



Pets

Merit Badge Workbook

This workbook can help you but you still need to read the merit badge pamphlet.

The work space provided for each requirement should be used by the Scout to make notes for discussing the item with his counselor, not for providing the full and complete answers. Each Scout must do each requirement.

No one may add or subtract from the official requirements found in **Boy Scout Requirements** (Pub. 33216 – SKU 34765).

The requirements were last issued or revised in 1995 • This workbook was updated in June 2012.

Scout's Name: _____ Unit: _____

Counselor's Name: _____ Counselor's Phone No.: _____

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1. Present evidence that you have cared for a pet for four months. Get approval before you start.*
* Work done for other merit badges cannot be used for this requirement. _____

2. Write in 200 words or more about the care, feeding, and housing of your pet. _____

Tell some interesting facts about it. _____

Tell why you have this kind of pet. _____

Give local laws, if any, relating to the pet you keep. _____

3. Show that you have read a book or pamphlet, approved by your counselor, about your kind of pet.

4. Do any ONE of the following:

a. Show your pet in some pet show.

b. Start a friend raising a pet like yours. Help your friend get a good start.

c. Train a pet in three or more tricks or special abilities.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Requirement resources can be found here:

http://www.meritbadge.org/wiki/index.php/Pets#Requirement_resources