

THE ADVANCED SCOUT STANDARD BADGE

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2. **Outdoor Precautions**
3. **First Aid (2)**
4. **Cooking (2)**
5. **Splicings & Whippings, Construct a Flagstaff**
6. **Camp (2)**
7. **Exploration (2)**
8. **Footdrill (2)**
9. **Service (1)**

Before being awarded the Advanced Scout Standard, the Scout must pass the following tests:

1. **Swim 50m**
 - a) Be able to swim 50m using any stroke without difficulty (alternative permissible only on medical grounds)
2. **Outdoor Precautions**
 - a) Know the outdoor precautions to take in two outdoor land and one sea activities.
3. **First Aid (2)**
 - a) Know the symptoms and treatment for :
 - i) shock
 - ii) animal, snake and insect bites
 - iii) poisoning
 - b) Be able to tie simple bandages and arm slings.
4. **Cooking (2)**
 - a) Prepare a full course meal (balance diet) for 2 Scouts without using utensils.
5. **Splicings & Whippings, Construct a Flagstaff**
 - a) Demonstrate the following and explain their uses :

i) Rolling Hitch	vii) Fisherman's Knot
ii) Fireman's Chair Hitch	viii) Figure of Eight Lashing
iii) Surgeon Knot	ix) Simple whipping
iv) Highwayman's Hitch	x) Sail maker's whipping
v) Scaffold Hitch	xi) Back Splice
vi) Spanish Bowline	
 - b) With the assistance of your patrol, construct a flag staff of at least 15ft (2 staves)
6. **Camp (2)**
 - a) Go for an outdoor camp (under tentage) for at least 2 nights.
 - b) Pitch a 8-12 men ridge tent with a patrol of 6 boys.
7. **Exploration (2)**
 - a) Go on an expedition with a companion and on your return, make a report of a set objective achieved en route (eg. sketch or obtain specific knowledge about some place or person)
8. **Footdrill (2)**
 - a) Be able to execute mobile drills in a contingent or attain the Footdrill Proficiency Badge Certificate.
9. **Service (1)**
 - a) Participate in at least one community service project organised by your Unit, District or the HQ
 - b) Perform some household chores on a regular basis for at least 3 months. This must be verified by a parent or guardian.