

## **MBU Prerequisites and class notes**

**August 10<sup>th</sup>, NWF College & County EOC**

**Aviation - Bldg 330 Room 3** - Permission slip for field trip needed. Robert Pacheco (Aero Modellers), R Hatfield.

**Chemistry - Bldg 350 Room 9** - Must have completed 7<sup>th</sup> grade and be 1<sup>st</sup> Class. Michael Lindsey (Scientist).

**Citizenship in the Community - Bldg 330 Room 8** - #7a Identify three charitable organizations, pick one to research and log 8 hours of service for them. #8 Develop a public presentation about your community. Both can be started at home and info brought to class. Wade Wilmoth.

**Citizenship in the Nation - Bldg 330 Room 5** - Bring 5 news articles from any source (web, paper, magazine, etc.), prepare to present one to class. Research FL Senators and Congressman from your district, write a letter to one of them in legible letter format in an envelope ready to mail. Guy Wills.

**Citizenship in the World - Bldg 330 Room 10, moves to room 2 at lunch** - If they participate, the scouts will cover all but a few pre-requisites. Be ready to discuss in class, or you will do after. #1 Be prepared to explain what citizenship in the world means to you and what you think it takes to be a good world citizen. #3a Pick a current world event, research and discuss the points listed. 3b Select a country, research and discuss points listed. #4 Review a current international issue and two of the organizations in requirements. Joe Gillis.

**Communication - Bldg 330 Room 4** - Scouts will work on all requirements. Most can be completed in class. Req 8 and 9 are done outside of class. #8 *Plan a troop or crew court of honor, campfire program, or interfaith worship service. Have the patrol leaders' council approve it, then write the script and prepare the program. Serve as master of ceremonies.* #9 *Find out about three career opportunities in communication. Pick one and find out the education, training, and experience required for this profession. Discuss this with your counselor, and explain why this profession might interest you.* Mic Wehmeyer.

**Cooking - Emergency Operations Center Cafeteria Area** - Class goes over and reviews bookwork. Meal sheets will be reviewed / completed in class. Meals will have to be cooked at home and on campouts. Erin Lee.

**Crime Prevention PM - Bldg 330 Room 7** - (1) Prepare a journal from various sources that addresses crime and crime prevention efforts in your community. Inspect your neighborhood for opportunities that may lead to crime. (2) Using the checklist in this (the merit badge) pamphlet, conduct a security survey of your home and discuss the results with your family. (3) Teach your family how to protect themselves from crime at home. at school, in your community, and while traveling. You will discuss some of your findings in class. Bill Royal (Retired police officer).

**Digital Technology - Bldg 330 Room 1** - Complete Cyber Chip and bring card or note from Scoutmaster to class to show it is done. Internet permission slip needed. Jordan Harrell.

**Disability Awareness AM - Bldg 330 Room 9** - Laura Jo Hust.

**Emergency Preparedness - Emergency Operations Center Main Room** - Scouts will need to have completed First Aid merit badge to take the class. Scouts should bring hazard checklist, escape plan, and list of contents/pictures of mobilization packs to class (inside merit badge pamphlet booklet). Chris Eliadis and Ken Wolfe (Emergency Management staff).

**Entrepreneurship PM - Bldg 330 Room 10** - For 1<sup>st</sup> class scouts or 13 years or older. Prepare #1 and #4 to bring to class. These are needed to move forward on badge. Tim Tierney & Michelle Wright.

**Environmental Science - Bldg 350 Room 8** - Bring 100-word essay requirement. Do research on one endangered species found in your state. Find out what its natural habitat is, why it is endangered, what is being done to preserve it, and how many individual organisms are left in the wild. Prepare a 100-word report about the organism, including a drawing. Present your report to your patrol or troop. Sabina Pennington.

**Indian Lore AM/PM - Student Services** - Jaime Johnson (Order of the Arrow).

**Law AM - Bldg 330 Room 7** - (1) Ask five people (not more than one from your immediate family) about the role of law enforcement officers in our society. (2) Arrange a visit with a lawyer who works for a business, bank, title company, or government agency. Find out his or her duties and responsibilities. (3) Make a list of 15 jobs that deal with some aspect of law or legal processes. Bill Royal (Retired policeman).

**Medicine AM/PM - Bldg 350 Room 7** - Pay attention to the terminology in pamphlet. Need to participate in lunch health fair to take blood pressure. Mike Roberts (Doctor).

**Mining in Society - Student Services** - Chris Cutler.

**Music - Student Services** - If you play an instrument, bring it to play a tune for merit badge. Dave Worn (Musician).

**Personal Management - Bldg 330 Room 6** - This class is for 1st Class and up. It involves financial concepts the scout must understand. Please work on 1 and 2 before class and bring info. There is a lot to do and that will help get the bulk of the badge done. After class, scout will do #2 Track expenses and incomes for 13 weeks. Scout must participate in classwork to get credit. You may review budgeting and make a budget for instructor approval before class to be able to start tracking. Maria Randolph and Kevin McGowen.

**Photography AM - Bldg 330 Room 2** - Bring digital camera and USB. Jay Wright.

**Radio - Emergency Operations Center Radio Room.** HAM Radio Club.

**Scouting Heritage - Emergency Operations Center Breakout Room** - Ian Wright.

**Search & Rescue - Emergency Operations Center Media Room** - Class held at college until 3:30pm when a bus will take the class to the Mullet Festival site. They will complete a rescue exercise at that time. They will finish at 6pm. Scouts should have completed First Aid MB and be a 1<sup>st</sup> Class Scout. Permission slip required. Neil Woods.

**Surveying - GCT Inc** - Leave opening to get bus. Will come back to Student Services for lunch. Scouts needs to bring a copy of the deed to the house you live in. Find it on your county's Property Appraiser website. Permission slip required to travel to GCT Surveying's Niceville shop. GCT Inc. & Jim Reese.

**Weather PM - Bldg 330 Room 9** - Tom Paul (Meteorologist).

**Welding - Bldg 520** - For scouts 13 years or older. Must wear t-shirt, jeans with closed toed shoes (no flip flops or crocs). Permission slip required. Scottie Smith & Scott Bennett (NWF College Staff).

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