



CUB SCOUT ACADEMICS AND SPORTS PROGRAM



Academics Wildlife Conservation

Belt Loop

Complete these three requirements:

- ____ 1. Explain what natural resources are and why it's important to protect and conserve them.
- ____ 2. Make a poster that shows and explains the food chain. Describe to your den what happens if the food chain becomes broken or damaged.
- ____ 3. Learn about an endangered species. Make a report to your den that includes a picture, how the species came to be endangered, and what is being done to save it.

Academics Pin

Earn the Wildlife Conservation belt loop, and complete five of the following requirements:

- ____ 1. Visit a wildlife sanctuary, nature center, or fish hatchery.
- ____ 2. Collect and read five newspaper or magazine articles that discuss conservation of wildlife and report to your family or den what you learn.
- ____ 3. Learn about five animals that use camouflage to protect themselves.
- ____ 4. Make a birdbath and keep a record for one week of the different birds that visit it.
- ____ 5. Make a collage of animals that are in the same class: fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds, or mammals.
- ____ 6. Make a plaster cast of an animal track. Show it to your den.
- ____ 7. Visit with a person who works in wildlife conservation, such as a park ranger, biologist, range manager, geologist, horticulturist, zookeeper, fishery technician, or conservation officer.
- ____ 8. Visit a state park or national park.
- ____ 9. Participate in an environmental service project that helps maintain habitat for wildlife, such as cleaning up an area or planting trees.

Cub's Name: _____ Parent's Signature: _____

Initial each item completed, sign the form, and turn in to your son's Den Leader.