.</p> <p>Complete 10 more Merit Badges of which 7 must be final Eagle Requirements.</p>																	

Eagle Rank requires a total of 21 Merit Badges of which 14 are Eagle Requirements:

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| 1. Camping                      | 8. Emergency Preparedness <b>or</b> Lifesaving    |
| 2. Citizenship in Society       | 9. Environmental Science <b>or</b> Sustainability |
| 3. Citizenship in the Community | 10. Family Life                                   |
| 4. Citizenship in the Nation    | 11. First Aid                                     |
| 5. Citizenship in the World     | 12. Personal Fitness                              |
| 6. Communication                | 13. Personal Management                           |
| 7. Cooking                      | 14. Swimming <b>or</b> Hiking <b>or</b> Cycling   |

Please consult BSA Scouting Handbook for complete details on requirements.