

FALL 2019
COURSE CATALOG

SATURDAY • NOVEMBER 9, 2019

CARMEL HIGH SCHOOL FRESHMAN CENTER

Letter from the Chancellor

Welcome to Crossroads of America Council's University of Scouting. As Scout leaders we should "BE PREPARED" to provide the best program and leadership possible. University of Scouting is THE place to go for all your training needs—for those just starting out to the most experienced leader.

The catalog is organized into Colleges (Program, Membership and Relationships, Finance and Marketing), with elective courses found under General Studies. Within each College, the courses are grouped together for Cub Scouting, Scouts BSA and Venturing. Courses appropriate for any leader are also grouped together within the Colleges. You may choose from six different degrees including a Bachelor's, Master's, Continuing Education or Sustainability Leadership degree. Those who wish to pursue a Doctorate of Scouting degree may do so as a Doctoral Candidate. When your completed project or thesis has been approved, you will be eligible for the Doctorate of Scouting degree.

In addition, we offer Den Chief Training for youth who want to assist Cub Scout Den Leaders.

Scheduling tools are found at the back of the catalog, including "Course by Period" pages for Cub Scouting, Scouts BSA and Venturing, Venturing specific and general interest. We also include a page of courses needed to complete specific trainings.

The volunteers and staff who work year-round to make this one of the best University of Scouting programs in the country are always looking for improvements. We would like to bring the following points to your attention:

- 19 new, or significantly revised, courses that are marked in green in the catalog.
- Take a full day of courses, and if you already have a Bachelor's degree, you will earn a Master's degree. (Please choose your degree when registering.)
- Our Midway has valuable resources for your programming needs. Visit the Midway at the start of the day or during lunch, and still have time for a full day of courses.

We always encourage your feedback. Please take a moment to complete the Participant Evaluation as it is very useful to us in planning the next University. We appreciate your help with this!

On behalf of over 36,000 members in Crossroads of America Council, I thank you for the time you contribute leading our youth and growing the Scouting movement. Please take a moment to review this catalog and sign up for the University of Scouting this fall. See you on November 9, 2019!

Yours in Scouting,



Robert V. Considine
Chancellor

Location

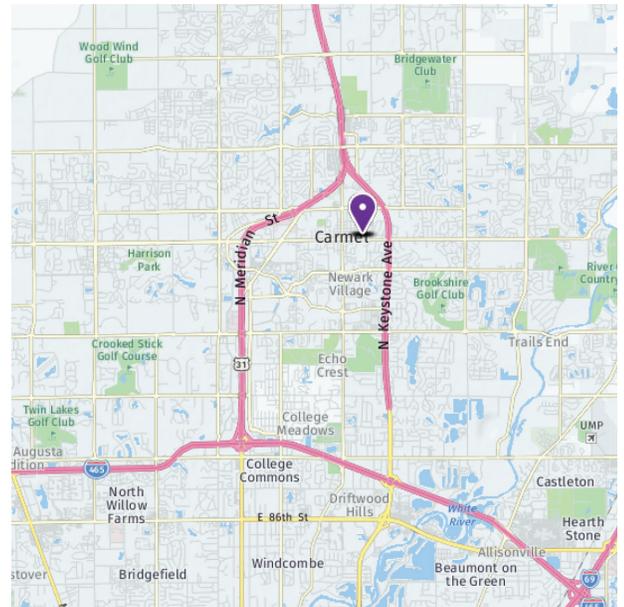
Carmel High School Freshman Center
 520 E Main Street, Carmel, IN 46032

From the North: Take US-31 south to Keystone Parkway split—bear to the left. Continue south on Keystone to the 136th Street exit. Take the first exit from the roundabout (136th Street) and park in the stadium lot on the right. Shuttles will be available to Entrance 16.

From the South: Take I-465 to the north side of Indianapolis and exit at Keystone Parkway. Turn north on Keystone. Take the 136th Street exit and the 3rd exit from the roundabout. Park in the stadium lot on the right. Shuttles will be available to Entrance 16.

From the East: Take I-465 west to the Keystone Parkway exit. Turn north on Keystone. Take the 136th Street exit and the 3rd exit from the roundabout. Park in the stadium lot on the right. Shuttles will be available to Entrance 16.

From the West: Take I-465 east to the Keystone Parkway exit. Turn north on Keystone. Take the 136th Street exit and the 3rd exit from the roundabout. Park in the stadium lot on the right. Shuttles will be available to Entrance 16.



Schedule

7:00 - 8:10am	Registration
7:15 - 8:10am	Coffee Hour, Midway opens
8:10 - 8:20am	Greeting, Special Awards

Morning Sessions

8:30 - 9:20am	Session 1
9:30 - 10:20am	Session 2
10:30 - 11:20am	Session 3
11:30 - 12:30pm	Lunch
11:30 - 12:30pm	Doctorate Presentations

Afternoon Sessions

12:30 - 1:00pm	Midway booths
1:10 - 2:00pm	Session 4
2:10 - 3:00pm	Session 5
3:10 - 4:00pm	Session 6

Registration

REGISTER ONLINE at <https://scoutingevent.com/160-2019uofs>

Payments must be received within 7 business days to complete the reservation process. For assistance with online registration, contact Sherry Webb at swebb@crossroadsbsa.org or (317) 813-7117.

Fee for attending the University is \$30. Early bird fee of \$25 applies to all registrations received at any Crossroads of America office or postmarked on or before **November 1, 2019**. The fee covers a participant patch, certificate, materials, handouts and lunch ticket. Courses are filled on a first come, first served basis. Lunch ticket will be part of the envelope of materials received at registration.

Registration packets for those who are pre-registered may be picked up in the Freshman Cafeteria after 7am on November 9. Use Entrance 13 or 16 and look for signs.

Walk-ins, upon arrival, should report to the Walk-in area inside Entrance 16 to complete a registration form and receive information on course availability. Registration for individual courses will be allowed only if the course is not full.

Den Chief Training

This training identifies den chief responsibilities and tasks, and describes the den chief's relationship to the adult den leaders and how that relates to the den chief's activities with the den. This training is only for Scouts BSA Troop members. Cost is \$30, with early bird fee of \$25 for all registrations received at any Crossroads of America office or postmarked on or before **November 1, 2019**.

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This catalog is also available online at: <https://scoutingevent.com/160-2019uofs>. Registration for the Fall 2019 University of Scouting will be through the online registration system.

Payments must be received within 7 business days to complete the reservation process.

Degree Programs

There are easy to understand options to gain a degree at the University. Each hour of coursework earns one credit toward your desired degree during the current year. Select any College to earn a degree. The degree option standards are as follows:

Bachelor's Degree

1. Complete the required training(s) for your registered position.
2. Complete six (6) University credits to include:
 - Four (4) credits from the College of your choice.
 - Two (2) additional elective credits from the General Studies or any other College.

Master's Degree

1. Complete the required training(s) for your registered position.
2. Hold a Bachelor's Degree from this University.
3. Complete six (6) additional University credits:
 - Three (3) credits from the College of your choice.
 - Three (3) additional elective credits from the General Studies or any other College.

Doctorate of Scouting Degree

1. Hold a Master's Degree from this University.
2. Complete six (6) additional University credits:
 - Four (4) credits from the required Ph.D. courses.
 - Two (2) credits from any other College of your choice.
3. Complete a written thesis/project under the mentoring and approval of the teaching staff.

Continuing Education Degree

1. Hold a Doctorate, Master's or Bachelor's Degree and desire to continue the educational process.
2. Complete six (6) additional University credits from any College. There is no limit to the number of Continuing Education Degrees you can earn from this University.

