

CAMP SQUANTO
APPLICATION FOR MERIT BADGE

Handicraft

Week# _____

Date: _____ / _____ / _____

Scout: _____ Unit: _____ Town: _____

Scoutmaster's Approval for application: _____

The above named Scout has appeared before me and demonstrated, to my satisfaction, that he has met all or *partial requirements for the **Woodcarving** Merit Badge.

 Camp Counselor (Signature)

 Scoutmaster (Signature when completed)

All relevant paperwork is attached to this form.

*If a partial was earned, circle all the requirements that **were not met**.

1. Show that you know first aid for injuries or illnesses that could occur while wood carving, including minor cuts and scratches and splinters.
2. Do the following:
 - A. Earn the Totin' Chip recognition.
 - B. Discuss with your merit badge counselor your understanding of the Safety Checklist for Carving.
3. Do the following:
 - A. Explain to your counselor, orally or in writing, the care and use of five types of tools that you may use in a carving project.
 - B. Tell your counselor how to care for and use several types of sharpening devices, then demonstrate that you know how to use these devices.
4. Using a piece of scrap wood or a project on which you are working, show your merit badge counselor that you know how to do the following:
 - A. Paring cut
 - B. Basic cut and push cut
 - C. Score line
 - D. Stop cut
5. Tell why different woods are used for different projects. Explain why you chose the type of wood you did for your projects in requirements 6 and 7.
6. Plan your own or select a project from this merit badge pamphlet and complete a simple carving in the round.
7. Complete a simple low-relief OR a chip carving project.