

# 2025-2026 Cub Scout Badges of Ranks Requirements

The Bobcat is now the first required Adventure for every Rank  
Each Badge of Rank is earned by completing six required and two elective Adventures  
The six required Adventures are focused on the aims of Scouting America, youth development and your Family values

|  <b>LION</b><br>Kindergarten               |  <b>TIGER</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Grade    |  <b>WOLF</b><br>2 <sup>ND</sup> Grade             |  <b>BEAR</b><br>3 <sup>RD</sup> Grade    |  <b>WEBELOS</b><br>4 <sup>TH</sup> Grade             |  <b>ARROW OF LIGHT</b><br>5 <sup>TH</sup> Grade |
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|  <b>BOBCAT</b><br>Character/Leadership     |  <b>BOBCAT</b><br>Character/Leadership    |  <b>BOBCAT</b><br>Character/Leadership            |  <b>BOBCAT</b><br>Character/Leadership   |  <b>BOBCAT</b><br>Character/Leadership               |  <b>BOBCAT</b><br>Character/Leadership          |
|  <b>MOUNTAIN LION</b><br>Outdoors          |  <b>TIGERS IN THE WILD</b><br>Outdoors    |  <b>PAWS ON THE PATH</b><br>Outdoors              |  <b>BEAR HABITAT</b><br>Outdoors         |  <b>WEBELOS WALKABOUT</b><br>Outdoors                |  <b>OUTDOOR ADVENTURER</b><br>Outdoors          |
|  <b>FUN ON THE RUN</b><br>Personal Fitness |  <b>TIGER BITES</b><br>Personal Fitness   |  <b>RUNNING WITH THE PACK</b><br>Personal Fitness |  <b>BEAR STRONG</b><br>Personal Fitness  |  <b>STRONGER, FASTER, HIGHER</b><br>Personal Fitness |  <b>PERSONAL FITNESS</b><br>Personal Fitness    |
|  <b>KING OF THE JUNGLE</b><br>Citizenship  |  <b>TEAM TIGER</b><br>Citizenship         |  <b>COUNCIL FIRE</b><br>Citizenship               |  <b>PAWS FOR ACTION</b><br>Citizenship   |  <b>MY COMMUNITY</b><br>Citizenship                  |  <b>CITIZENSHIP</b><br>Citizenship              |
|  <b>LION ROAR</b><br>Personal Safety       |  <b>TIGER ROAR</b><br>Personal Safety     |  <b>SAFETY IN NUMBERS</b><br>Personal Safety      |  <b>STANDING TALL</b><br>Personal Safety |  <b>MY SAFETY</b><br>Safety/First Aid                |  <b>FIRST AID</b><br>Safety/First Aid           |
|  <b>LION'S PRIDE</b><br>Family/Reverence   |  <b>TIGER CIRCLES</b><br>Family/Reverence |  <b>FOOTSTEPS</b><br>Family/Reverence             |  <b>FELLOWSHIP</b><br>Family/Reverence   |  <b>MY FAMILY</b><br>Family/Reverence                |  <b>DUTY TO GOD</b><br>Family/Reverence         |
|  2 Elective Adventures                    |  2 Elective Adventures                   |  2 Elective Adventures                           |  2 Elective Adventures                  |  2 Elective Adventures                              |  2 Elective Adventures                         |

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## The Advancement Trail

The Cub Scout program is centered primarily in the den, the home, and the neighborhood, but often takes place in the outdoors. It leads to advancement through six ranks, which are grade or age-based. Cub Scout dens are named for the rank that the scouts are working to achieve.

Cub Scouts are eligible to earn ranks as follows:

- **Lion.** For youth who are kindergarten age.
- **Tiger.** For youth who have completed kindergarten or are 7 years old.
- **Wolf.** For youth who have completed first grade or are 8 years old.
- **Bear.** For youth who have completed second grade or are 9 years old.
- **Webeles.** For youth who have completed third grade or are 10 years old.
- **Arrow of Light.** For youth who have completed fourth grade.