Sustainability Leadership Degrees

Sustainability means the ability to endure. Conserving the land, forests, air, water, wildlife, and limited resources we all share is everyone's responsibility. Reducing what we consume and recycling, repurposing, restoring, and repairing what we own all are parts of being thrifty, a key point of the Scout Law. Our journey began more than 100 years ago with an emphasis on conservation. In time, we deepened our commitment to environmental stewardship. Now, our focus has shifted to sustainability. We invite you to join us as our journey continues.

Complete all 6 introductory courses (SUS100 – SUS105) to receive your Bachelor's Degree in Sustainability Leadership and be qualified for joining our Council's Sustainability Committee.

Those who completed the Bachelor's degree in Sustainability Leadership, may take the Master's degree program. This year, SUS106, SUS107 and SUS108 are required for this Master's degree.

College of Program

The College of Program offers a Bachelor's and a Master's of Program Degree. Each hour of coursework earns one credit toward a degree.

Courses for Scouts BSA & Venturing

- PB104 **Troop Committee Challenge:** Training for the troop committee. Committee learns who has responsibility for various tasks and how to work together within the group.
(2 credits, Periods 5-6)
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- PB105 **Conducting an Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops (ILST):** Want to get more out of your youth leaders? Get them trained through ILST. Learn what it is and how to make it a success.
(1 credit, Period 6)
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- PB107 **Scoutmaster Specific Training:** This course provides basic information and tools to work successfully as a Scoutmaster or Assistant Scoutmaster. Training is complete when Outdoor Leader Skills and Hazardous Weather have also been completed.
(5 credits, Periods 1-5)
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- PB109 **Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills & BALOO:** This course combines the required outdoor training for Scoutmasters, as well as the required outdoor training for pack leaders to have an overnight pack outing. There will be an introduction to outdoor skills such as: fire building, hiking, compass, knots, lashing, plant identification, etc. It is recommended supplemental training for all adults who camp with youth (Webelos and Venturing leaders). This course will meet at Camp Belzer and will include an overnight and prerequisites.
(6 credits, Periods 1-6)
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- PB132 **Mock Tenderfoot Board of Review:** Observe a mock Board of Review to learn appropriate demeanor, questions, process, etc. that can be used in your unit.
(1 credit, Period 3)
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- PB133 **Merit Badge Counselor Training:** In addition to the conventional training we will provide tools for more effective and interesting in-unit training of Scouts. We will provide access for files of schedules, teaching instructions, posters and interactive PowerPoint presentations that you can download FREE. This session will teach you how to use and adapt these tools for your unit.
(1 credit, Period 4)
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- PB134 **Troop Courts of Honor:** Learn how to produce impressive, inspirational Courts of Honor for your troop so that Scouts are proud to advance and honored to have their families attend!
(1 credit, Period 4)
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- PB135 **First Class Emphasis:** Advancement is an important tool for Scout achievement and retention. Learn how to program, track, and report so that your new Scouts BSA can achieve the goal of First Class rank within 12 to 18 months of joining, and Star rank soon thereafter.
(1 credit, Period 6)
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- PB136 **Troop Awards & Recognition:** One comprehensive course covering special awards (outside of rank advancement) for troops and adult Scouts BSA leaders (outside of training knots). Learn how to help your troop get the most out of the program, and to get special recognition for those who deserve it.
(1 credit, Period 1)
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- PB161 **Scoutmaster Conferences:** What should it include? When should it occur? What should it accomplish? Get these answers and more.
(1 credit, Period 2)
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- PB180 **Let's Go Canoeing:** Got the canoeing bug? Want to make it the safest outing possible? This course is designed to provide basic information on crew training, crew selection, and trip planning to help your units succeed. This course will also focus on both Northern Tier high adventure and local outings, and gives tips on great places to canoe in the Crossroads of America Council area.
(1 credit, Period 6)
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- PB221 **Introduction to OKPIK:** This course will review the issues discussed in OKPIK (pronounced OOK-pick) is an experience in cold-weather camping and winter sports. Learn more and see discuss to prepare your Scouts and Venturers to participate. (1 credit, Period 1)
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- PB222 **Order of the Arrow and Its Role in the Troop & Crew:** Learn more about how this great Scouting service organization can be used to help strengthen your troop & crew.
(1 credit, Period 4)
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- PB223 **Firecrafter and Its Role in the Troop & Crew:** Firecrafter is a service organization that is designed to emphasize the ideals of friendship, leadership and service, and is completed through self-advancement during a long-term camping experience. Learn how it can be used to strengthen your troop & crew.
(1 credit, Period 1)
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- PB224 **Advanced Knots:** Really learn the ropes and what to do with them. If you enjoy knot tying you will love this course. *Limit of 15.*
(1 credit, Period 1)
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- PB225 **Splices:** Ever wonder how to make a splice in a rope, or even why you would want to? This course is for you. Step-by-step instruction and personal attention will be provided so that you can splice with the best of them. *Limit of 15.*
(2 credits, Periods 5-6)
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- PB226 **Lashings:** All pioneering structures are built by joining wood spars with rope. Troop leaders will learn or expand knowledge of this key element of pioneering. Brush up on your clove and timber hitches before the course! *Limit of 15.*
(2 credits, Periods 2-3)
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- PB227 **High Adventure Bases & Regional Camps:** Overview of BSA High Adventure bases and regional camps, planning for a high adventure trip, understanding and reducing the risks of a high adventure experience plus some additional high adventure possibilities for older Scouts and Venturers.
(2 credits, Periods 2-3)
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- PB230 **Planning a Sea Base Trek:** Find out what to do to choose and plan the trek and get your crew ready for their Sea Base adventure.
(1 credit, Period 5)
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- PB231 **Eagle Coach:** Learn how this unit, district or council person benefits the Eagle candidate by evaluating the project plan and assisting the candidate through the Life to Eagle process.
(1 credit, Period 3)
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- PB232 **Eagle Scout Courts of Honor:** Learn to use your troop's Eagle Courts of Honor to inspire and impress the younger Scouts and their parents! Give your Eagle Scouts the prestige they deserve! Learn about the components of impressive and effective Eagle Scout Courts of Honor, and all the resources out there to make each one unique.
(1 credit, Period 1)
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- PB233 **An Eagle Board of Review:** Watch an actual Eagle Board of Review to learn the how to conduct them and participate in them in your district.
(1 credit, Period 5)
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- PB244 **Introduction to Team Building:** Participate and learn to facilitate activities and initiative games to help with team building in your unit.
(2 credits, Periods 5-6)
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- PB245 **Ultralight Backpacking:** Need to know information for the backpacker who wants to cut pack weight but keep the comfort. Gear, tips, tricks and stories of the experienced backpacker and what to buy or not buy for the novice backpacker.
(1 credit, Period 3)
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- PB246 **Philmont Trek Preparation:** Valuable information when planning your first Philmont trek—forming a trek group, arranging shakedown, training for youth and adults, transportation to Philmont, possible side trips, a personal preparation tracking card, trek selections, a participant contract, and more.
(1 credit, Period 4)
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- PB255 **Making Your Own Outdoor Equipment:** Don't want to pay high commercial prices for essential backcountry camping and trek gear? Learn about making your own gear for less money. Featuring materials and hardware sources, sewing techniques, and design advice for making rain flies, portage packs, tents, stuff bags, and miscellaneous other equipment. Also, suggestions for repurposing/recycling items destined for the landfill.
(1 credit, Period 3)
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- PB256 **Youth-on-Youth Incident Training:** BSA's ScoutingU has created some additional Youth Protection Training for professionals, volunteers, and leaders regarding the prevention of youth-on-youth incidents that might occur within the context of Scouting, especially in a camping or overnight setting. It is designed to help prepare adult leaders to prevent and appropriately respond to these incidents.
(1 credit, Period 5)
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- PB257 **Maps & GPS:** The new USGS topo maps are here, they look a lot different, and you need to get to know them. Learn about online and free mapping applications, so you and your Scouts (think STEM) can use them in planning and documenting your adventures. Make better use of GPS.
(1 credit, Period 1)
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- PB258 **Campmaster:** What is a Campmaster? Learn how Campmasters can enhance your unit's program at our Council camps. Also, find out what skills you may need and what you need to know to volunteer as a Campmaster.
(1 credit, Period 2)
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PB260 **High Adventure Photography:** Learn how to memorialize those most precious and beautiful adventures. Sometimes high adventure makes photography a little harder. Get some tips.
(1 credit, Period 2)

