

# CAMP LOWDEN

To assist Scoutmasters in helping their Scouts in planning their schedule at Camp Lowden, the list below is a guide to the degree of difficulty for Merit Badges and activities.

It is highly recommended that new Scouts participate in First Class Express and work on easier merit badges. This will ensure that the new Scout is successful in completing advancement work.

1 <sup>st</sup> Year	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year and Older
<p>Art Basketry Chess Fingerprinting Fire Safety Geology Indian Lore Leatherwork Mammal Study Pulp &amp; Paper Public Health Scouting Heritage Sculpture Signs Signals &amp; Codes Wood Carving</p> <p>Branding FCX Program Trailblazer Award Climbing Tower Horizontal Climbing Wall Outdoor Skills Challenges Swimming Instruction</p>	<p>Animal Science Archery Astronomy Camping Citizenship in the Nation <i>Communications</i> <i>Energy</i> Environmental Science <i>Family Life</i> First Aid Fishing <i>Fish and Wildlife Management</i> Forestry Game Design Kayaking Mining in Society Moviemaking Music <i>Nature</i> Oceanography Orienteering Photography Plant Science Pottery Rifle Shooting Search and Rescue Soil &amp; Water Conservation Swimming Theater Weather Wilderness Survival</p>	<p>Automotive Maintenance <i>Bird Study</i> Chemistry Canoeing <i>Citizenship in the Community</i> Cooking Citizenship in the World Digital Technology Emergency Preparedness Exploration Fish &amp; Wildlife Management <b>Golf*</b> <i>Insect Study</i> Lifesaving <i>Medicine</i> Nuclear Science <i>Personal Fitness</i> <i>Personal Management</i> Pioneering <i>Reptile &amp; Amphibian</i> Robotics Salesmanship Shotgun Shooting Signs Signals &amp; Codes</p> <p>Mile Swim BSA Snorkeling Paul Bunyan Award</p> <p><b>BMX Mountain Biking*</b> <b>Climbing*</b> <b>High Ropes*</b> <b>Ice Wall Climbing*</b> <b>Mountain Boarding</b> <b>Muzzle Loading*</b> <b>Night Paintball*</b> <b>Paddleboarding*</b> <b>Floating the Rock River*</b> <b>Slack Lining*</b> <b>Zip Lining*</b></p> <p><i>* Part of Tier 2 Adventure Program</i></p>