Location	NKY
Merit Badge	Requirements Not Covered/Counselor Pre-Requisite Requests
American Heritage	1, 2a, 3abc
Archeaology	Reg. #4,7,8
Art-Beard	Requirement #1: Written assignment. Should be done prior to 1st class.
	Requirement 4: Render a subject using 4 different mediums
Art-Dirksing	Requirement 5: Design something useful, Tell a story with pictures, or Design a
	logo  Requirement 6: Visit the Art Museum Artist's workshop or Artists' so on
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Chana	*we will discuss how to complete these during the first session
Chess	N/A
Citizenship in the Community	3(a-b) 4(a-c) 5 7(a-c) 8 For the individual activities, a scout will be required to answer the questions with adequate length & development to demonstrate a knowledgeable response with details to the questions/activities. The merit badge counselor will assess the completeness of the scout responses. The requirements reports can be typed or legibly handwritten. Due to the unique and expressive styling of an individual's handwriting, the merit badge counselor would prefer typed reports or electronic files, if available.
	Prework to be completed by Scout prior to the first session:  Requirement #3a: Attend a meeting of your city, town, or county council or school board; OR attend a municipal, county or state court session.  Requirement #3b: Prepare a short-written report for your counselor. Choose one of the issues discussed at the meeting [in 3a] where a difference of opinions was expressed and explain in your report why you agree with one opinion more than you do another one.  Complete Requirement #4a: Choose an issue that is important to the citizens of your community; find out which branch of local government is responsible for this issue.  Requirement #4b: Interview one person from the branch of government you identified in requirement 4a. Ask what is being done about this issue and how young people can help.  Requirement #4c: Prepare a short-written report for your counselor discussing what you learned in your interview.  Requirement #5: Watch a movie that shows how the actions of one individual or group of individuals can have a positive effect on a community. Prepare a short-written report for your counselor discussing what you learned from the movie about what it means to be a valuable and concerned member of the community. Movie ideas can be found on the merit badge website.  Requirement #7c: Contact the organization you chose for requirement 7b and find out what young people can do to help. While working on this merit badge, volunteer at least eight hours of your time for the organization. After your volunteer experience is over, discuss what you have learned with your counselor.
Citizenship in the Nation	Requirements 5,6,7, and 8 Emailed letter to Representative is OK, Scout should print it out and bring to class.
Collections	N/A
Communication	1a, 1b, 7, 9
Cooking	N/A
Digital Technology	4b, 5b, 6, 9
Digital Technology-Gausepohl	1, 4b, 5b, 6 and 9

Environmental Science	Please review the requirements for Environmental Science MB and the work sheet. These may be found on-line.
	There is mandatory pre-work that MUST be done before the first class for the
	Environmental Science Merit Badge. My experience from teaching this MB for
	many years is, if you do NOT do the pre-work, you will NOT earn the MB.
	However, if you do all the pre-work and the in-class work, by the time you leave for
	home after the second in-class period, you will have earned an Eagle required
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	merit badge.
	Thus, please do the pre-work.
	Before the first in-class period, you will need to complete:
	Requirement 1—make a timeline
	Requirement 2—define terms
	Write the answers on paper. They will be collected when you enter the classroom. The information to complete these requirements is easily obtained from the E-Sci
	MB book.
	In addition, we will definitely go outside during the first in-class period. Thus,
	please check the weather and dress accordingly.
	Thank you and good luck at Merit Badge Challenge.
Family Life	Requirement 3: 5 chores (a combination of daily and weekly chores) and track for
	90 days
	Requirement 4: choose an individual project that will help your family
	Requirement 5: choose a project that you and your family will complete
	Requirement 6b, 1-7: discuss various topics with your family during a family
	meeting
Fire Safety	6A
First Aid	N/A
Mammal Studies	N/A
Nature	Do requirements 1 & 2, and read the rest of the requirements. Bring binoculars if
	have them, clipboard and pencil w worksheet and paper/notebook, and be
	prepared to spend whole session outside each day (aka coat gloves boots hat).
Personal Management	Please read the requirements before the first class
Pets	N/A
Photography	N/A
Reptile and Amphibian Study	N/A
Salesmanship	N/A
Scouting Heritage	1, 2a, 5
Weather	1, 2, 6
Woodcarving	No first year Scouts. Must be First Class Scout. Must have Totin Chip on you to
	enter, Do 1,2,3 and bring worksheet and pencil
	Bring eye protection, a medium to large pizza box.