PB262 **Troop Annual Planning:** This course provides best practices and working tools to guide your troop membership and committee through an ideal year of Scouting. Get agendas and timelines that your troop can use straight from the classroom.
(1 credit, Period 6)

PB263 **Blast Cars:** What is a blast car? What is the difference between a Pinewood car and a blast car? Learn who actually uses blast cars, what they do with them and how they do it.
(1 credit, Period 3)

PB264 **Preparing Girls for Outdoor Treks:** Get advice from an experienced female backpacker, camper, and hiker for preparing to participate in outdoor treks ranging from simple overnight campouts to gearing up for high adventure.
(1 credit, Period 1)

PB265 **Facilitating the Joining Rank:** The unit program should be designed to facilitate a Scout earning the joining award or rank—Bobcat in a pack, Scout rank in a troop, or Venturing award in a crew—within about a month of entering the unit. Learn why this is so important to youth retention and how you can make it happen.
(1 credit, Period 1)

PB266 **Daring Greatly – Growing Through Personal Challenge:** Educational and social research shows that facing vulnerability and overcoming personal challenge is an essential element of becoming a confident adult. Learn how you can create a supportive environment, in your unit and with your own children, for youth to take these risks and thrive.
(1 credit, Period 2)

Courses for Cub Scouting

PC131 **Cub Scout Awards & Recognition:** One comprehensive course covering special awards (outside of rank advancement) for Cub Scouts and adult Cub Scout Leaders (outside of training knots). Learn how to help your pack get the most out of the program and to get special recognition for those who deserve it.
(1 credit, Period 5)

PC137 **Cub Scout Advancement Basics:** Learn about advancement and record keeping for Lions through Arrow of Light.
(1 credit, Period 6)

PC140 **Unusual Cub Scout Advancement Ceremonies:** Cub Scout advancement is at the heart of an enjoyable learning experience for each Cub Scout. Jazzing up advancement ceremonies can highlight the benefit for Cub Scouts, parents and leaders alike. Come learn new and unusual ceremonies that can be used to enliven your pack meetings.
(1 credit, Period 6)

PC141 **Don't Lose Your Scouts & Leaders – Plan Summertime Fun:** Being active next summer is easier than you think! Lots of options for summer activities, how to earn an award and make it fun.
(1 credit, Period 1)

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- PC147 **Cub Scout Games:** Learn new games, and which ones work best for any group meeting.
(1 credit, Period 2)
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- PC150 **Pack Operations Plan:** This course provides best practices and working tools to guide a pack committee through an ideal year of Scouting. Get agendas and time lines that your pack can use straight from the classroom.
(1 credit, Period 6)
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- PC153 **Cub Scout Cooking:** Get great ideas for camping menus and campfire events.
(1 credit, Period 5)
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- PC154 **Cub Scout Songs:** Singing is a great addition to every program! Learn how easy it is to do them.
(1 credit, Period 6)
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- PC156 **Cub Scout Woodworking:** Learn how to include activities for Baloo the Builder, Bear Claws/Whittling Chip, and the WEBELOS Build-It elective in your den meetings. Tips and techniques for planning and conducting simple woodworking projects and teaching about basic tools and safety. *Limit of 10.*
(2 credits, Period 1-2)
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- PC157 **Cub Scout Leatherworking:** Hands-on tooling to learn a craft that Cubs love! Be prepared to acquire a kit (available in class) in order to complete a project.
(2 credits, Period 2-3)
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- PC183 **Cub Scout Knots:** Learn what basic knots are typically used for and how to tie them. *Limit of 15.*
(1 credit, Period 4)
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- PC238 **Get Your Scouts Outside with DNR Educational Programs:** Let's explore Go FishIN, Project Wet, Project Wild, and Project Learning Tree interactive, interdisciplinary educational programs that use hands-on activities to get Scouts outside and learning about the natural resources around them.
(1 credit, Period 2 or 5)
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- PC239 **Pack Planning Around Common Themes:** Have you noticed that several of the Adventure requirements for each division of Cub Scouting touch on the same topic—hiking, games, camping, conservation just to name a few? Learn more of these common themes that may help in pack planning for activities and pack meetings to maximize advancement.
(1 credit, Period 6)
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- PC248 **Blue & Gold Basics:** Get tips on how to plan and carry out the biggest event of the Cub Scout year! Discover simple, inexpensive ideas.
(1 credit, Period 3)
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- PC249 **Scientific Wonders:** How to deliver fun to your Cubs with chemistry, physics and more. It's magic!
(1 credit, Period 1)
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- PC250 **Backyard or Pack Camping:** Get an overview of camping requirements, planning for fun and advancement, training and involving parents.
(1 credit, Period 4)
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- PC251 **Campfires:** Learn how to organize your campfire, assign responsibilities and timeframes and make campfires the exciting, memorable and fun experiences your families will love!
(1 credit, Period 6)
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- PC252 **Making Keepsake Arrows:** Your Scouts have spent years working toward their Arrow of Light and you want to make their Crossover and Graduation from the pack special. Create a beautiful keepsake.
(1 credit, Period 1)
- PC253 **Neckerchief Slides:** See how to make slides the whole pack will envy!
(1 credit, Period 2)
- PC254 **Pinewood Derby:** Learn how to conduct a successful derby including where to find a track, buy kits, build cars and include parents.
(1 credit, Period 5)
- PC255 **Skits, Run-ons & Cheers:** Bring PIZZAZZ to your meetings with fun and simple performances.
(1 credit, Period 4)
- PC258 **All Den Leaders, Cubmasters & All Assistants Specific Training:** This course is basic training for all direct contact leaders – Tiger, Cub and Webelos leaders and their assistants, as well as Cubmasters and their assistants.
(3 credits, Periods 1-3)
- PC259 **Help! The Cub Scouts Are Out of Control:** Learn different creative means of discipline within the den structure.
(1 credit, Period 5)
- PC260 **Nuts & Bolts of Cub Scout Meetings:** Come learn the nuts and bolts of planning and running the most common Cub Scout Meetings. We'll simulate Committee Meetings, Pack Meetings, and Den Meetings. These meetings are the backbone of the Cub Scout program. Come learn the mechanics of running these meetings and how to be successful with the right amount of effort.
(1 credit, Period 2)

Courses for Any Unit Leaders

- PG113 **CPR with AED Certification:** Learn how to recognize and respond to breathing and cardiac emergencies for adults. There is an additional \$10 fee. *Limit of 15.*
(3 credits, Periods 1-3)
- PG114 **Basic First Aid:** Students will learn how to recognize and respond to emergencies caused by injury or sudden illness. There is an additional \$10 fee. *Limit of 15.*
(3 credits, Periods 4-6)
- PG122 **Essentials of Backpacking & Hiking:** Introduction to equipment and venues for beginning backpackers and hikers. The course will include tips on great locations for backpacking and hiking right here in Indiana.
(1 credit, Period 6)
- PG125 **Crossroads of America Council Year-Round Camping:** Learn of the exciting activities at our camps that have everyone on the edge of their seats. All leaders will want to learn about the facilities added to our camps to help provide new opportunities for enjoyable and challenging programming all year round.
(1 credit, Period 6)

