

ATTENTION

Program updates affecting
Boy Scout Rank Advancement requirements
take effect

January 1, 2016










Detailed information about the program updates affecting Boy Scouts as well as the recently modified Cub Scout and Venturing programs is available on the BSA web page:

[Program Updates - 2015 and Beyond](http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/programupdates.aspx)

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Please visit the page now to begin your planning for the implementation of these program updates.

Here is what you will find:

- [Notes on Transitioning to the New Requirements in 2016](#)  | [En Español](#) 
 - [2016 Boy Scout requirements—parallel comparison](#) 
 - [2016 Boy Scout requirements FAQs](#) 
 - [Latest New Merit Badge News and Counselor Resources](#)
 - *Program Features for Troops, Teams, and Crews*
[Appendix](#) , [Volume 1](#) , [Volume 2](#) 
 - [Troop Leader Guidebook, Volume 1](#) 
 - [New Guide to Advancement](#)
 - [Eagle Scout Service Project Workbook](#)
- *Information on the new Interactive Digital Merit Badge Pamphlets*
www.boyslife.org/meritbadges .