

Scouts BSA Fact Sheet



What is Scouts BSA?

Scouts BSA is the traditional Scouting experience where boys and girls can have their share of adventure in the great outdoors. For more than 100 years, our program has helped create generations of leaders and outstanding citizens by allowing boys and girls to explore their interests, serve their communities, and discover their talents through youth-led activities like hiking, camping, and volunteering!

Program Specifics



Merit Badges

Scouts can learn about sports, crafts, science, trades, business, and future careers as they earn merit badges. More than 135 merit badges are available to earn.



Advancement

Advancement is our method of promoting and encouraging ongoing involvement and commitment to keep youth engaged in the adventure.



Youth Led Program

The primary method for teaching leadership in a troop is to give the Scouts first-hand experience. A troop is "youth-led" meaning it is the youth leaders run the meetings and outings.

Eagle Scout

The Eagle Scout Award is the highest award available to youth members of the Boy Scouts of America. It is the rank that every Scout works toward through advancement in the program.



By The Numbers

411 Scouts*

Boys and Girls aged 11-17 years old

*December 2022

29 Troops*

*December 2022

Visit us at

10601 Military Dr, Dubuque, IA 52003 | 563.556.4343

www.scoutsiowa.org