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- PG146 **Logistics 101:** Every Scout event requires some planning. Cub Scouts, Scouts BSA, Venturing all have built in requirements for safety. But how about those other items. Via presentation and group discussion, tips and tricks for successful events will be explored.
(1 credit, Period 3)
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- PG203 **Stand & Deliver:** As Scout leaders we stand and deliver brief speeches constantly. Opening and closing meetings, delivering announcements, and providing guidance to youth members are all examples of the speaking that Scouters do every day. In 50 minutes you will learn how to perform your public speaking roles more effectively. Audience participation is guaranteed. *Limit of 8.*
(1 credit, Period 5)
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- PG243 **Emergency Preparedness BSA Award:** It is a challenge to be prepared for emergencies in our world of man-made and natural phenomena. This course is an introduction to the Emergency Preparedness BSA program which is planned to inspire the desire and foster the skills to meet this challenge in our youth and adult members so that they can participate effectively in this crucial service to their families, communities and nation.
(1 credit, Period 5)
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- PG282 **Birds of Prey:** Learn about the big birds that will fascinate your Scouts.
(1 credit, Period 2)
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- PG288 **Scoutbook:** The next generation of Scout Advancement software can be used by Scouts, families, den leaders, patrol leaders, unit leaders, merit badge counselors, district or council personnel. Track your child in Cub Scouting as well as in Scouts BSA. Manage your den or patrol requirements. Approve merit badge requirements in the cloud. Parents are copied on emails sent to their Scout. Track advancement in your unit, be able to communicate with your families, create reports, follow your unit's Journey to Excellence progress in real time, utilize the RSVP element, see new merit badges or requirements as soon as they are released. Learn about this multi-functional software, usable on smartphones, iPads or PCs.
(2 credits, Periods 1-2)
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- PG289 **Service – Helpful, Friendly, Kind, Cheerful:** Teach your Scouts the importance of service, while also fulfilling a Journey to Excellence requirement, and how to report it.
(1 credit, Period 3)
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- PG293 **Outdoor Ethics:** This class is an overview of the key aspects of BSA's Outdoor Ethics program. It is designed to help youth and adults at all program levels understand the general principles behind Scouting's outdoor ethics program. Topics covered include Leave No Trace, Tread Lightly, The Land Ethic / Stewardship to support the Outdoor Code, Outdoor Ethics Awareness and Action Awards, Outdoor Ethics resources and opportunities for additional Outdoor Ethics training.
(1 credit, Period 2)
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- PG294 **Home Firearm Safety:** This is the basic course for anyone unfamiliar with guns or who needs to learn gun terminology and the safe handling and storage of firearms at home. This is a 1-hour course developed by the Council Shooting Sports Committee Training Team to provide basic firearm safety information. Students will receive pamphlets on safety and terminology, lessons on the rules of safe gun handling, identifying and unloading various firearms, ammunition, cleaning, and safe gun storage. This course will be presented by members of the Council Shooting Sports Training Team who are experienced NRA Training Counselors.
(1 credit, Period 4)
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- PG295 **Hammock Camping – Basic:** Tired of waking up on the hard ground in your tent? Want to stay dry when it's raining? Perhaps you'd like to learn more about the most comfortable method for camping ever created—off the ground in a hammock between 2 trees! Class discussion covers introductory concepts of hammock camping, along with the pros and cons of being a "tree dweller" vs. being a "ground dweller".
(1 credit, Period 5)
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- PG296 **Survival Bracelets:** Learn how to tie a survival bracelet and how to use one. If time allows tie more than one. Learn to tie more than one color.
(1 credit, Period 4)
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- PG298 **Shooting Sports 2019:** Learn about the new shooting sports programs in the Council and the BSA. Many changes occurred in 2016 in every shooting sports program from Cub Scouting through the Venturing and Exploring. Besides just earning merit badges, Scouts may participate in national shooting sports competition programs. The training opportunities for adults will be discussed in detail. Whether your interest is archery, rifle, shotgun, pistol or muzzle loading there is a program and training available. We will be reviewing the NRA, USAA, NMLRA certifications that are required for these programs. Learn about these exciting changes and get a peek at the future of shooting sports.
(1 credit, Period 3)
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- PG300 **NOVA & SuperNOVA:** The NOVA Awards program is an exciting adventure. With an emphasis on Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM), Scout leaders can learn about the wonders of different STEM fields and the NOVA or SuperNOVA (each named for a noted scientist) awards. Cool experiments, awesome field trips and fun activities are just part of the full STEM experience.
(1 credit, Period 3)
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- PG301 **Astronomy 101:** Learn about naked eye astronomy and how to "navigate" using the Big Dipper and bright stars. We'll also do a little "moon walking." Come to the Carmel High School Planetarium to see the show!
(1 credit, Period 2 or 3)
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- PG303 **Are You Really Prepared for Your Unit Camping Trip:** Identify the gaps in your current outing planning process, identify approaches to close the gaps and prepare an enhanced Deployment Plan for your next outing.
(1 credit, Period 4)
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- PG305 **Leave No Trace – Awareness:** This class is designed to help youth and adults at all program levels to understand the seven principles of Leave No Trace and how to apply them in the BSA outdoor program. It is also designed to give adults the confidence to assess youth understanding and skills when signing off on Scout rank or Venturing award requirements. Leave No Trace resources and training opportunities will also be discussed.
(1 credit, Period 3)
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- PG306 **Wilderness First Aid Re-Certification:** A current (or very recently expired) WFA certification card is required for this refresher course and must be presented at the beginning of this class session. Adult CPR/AED is a prerequisite. A valid Adult CPR/AED certificate must be presented at the beginning of this class session. You must attend the full day presentation for certification. There is an additional \$45 fee. *Limit of 20.*
(6 credits, Periods 1-6)
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PG307 **Hornaday & Conservation Awards:** This course explains the individual and unit Hornaday Awards for conservation, how they fit with other BSA awards (Eagle Scout, Quartermaster, etc.) and the process for applying and getting approval for the Hornadays, as well as criteria and application for the Conservation Awards.

(1 credit, Period 6)

PG308 **Trainer's EDGE:** Only practice can polish these skills, but this course is intended to "train the trainer" on behaviors and resources while offering hands-on experience in methods and media.

(6 credits, Periods 1-6)

PG309 **District Committee Workshop (DCW) Part 1:** Learn about the Four Functions of District Operation – Membership, Fund Development, Program and Unit Service, and how they work together for the success of the district and its units. When a participant completes an additional 2 periods of class appropriate to his/her district position, he/she will be trained as a District Committee member.

(2 credits, Period 1-2)

PG310 **DCW Part 2 – Membership:** What part does the Membership Committee play in the success of the district's units? How does it accomplish its goals? As part of the district's Membership Committee, a participant will be trained upon completion of this course and PG309.

(2 credits, Period 4-5)

PG311 **DCW Part 2 – Fund Development:** What part does the Fund Development Committee play in the success of the district's units? How does it accomplish its goals? As part of the district's Fund Development Committee, a participant will be trained upon completion of this course and PG309.

(2 credits, Period 4-5)

PG312 **DCW Part 2 – Camping & Outdoor:** What part does the Camping and Outdoor Committee play in the success of the district's units? How does it accomplish its goals? As part of the district's Camping & Outdoor Committee, a participant will be trained upon completion of this course and PG309.

(2 credits, Period 4-5)

PG313 **DCW Part 2 – Training:** What part does the Training Committee play in the success of the district's units? How does it accomplish its goals? As part of the district's Training Committee, a participant will be trained upon completion of this course and PG309.

(2 credits, Period 4-5)

PG314 **DCW Part 2 – Activities & Civic Service:** What part does the Activities and Civic Service Committee play in the success of the district's units? How does it accomplish its goals? As part of the district's Activities & Civic Service Committee, a participant will be trained upon completion of this course and PG309.

