

Scouts BSA

Uniform Inspection Sheet

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Conduct the uniform inspection with common sense; *the basic rule is neatness*. Every Scout should leave the inspection feeling proud to be a member of the unit.

Scouts BSA Handbook

15 pts.

The Scouts BSA handbook is considered part of a Scout's uniform. Either a physical copy or an electronic version is acceptable.



General Appearance. Allow 2.5 points for each:

10 pts.

- Good posture
- Clean face and hands
- Neatly dressed
- Clean fingernails

Notes _____

Headgear. All troop members must wear the headgear chosen by vote of the troop.

5 pts.

Notes _____

Shirt and Neckwear. Official uniform shirt, either long- or short-sleeved with green shoulder loops on epaulets. The troop decides whether to wear the shirt tucked in or untucked.

10 pts.

The troop may vote to wear a neckerchief, bolo tie, or no neckwear. The troop has the choice of wearing the neckerchief over the turned-under collar or under the open collar. In any case, the top button of the collar should be unbuttoned.

Notes _____

Pants/Shorts/Skort/Roll-up Pants. Official pants or official uniform pants or shorts; no cuffs. (Units have no option to change.) Female Scouts BSA members may select the olive skort or roll-up pants.

10 pts.

Notes _____

Belt. Official Scouts BSA belt, web or leather, as selected by members of the troop. All troop members wear the same style of belt.

5 pts.

Notes _____

Socks. Official socks with official shorts, pants, roll-up pants, or skort. Either long or short socks are acceptable.

5 pts.

Notes _____

Shoes. Leather or canvas, neat and clean.

5 pts.

Notes _____

Registration. Current membership card or temporary certificate is on person. Digital image is acceptable.

5 pts.

Notes _____

Uniform points. Total points from above (70 possible)

Insignia.* Correct placement: left pocket, 5 points; right pocket, 5 points; left sleeve, 5 points; right sleeve, 5 points; merit badge sash, 5 points; shoulder epaulets, 5 points.
Insignia points from reverse (30 possible)

Total Uniform Inspection Score

Uniform and insignia points combined.
A perfect score is 100 points.

*For more information about insignia, see the *Insignia Guide*, No. 33066.



Total Uniform Inspection Score ▶

Name _____

Troop No. _____

Patrol _____

Our unit inspection
will be held on

Bring this form with you.

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Official Placement of Insignia

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Merit Badge Sash

- 5 pts. If worn, **merit badges** are attached to front (and back, if needed) of sash.
- Temporary insignia** may be worn on back.
- Notes _____

Shoulder Epaulets

- 5 pts. Green shoulder loops identify Scouts BSA participants (all members of a troop).
- Notes _____

Right Sleeve

- 5 pts. **U.S. flag emblem** centered directly below shoulder seam. Only the most recently earned **Journey to Excellence recognition** may be worn below patrol emblem or below the National Honor Patrol star.
- Musician badge**, if in band or drum corps, is worn 1/2 inch below patrol emblem.
- Notes _____

Left Sleeve

- 5 pts. **Council shoulder emblem**, unit numeral, and veteran unit bar are worn as shown snug up, and touching each other. On the official uniform shirt, the **veteran unit bar** (25, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 75, or 80 years) is positioned above and touching the troop numeral and in turn touching the council emblem.
- On the official shirt, the **badge of office** is centered on the pocket, as shown. On the official uniform shirt, the **badge of office** is centered and touching the unit numeral, or centered 4 inches below the shoulder seam. On the official uniform shirt, the **Trained Leader emblem** is worn immediately below and in contact with the badge of office.
- On the shirt, the **Trained Leader emblem** is centered as shown at the top of the pocket flap.
- Den chief cord** is worn over the left shoulder, under epaulet.
- Notes _____

Right Pocket

- 5 pts. **National or world jamboree insignia** (only one) worn above the BSA program or corporate strip or the interpreter strip.
- Order of the Arrow lodge insignia** worn on pocket flap.
- Temporary insignia** worn centered on the pocket or hung from the button. Only one temporary insignia is worn at a time.
- Nameplate**, if worn, is centered above the program or corporate strip and, if worn, above the interpreter strip. If worn, the jamboree emblem is worn above the interpreter strip.
- Notes _____

Left Pocket

- 5 pts. **Service stars** are centered above the pocket, 3/4 inch from top point to top point and 3/8 inch from either the pocket or embroidered knots.
- Embroidered square knots** are worn centered above the pocket in rows of three.
- Not more than five medals may be worn, pinned centered immediately above the pocket (extending over knots if both are worn).
- The order of wearing knots and medals is at the wearer's discretion; typically the medal or knot the wearer deems most important is worn to the wearer's right.
- Badges of rank** are worn centered on the pocket above the Arrow of Light Award, as shown.
- The **World Crest emblem** and **Messengers of Peace ring** are worn centered horizontally over the left pocket and vertically between the left shoulder seam and the top of the pocket.
- Notes _____

Total Insignia Score (transfer to other side)

30 pts.



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