



2020 Bert Adams Scout Camp **Bear** Requirements Covered

We follow the BSA’s Guide to Advancement that states, “*For Tiger through Bear ranks, if the activity is completed outside of the den meeting, the parent, adult partner, or another trusted adult should sign in the boy’s handbook, indicating the Cub Scout has done his best to complete the requirement. The den leader then approves that requirement after consultation with the family or the boy to confirm completion. If the requirement is completed in a den meeting, the den leader signs in both places. Den leaders may, however, ask an assistant or parent who helps at meetings to play the role of “Akela” and assist with the approvals.*” Further, we believe that “*advancement performance in Cub Scouting is centered on its motto: “Do Your Best.” When a boy has done this—his very best—then regardless of the requirements for any rank or award, it is enough; accomplishment is noted. This is why den leaders, assistants, and parents or guardians are involved in approvals.*” Consequently, we do not sign off on requirements that decision is left to the unit. The following requirements were covered in the classes, but again it is up to the unit when to sign off.

Mega Slip and Slide, Open Swim, Bicycling, Human Foosball, Fishing activity, Ropes/Bridges, 2 liter rocket launch, Nature/Geology hike, Chess, and Astronomy were not advancement based.

Class	Requirements Covered
Bear Aquatics	Salmon Run--- 1-4, 6, 8
Bear Field Sports	Marbles Madness--- 1- 4a or 4b
Bear Handicraft	Balloo the Builder--- 1-4
Bear Life Skills	Forensics--- 1, 2, 3b, 4c
Bear Nature and Ecology	Fur, Feathers, Ferns--- 1, 3-5
Bear Outdoor Skills	A Bear goes Fishing--- 1, 2, 3 or 4
Bear STEM	Super Science--- 1-4
Archery	Level 1-1, 1-2,1-3,1-4,1-5;Level 2-S1, 2-S2, 2-S3,
BB	Level 1-1, 1-2,1-3,1-4, Level 2-S1, 2-S2, 2-S3,
Slingshot	Level 1-1, 1-2,1-3,1-4; Level 2-S1, 2-S2, 2-S3