(2 credits, Period 4-5)

PG315 **DCW Part 2 – Advancement & Recognition:** What part does the Advancement and Recognition Committee play in the success of the district's units? How does it accomplish its goals? As part of the district's Advancement & Recognition Committee, a participant will be trained upon completion of this course and PG309.

(2 credits, Period 4-5)

PG316 **DCW Part 2 – District Key 3:** What part does the District Key 3 play in the success of the district's units? How does it accomplish its goals? As part of the district's Key 3, a participant will be trained upon completion of this course and PG309.

(2 credits, Period 4-5)

- PG317 **Dutch Oven Cooking:** Improve your camp cuisine! This course includes a hands-on demonstration of Dutch Oven Cooking techniques and provides recipes to spice up your menus.
(2 credits, Period 2-3)
- PG318 **Cooking for Allergies & Special Diets:** Creative ways to cook for special diets, vegetarians or anyone in Scouting.
(1 credit, Period 1)
- PG319 **Suicide Prevention:** Learn the signs and how to provide support and hope when someone is in crisis and possibly thinking about suicide. Although appropriate for any adult or teen, this training provides Indiana educators with a certificate for suicide prevention training, which is mandated by state law. *Limit of 30.*
(2 credits, Periods 2-3)

Courses for Venturing

- PV117 **Crew Committee Challenge:** New introductory training for all crew committee members.
(2 credits, Periods 1-2)
- PV170 **Venturing Advisor Position Specific Training:** Basic training for advisors and associate advisors to a crew.
(4 credits, Periods 3-6)

College of Membership & Relationships

The College of Membership & Relationships offers a Bachelor's and Master's of Membership & Relationships Degree. Each hour of coursework earns one credit toward your degree.

Courses for Scouts BSA

- MB104 **Year-Round Troop Recruiting:** Troop recruitment is different from Cub Scout recruitment. Learn the effective tools of troop open houses, Webelos crossovers and peer recruitment to keep your troop strong with new members. Great for troop committee membership chairs.
(1 credit, Period 2)
- MB105 **Adult Transition from Packs to Troops:** How well do you prepare the new adults in your troop for the differences they and their Scout(s) experience in moving from Cub Scouts to Scouts BSA? Prevent problems and frustration through this course.
(1 credit, Period 6)

Courses for Cub Scouting

- MC103 **Year-Round Cub Scout Recruiting:** Recruiting has become more than School Nights. While they continue to be successful not all school districts partner with our program. For youth to be aware of what Scouting is about, we need new tools to help promote the program year-round. Learn the intricacies of how to put on a great school night but also other tools from marketing and promotion of Scouting year-round. This session will help you make Scouting available for families to join any time during the year.
(1 credit, Period 5)

MC105 **Engaging Parents in Cub Scouting:** Could your pack use some additional help from parents? Could their Scouts use more of their help as well? Try this course for some answers.
(1 credit, Period 4)

Courses for Any Unit Leaders

MG101 **Youth Transition from Pack to Troop:** Find out how to ensure Arrow of Light Scouts will move on to a troop, and how to ease their transition. Learn the importance of having a Den Chief to aid in the process. This is a great course for Cub Scout and Scouts BSA leaders.
(1 credit, Period 3)

MG121 **Chartered Organization Representative Training:** Training includes responsibilities to chartered organization, Scout unit, and council (district).
(2 credits, Periods 4-5)

MG124 **Scouting in the Catholic Church:** An overview of program and resources available for Catholic Scout units and Catholic Scouters.
(1 credit, Period 4)

MG125 **Scouting in the United Methodist Church:** An overview of program and resources available for United Methodist Scout units and United Methodist Scouters.
(1 credit, Period 4)

MG129 **Religious Emblems Programs:** Scouting has a great program to help instill a boy's or girl's Duty to God. Learn the different programs available for faiths and denominations, how to implement them, and how to develop a program for your religious institution or Scouting unit.
(1 credit, Period 5)

MG201 **Keeping Scouts in the Program:** Quality programming draws new youth into Scouting. Learn how to keep track of their involvement so that they continue in Scouting through Eagle Scout and beyond. Lots of tricks and tools here to keep the back door closed.
(1 credit, Period 2)

MG221 **Planning & Conducting Scout Worship Services:** Training for Unit Chaplains, Scout leaders, Church leaders, and Unit Scout Chaplain Aides on how to plan and conduct worship services for Scout Sunday, Summer Camp, and special Scout meetings and events.
(1 credit, Period 5)

MG222 **The Duties of the Religious Emblems Coordinator:** Training for Religious Emblems Coordinators, Unit Chaplains, Scout leaders, and Church leaders on how to promote, maintain, and track the Religious Emblems Programs at the unit, district, and council level.
(1 credit, Period 6)

MG223 **Catholic Religious Emblems Counselor Training:** Learn how to get Scouts interested, started and completed with their Catholic Religious emblems.
(2 credits, Periods 5-6)

MG224 **Scouting, As an Outreach Ministry of the Church:** Equipping church leaders, elders, youth ministers to use Scouting as a resource in their ministry to youth and families.
(1 credit, Period 3)

MG226 **Your Recruitment Elevator Speech:** Picture yourself stepping into an elevator already occupied by a family while wearing your uniform. As the elevator doors close one of the parents asks why their child should join your unit. Would you be able to sell the benefits of membership by the time the elevator reaches the fifth floor? During this session participants will explore Simon Sinek's Golden Circle and craft their own recruitment elevator speech.
(1 credit, Period 1)

MG227 **Family Scouting:** How often have your Cub Scout's siblings, including female siblings, attended and even participated in pack meetings and other pack events? Do you know of any girls who have expressed an interest in the Scouts BSA program—for merit badges, camping and even the Eagle Rank? Learn how and why Scouting has been made available to girls in packs and for troops—and what this will look like.
(1 credit, Period 3)

MG228 **The Unit Scout Chaplain & The Unit Scout Chaplain Aide:** Learn why every unit should have a Chaplain and what he/she does. Find out how the Unit Scout Chaplain and the Unit Scout Chaplain Aide interact as well as what the responsibilities of the youth position are.
(2 credits, Periods 1-2)

MG229 **Transition Tools for Welcoming LDS Scouts & Scouters into Your Unit:** An overview of LDS Scouting methods for non-members of the church, with the goal of providing a welcoming unit community to further the Scouting careers of those who would like to continue their Scouting experience.
(1 credit, Period 4)

MG230 **Making International Connections:** Learn of simple things unit leaders can do to involve their youth in Scouting around the world through the International Spirit Award, Pen Pal Program, Live Video Meetings, Jamboree on the Air, and Jamboree on the Internet.
(1 credit, Period 2)

MG231 **Simple Tools for Incorporating "Duty to God":** This course shows leaders how to easily include interfaith Duty to God activities in their unit's program without the risk of offending any Scout family's religious faith.
(1 credit, Period 3)

MG232 **World Religions Overview:** As we show reverence to God, we are most familiar with our own faith and often less comfortable or knowledgeable about the faiths of others. This overview provides basic information about the main religions you may encounter among your Scouts.
(1 credit, Period 4)

College of Finance & Marketing

The College of Finance & Marketing offers a Bachelor's and Master's of Finance & Marketing Degree. Each hour of coursework earns one credit toward your degree.

