Information for Applicant

- A merit badge application can be approved only by a registered merit badge counselor.
- You must have a buddy with you (Scout buddy system) at each meeting with the merit badge counselor.
- Turn in your approved application to your unit leader. You will be awarded the merit badge emblem and certificate at a suitable occasion.

Information for Counselor

- Merit badge applications must be signed in advance by the applicant's unit leader.
- The Scout must have his buddy (Scout buddy system) in attendance at all instructional sessions.
- You may not change any requirement, but you may share your knowledge or experience that will make the counseling more interesting and valuable.

Counselor initial										
Date of approval										
Requirement No. and letter										
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APPLICATION FOR MERIT BADGE

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

is a registered

☒ Boy Scout ☐ Varsity Scout ☐ Venturer

of Troop _____ No. _____
(Troop, team, crew, ship)

District _____

Council _____

and is qualified to begin working for the merit badge noted on the reverse side.

_____ _____
Date Signature of unit leader

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The applicant has personally appeared before me and demonstrated to my satisfaction that he has met all requirements for the (please print)

_____
Merit badge

_____
Name of counselor

_____
Address of counselor

_____
City Zip Code

_____
Telephone number of counselor

_____
Signature of counselor Date

Checked and recorded:

_____
Date Initials

Date certificate and badge presented: _____

Applicant will turn in this portion to his unit leader for record posting.

APPLICANT'S RECORD

Name _____

has given me his completed application for the

_____
Merit badge

Completed on _____ by
Date

_____
Signature of counselor

_____
Signature of unit leader

NOTE TO BOY SCOUT, VARSITY SCOUT, OR VENTURER: Retain this copy for your permanent records.

COUNSELOR'S RECORD

Applicant _____

☒ Troop

☐ Team Unit number _____

☐ Crew

_____
Merit badge

Date completed _____

Remarks:

It is suggested that the counselor keep this record for at least 1 year in case any question is raised later in regard to this award.