Courses for Any Adults

FNG103 **Scout Dues – How Much, How Often:** What are the best practices on the questions of dues? Do Scout Accounts work? What do dues pay for—Camp? Advancement? Program supplies? Who should set the dues, the den/patrol? Or the pack/troop?
(1 credit, Period 1)

- FNG104 **Unit Treasurer Orientation:** An eye-opening presentation on the duties of a unit treasurer. What should you be doing besides balancing the checkbook?
(1 credit, Period 4)
- FNG121 **Social Media Basics & Creating a Campaign:** Our Scouts use their connected devices every day to communicate and update on their world. As leaders we need to understand the tools they use and how to communicate effectively with those tools. Participants will create a campaign using readily available software platforms and learn how to measure the effectiveness of their efforts. Participants must bring their own laptops to participate in this course.
(2 credits, Period 5-6)
- FNG201 **Financing Camp Fees & Equipment:** Answers questions like: How do I outfit that new Scout patrol? How can we pay for the trailer, Pinewood Derby track, high adventure trip or other big ticket items?
(1 credit, Period 2)
- FNG224 **Popcorn:** Interactive class participation to share feedback on this year's sale: what went well, what needs improvement, product mix and price points, prize program, new timeline, and communication.
(1 credit, Period 5)
- FNG225 **Family Friends of Scouting Best Methods:** Come learn how you and your unit can support Scouting through a 30-day Friends of Scouting Campaign plan. Listen to a sample presentation, become familiar with the campaign materials, and learn best methods to a strong and efficient campaign.
(1 credit, Period 5)
- FNG228 **Telecommunication Devices & Scouts – Their World, Their Way:** Let's face it; the youth we serve are light years ahead of most of the adults that mentor them, in the use of smart devices. Learn the latest ideas for planning, keeping in touch, disaster & mass communication, and how to reach them in their own world.
(1 credit, Period 1)
- FNG229 **Connecting With Millennials – The Next Generation of Scout Parents:** That smart device is an extension of our kids' bodies, always there and in use. But what about the parent; they are connected, just like their youth. Explore ways to make connections that are targeted to the parents of the youth we serve.
(1 credit, Period 2)
- FNG230 **Capturing Scouting Through Photos:** A picture is worth of thousand words! Learn how to use your smartphone camera to capture images and videos that shows Scout spirit, how to best share the shots, and guidelines for consent and Youth Protection.
(1 credit, Period 5)
- FNG231 **Fundraising & Tax Exemption – Who Is and Who Isn't:** Information on council, chartered org and unit direction on who, what, where, when and how of tax exempt status including policies, IRS forms, regulations, employer identification (EIN) number and bank regulations.
(1 credit, Period 4)
- FNG232 **Workerships & Scholarships in Scouting:** Financial need should not be a reason for a family to not participate in Scouting. Are you aware of workerships and other support available to Scouts with financial need? And, do you make your high achieving Scouts aware of opportunities for college scholarships available through Scouting?
(1 credit, Period 3)

General Studies Courses

- GSG101 **Special Needs Scouting in the 21st Century:** This course provides the basic guidelines from the BSA regarding popular topics such as BSA policies, rank (both Cub Scouts and Scouts BSA) and Merit Badge requirements, medications, and current BSA materials, people-first language, as well as discussion on Scouts with physical disabilities. Mostly informational in nature - an introductory primer for all Scout leaders.
(1 credit, Period 1)
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- GSG102 **Advancement for Scouts with Disabilities & Special Needs:** Learn what considerations can and can't be made for our special Scouts.
(1 credit, Period 2)
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- GSG106 **Duct Tape & Its "Roll" in Scouting:** A light-hearted, yet seriously helpful look at duct tape and its many uses in Scouting. This course will cover history, folklore, cultural aspects and examples of how this wonderful tool can simplify the life of Scout leaders to tackle a multitude of common tasks, both fun and functional.
(1 credit, Period 5)
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- GSG110 **Special Needs – Including Your Scout with ADD/ADHD:** This course discusses inclusion practices, tips, and strategies for including the ADD/ADHD Scout. *Note:* this course is geared specifically for this disability.
(1 credit, Period 3)
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- GSG111 **Special Needs – Including Your Scout with Autism Spectrum Disabilities:** This course discusses inclusion practices, tips, and strategies for including the Scout with Autism and other autism spectrum disorders. *Note:* this course is geared specifically for this disability.
(1 credit, Period 6)
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- GSG116 **Unit Leadership Selection & Succession Planning:** It's the issue—so how do we do it? Learn about the simple and proven tools the BSA and Crossroads of America Council have developed to implement an effective leadership selection and succession planning program with your pack, troop or crew.
(1 credit, Period 6)
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- GSG119 **Dealing with Difficult People:** A short management course and a fresh perspective on how to handle difficult people.
(1 credit, Period 6)
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- GSG124 **Senior Patrol Leader & the Scoutmaster:** The communication and rapport between the Scoutmaster and the Senior Patrol Leader frames the success of your troop. Learn how to make it work for you.
(1 credit, Period 1)
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- GSG125 **Scoutmaster Minutes & Inspirational Stories:** How to use them and where to find them.
(1 credit, Period 4)
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- GSG126 **Fireside Conversation with the Scout Executive:** An open discussion with the top professional in the Crossroads of America Council.
(1 credit, Period 1)
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GSG128 **Scouting – the Vision of One Man:** An examination into the life of Scouting’s founder, Robert Baden-Powell, how his life influenced Scouting and how his beliefs became the Boy Scouts of America.
(1 credit, Period 4)

GSG133 **Developmental & Behavioral Differences Between Cub-age Boys & Girls:** Learn how to deal with these differences and the issues they create.
(1 credit, Period 2)

GSG134 **Developmental & Behavioral Differences Between Teenage Boys & Girls:** Learn how to deal with these differences and the issues they create.
(1 credit, Period 3)

GSG135 **Using the Scouting Cloud Library:** Learn what is available to help you in running your unit. Find training materials for training Junior Leaders and Adult Leaders including Leadership Manuals (35+) with step-by-step instructions for these positions. Find in-depth interactive Power Points for training Adult Leaders (40+), Junior Leaders (35+) and Scout Skills (50+). Find high quality files for printing Posters for Leadership Training (200+) and Posters for Scout Skills (150+). Find organized Manuals and other training tools for teaching many Merit Badges. Over 50G of material available to download for FREE.
(1 credit, Period 3)

GSG136 **Training Patrol & Troop Youth Leaders:** An alternate method for training youth leaders has been developed using interactive PowerPoint presentations for group training as well as self-education. Guidebooks have been developed for step-by-step instructions for the Patrol Leaders, Senior Patrol Leaders, Assistant SPLs, Troop QMs, Librarian, Historian, etc. Handouts and access to the relevant customizable document files & unique interactive power point presentations will be provided that you can download for FREE. This session will teach you how to use and adapt these tools for your unit.
(1 credit, Period 2)

GSG138 **Unit Key 3 – Essential Roles and Interactions:** Who are these people and what do they do? The Unit Key 3 is a critical component to the success of the unit. Find out why and how they work together.
(1 credit, Period 6)

GSG139 **Preventing, Preparing, Planning for an Active Shooter Situation:** While most of us assume that we’ll never be faced with an active shooter situation, as countless recent national tragedies and news reports remind us, the risk is very real. Whatever part of the country or industry you work in, it’s important to remember that active shooter incidents can occur anytime, anywhere. It’s vital that you adopt a proactive attitude when it comes to preparing for the possibility of facing an active shooter event. Here are some guidelines to get you started.
(1 credit, Period 6)

Den Chief Training

Y101 **Den Chief Training:** For Scouts BSA youth who want to assist Cub Scout Den Leaders. Training will focus on leadership and activity ideas. This is also the first step toward earning the Den Chief Service Award. **Note:** Youth are not eligible to earn a degree or enroll in other University of Scouting courses.
(Periods 1-4)

Sustainability Degrees

The Sustainability degrees are relatively new to the University. The Bachelor's degree allows a recipient to join the council's Sustainability Committee. The purpose of the Master's courses is to prepare leaders to implement the principles of Sustainability in their units and train their members to implement the principles in their daily lives.

SUS100 **Introduction – Why Are We Doing This:** Discover the Scouting Movement's journey with this topic and why it matters. Identify where our council is on the sustainability leadership roadmap.

(1 credit, Period 1)

SUS101 **Defining Sustainability:** Learn about the important relationship between sustainability and people, our planet and prosperity. Identify up to 3 practices you can initiate for these 3 "P's" in your council, your home, at work and in your community.

(1 credit, Period 2)

SUS102 **Sustainable Food:** What is sustainable food? Determine how much water you "eat" in a week.

(1 credit, Period 3)

SUS103 **Water & Energy Conservation:** Why freshwater matters. Calculate your water footprint. What you don't know about energy efficiency.

(1 credit, Period 4)

SUS104 **Waste Reduction:** The joy of dumpster diving – perform your own dumpster dive!

(1 credit, Period 5)

SUS105 **Motivating Change:** How can we help our future selves? We'll review resources and recommendations for successful local implementation. Then you'll complete the final requirement for earning a degree. Write yourself an email about what you will be doing to make the life of your future self better at www.futureme.org.

(1 credit, Period 6)

SUS106 **Taking Sustainability to the Next Level:** This class brings all of your previous learning together and helps you consolidate activities into an actionable, measurable, sustainability and communications plan.

(1 credit, Period 1)

SUS107 **Finances of Sustainability:** Upon completion of this module you will have an understanding of the cost, saving and earning possibilities associated with sustainability. You will also develop a plan to ensure the funding stability of your troop, council, property or business funding.

(1 credit, Period 4)

SUS108 **Making Your Plan a Reality:** By the end of this module you will have a plan for your development as a Sustainability leader. You will have clear goals, communications tools, identified partners, and key metrics for your Sustainability program.

(1 credit, Period 5)

SUS109 **Developing Sustainable Leaders:** This module focuses on our most important opportunity... to develop the next generation of leaders with a deep knowledge in Sustainability and a personal commitment to conservation and environmental leadership.

(1 credit, Period 6)

Doctorate of Scouting

A Doctoral Candidate can be any Scouting adult who has achieved Bachelor's and Master's Degree status. Candidates who complete the Doctoral requirements will be expected to have achieved a level of proficiency in an area of study such that they will be recognized as a leading council resource person in that particular discipline. The candidate's work and documentation will be made available to all leaders on the council website. To this end, those receiving a Doctorate degree could be called upon by units, districts, or the council for the purpose of guidance or training of others in their specific field of study.

A candidate for the Doctorate degree will be assigned a counselor to provide guidance and direction in the completion of his/her thesis/project. Completion of the thesis/project is normally expected to be in six to nine months.

A Doctoral Candidate certificate will be awarded upon completion of the Doctoral course work. The Doctorate of Scouting degree will be awarded at the next University of Scouting following completion and approval of the thesis/project.

Thesis/Project

The thesis or project will be in the form of a written report, with appropriate photographs (if necessary), reference materials, etc. The subject matter will be of the candidate's choosing with guidance and direction from the candidate's counselor. The counselor will be selected with the mutual approval of the candidate and the proposed counselor. The thesis will be prepared and a copy will be submitted for approval to the Dean of Doctoral Studies.

Doctorate of Scouting Requirements*

1. Hold a Master's Degree from the University of Scouting.
2. Complete six (6) credits of Doctoral course work to include:
 - Ph.D. 300 – two (2) credits, *REQUIRED*
 - Ph.D. 301 – one (1) credit, *REQUIRED*
 - Ph.D. 302 – one (1) credit, *REQUIRED*
 - Two (2) additional elective credits from any courses within the University curriculum.
(It is recommended to use this opportunity of taking courses to enhance your knowledge in subject matter for your thesis or project)
 - University of Scouting faculty may receive one credit toward their degree requirement if they are teaching a course during the time available for their elective credits. Candidate must be available for all Ph.D. coursework.
3. Completion and approval of a thesis/project.

*The purpose of the University of Scouting and the Doctoral Programs of Scouting is to foster a successful learning situation. The Dean of the Doctoral Program can make exceptions to the above requirements when it is reasonable and for the enrichment of the candidate.

Candidates pursuing a Doctorate degree should consider several potential thesis/project subjects prior to attending the University. Selection and approval of the subject will occur during the classroom sessions. Ideas for potential projects can be obtained by consulting individuals who have completed the degree in prior years. A library of past projects is maintained on the Crossroads of America Council website.

Doctoral Courses

Ph.D.
300 **Thesis/Project Development:** This two-period course is designed to help candidates understand the thesis or project concept, and discusses the parameters for the resulting Doctoral document. Sample dissertations are available and candidates peruse papers pertaining to various subjects and make appropriate comparisons.

(2 credits, Periods 1-2)

Ph.D.
301 **Thesis Workshop:** This course enables the candidate to select their specific thesis/project topic. There is open discussion concerning definition and limits to the topic as well as guidance toward the development of subject matter. Support and encouragement are substantial features of this course.

(1 credit, Period 4)

Ph.D.
302 **The Doctors Are In:** This course will give Ph.D. candidates insight into various aspects of thesis and/or project development from the viewpoint of our current 2019 Doctors of Scouting.

(1 credit, Period 5)

List of Complete Trainings

Training	Course Number(s)	Period(s)
Basic First Aid Certification	PG114	4-6
Catholic Religious Emblems Coordinator (Course MG224 and MG228: Priest is the Chaplain, but "Advisor" does in-camp duties)	MG228 (optional) MG224 (optional) MG124 MG223	1-2 3 4 5-6
Chartered Org. Representative Training	MG121*	4-5
CPR with AED Certification	PG113	1-3
Crew Committee Challenge (For any Crew Committee member)	PV117*	1-2
District Committee Workshop (For all District Committee members)	PG309 and PG310, PG311, PG312, PG313, PG314, PG315, or PG316	1-2 4-5
Lion, Tiger, Cub Scout & Webelos Leaders, Cubmasters and all Assistants	PC101*	1-3
Den Chief Training	Y101	1-4
Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills & BALOO (Scoutmaster Specific, Hazardous Weather and Youth Protection trainings are also required)	PB109 at Camp Belzer	1-6 & overnight
Merit Badge Counselor Training	PB133*	2
Religious Emblems Coordinator	MG228 MG231 MG124, MG125 or MG232 MG129 MG222	1-2 3 4 5 6
Scout Chaplain	MG228 MG224 MG124, MG125 or MG232 MG221 MG222	1-2 3 4 5 6
Scoutmaster Specific Training (Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills, Hazardous Weather and Youth Protection trainings also required)	PB107*	1-5
Troop Committee Challenge	PB104*	5-6
Venturing Advisor Specific (for Advisors & Associate Advisors) (Hazardous Weather & Youth Protection also required)	PV170*	3-6

*Course can be taken online

Cub Scout Interest Courses

Period 1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 4	Period 5	Period 6
PC258: All Den Leaders, Cubmasters & All Assistants Specific Training			MC105: Engaging Parents in Cub Scouting	PC259: Help! The Cub Scouts Are Out of Control	PC154: Cub Scout Songs
PB109: Introduction to Outdoor Skills & BALOO Training for Cub Scout Leaders					
PC141: Don't Lose Your Scouts & Leaders	PC147: Cub Scout Games	PC248: Blue & Gold Basics	PC183: Cub Scout Knots	MC103: Year-Round Cub Scout Recruiting	PC150: Pack Operations Plan
PC249: Scientific Wonders	PC157: Cub Scout Leatherworking		PC250: Backyard or Pack Camping	PC153: Cub Scout Cooking	PC239: Pack Planning Around Common Themes
PC252: Making Keepsake Arrows	PC238: Get Your Scouts Outside with DNR Educ. Programs		PC255: Skits, Run-ons & Cheers	PC238: Get Your Scouts Outside with DNR Educ. Programs	PC140: Unusual Cub Scout Advancement Ceremonies
	PC260: Nuts & Bolts of Cub Scout Meetings			PC254: Pinewood Derby	PC251: Campfires
PC156: Cub Scout Woodworking				PC131: Cub Scout Awards & Recognition	PC137: Cub Scout Advancement Basics
	PC253: Neckerchief Slides				

Sustainability Courses (General Interest)

Period 1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 4	Period 5	Period 6
SUS100: Introduction	SUS101: Defining Sustainability	SUS102: Sustainable Food	SUS103: Water & Energy Conservation	SUS104: Waste Reduction	SUS105: Motivating Change
SUS106: Taking Sustainability to the Next Level			SUS107: Finances of Sustainability	SUS108: Making Your Plan a Reality	SUS109: Developing Sustainable Leaders

Note: Although these courses can be taken individually, this Bachelor's degree requires SUS100 – SUS105.

The Master's degree requires SUS106 – SUS108 (plus any 3 additional courses from the University).

Scouts BSA and Venturing Interest Courses

Period 1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 4	Period 5	Period 6
PB264: Preparing Girls for Outdoor Treks	PB161: Scoutmaster Conferences	PB132: Mock Tenderfoot Board of Review		PB104: Troop Committee Challenge	
PB136: Troop Awards & Recognition	PB260: High Adventure Photography	PB245: Ultralight Backpacking			PB105: Conducting an Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops
PB107: Scoutmaster Specific Training (Periods 1 - 5)					
PB109: Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills & BALOO					
PB257: Maps & GPS	PB258: Campmaster	PB231: Eagle Coach	PB134: Troop Courts of Honor	PB256: Youth-on-Youth Incident Training	PB135: First Class Emphasis
PB221: Introduction to OKPIK	PB227: High Adventure & Regional Camps		PB133: Merit Badge Counselor Training		PB180: Let's Go Canoeing!
PB224: Advanced Knots	PB226: Lashings		PB222: Order of the Arrow and Its Role in the Troop & Crew	PB225: Splices	
PB223: Firecrafter and Its Role in the Troop & Crew	MB104: Year-Round Troop Recruiting	PB255: Making Your Own Outdoor Equipment	PB246: Philmont Trek Preparation	PB230: Planning a Sea Base Trek	MB105: Adult Transition from Pack to Troop
PB232: Eagle Scout Courts of Honor	GSG136: Training Patrol & Troop Youth Leaders	PB263: Blast Cars		PB244: Introduction to Team Building	
PB265: Facilitating the Joining Rank	PB266: Daring Greatly – Growing Through Personal Challenge			PB233: An Eagle Board of Review	PB262: Troop Annual Planning

Venturing (Specific) Interest Courses

Period 1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 4	Period 5	Period 6
PV117: Crew Committee Challenge		PV170: Venturing Advisor Position Specific Training			

Courses of Interest to Any Unit Leaders

Period 1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 4	Period 5	Period 6
PG113: CPR with AED Certification			PG114: Basic First Aid		
MG226: Your Recruitment Elevator Speech		MG101: Youth Transition from Pack to Troop	PG303: Are You Really Prepared for Your Unit Camping Trip	PG203: Stand & Deliver	PG122: Essentials of Backpacking & Hiking
FNG228: Telecomm. Devices & Scouts	PG282: Birds of Prey	PG146: Logistics 101	PG294: Home Firearm Safety	PG243: Emergency Preparedness BSA Award	SUS109: Developing Sustainable Leaders
PG288: Scoutbook		PG289: Service – Helpful, Friendly, Kind, Cheerful	MG124: Scouting in the Catholic Church	MG129: Religious Emblems Program	PG125: CAC Year-Round Camping
FNG103: Scout Dues – How Much, How Often	PG293: Outdoor Ethics	PG298: Shooting Sports 2019	PG296: Survival Bracelets	PG295: Hammock Camping	PG307: Hornaday & Conservation Awards
GSG101: Special Needs Scouting in the 21st Century	PG301: Astronomy 101	PG301: Astronomy 101	MG125: Scouting in the United Methodist Church	FNG225: Family Friends of Scouting Best Methods	MG222: The Duties of the Religious Emblems Coord.
GSG124: Senior Patrol Leader & the Scoutmaster	MG201: Keeping Scouts in the Program	GSG135: Using the Scouting Cloud Library	MG121: Chartered Organization Representative Training		GSG119: Dealing with Difficult People
PG318: Cooking for Allergies & Special Diets	GSG136: Training Patrol & Troop Youth Leaders	MG224: Scouting, As an Outreach Ministry of the Church	MG232: World Religions Overview	FNG224: Popcorn	GSG111: Including Your Scout with Autism Spectrum Disabilities
PG308: Trainer's Edge					

Period 1	Period 2	Period 3	Period 4	Period 5	Period 6
GSG126: Fireside Conversation with the Scout Executive	GSG133: Developmental & Behavioral Differences of Cub-age Boys & Girls	GSG110: Including Your Scout with ADD/ ADHD	MG229: Transition Tools for Welcoming LDS Scouts & Scouters	MG221: Planning & Conducting Scout Worship Services	GSG116: Leadership Selection & Succession Planning
SUS100: Introduction to Sustainability	FNG201: Financing Camp Fees & Equipment		FNG104: Unit Treasurer Orientation	FNG230: Capturing Scouting Through Photos	GSG138: Unit Key 3 – Essential Roles & Interactions
	FNG229: Connecting with Millennials	MG227: Family Scouting	FNG231: Fundraising & Tax Exemption	MG223: Catholic Religious Emblems Counselor Training	
MG228: The Unit Scout Chaplain & the Unit Scout Chaplain Aide		PG305: Leave No Trace Awareness	GSG128: Scouting – The Vision of One Man	GSG106: Duct Tape & Its Roll in Scouting	SUS105: Motivating Change
SUS106: Taking Sustainability to the Next Level	GSG102: Advancement for Scouts with Disabilities & Special Needs	GSG134: Developmental & Behavioral Differences of Teenage Boys & Girls	GSG125: Scoutmaster Minutes & Inspirational Stories	SUS108: Making Your Plan a Reality	GSG139: Preventing, Preparing, Planning for an Active Shooter Situation
		SUS102: Sustainable Food	SUS103: Water & Energy Conservation	SUS104: Waste Reduction	
	SUS101: Defining Sustainability	PG300: NOVA & SuperNOVA	SUS107: Finances of Sustainability	FNG121: Social Media Basics & Creating a Campaign	
	MG230: Making International Connections	MG231: Simple Tools for Incorporating “Duty to God”	PG310: District Committee Workshop (DCW) Part 2 – Membership		
PG309: District Committee Workshop (DCW) Part 1		FNG232: Workshops & Scholarships in Scouting	PG311: District Committee Workshop (DCW) Part 2 – Fund Development		
	PG317: Dutch Oven Cooking		PG312: District Committee Workshop (DCW) Part 2 – Camping & Outdoor		
PG306: Wilderness First Aid Re-Certification					

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	PG319: Suicide Prevention		PG313: District Committee Workshop (DCW) Part 2 – Training		
			PG314: District Committee Workshop (DCW) Part 2 – Activities & Civic Service		
			PG315: District Committee Workshop (DCW) Part 2 – Advancement & Recognition		
			PG316: District Committee Workshop (DCW) Part 2 – Key 3		
Ph.D. 300: Thesis/Project Development			Ph.D. 301: Thesis Workshop	Ph.D. 302: The Doctors Are In	
Y101: Den Chief Training					



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