



First Class

Troop 285 Board of Review

Scout's Name: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Date: _____

Scoutmaster

Conference Date: _____

Instructions for the Scout:

To appear before your Board of Review, you must be in a **full Class A uniform, including merit badge sash.**

Please bring the following items with you:

- Your *Boy Scout Handbook*
- A compass
- A pocket knife
- A 3-foot length of rope
- This sheet with the appropriate blanks filled in with your own handwriting, using ink (no scratch-outs or erasures)

The Board of Review will cover the **minimum requirements** for the First Class rank. You may also be asked questions about, or asked to demonstrate, any of the skills and requirements for Second Class, Tenderfoot and Scout ranks.

A thorough review of the applicable sections in your *Boy Scout Handbook* is the best way to prepare. Come ready to discuss what you've learned and show what you can do!

1. Repeat from memory and explain in your own words the Scout Oath, Law, Motto and Slogan.
2. Be prepared to describe the Scout Badge.
3. Explain how to find directions during the day and night without using a compass.
4. Explain the meal you prepared as your patrol's cook on a camp-out, how it was prepared and how the food was handled prior to preparation.
5. Tie and give one use for each of the following knots: Square Knot, Taut-Line Hitch, Bowline, Timber Hitch and Clove Hitch.
6. Explain your constitutional rights and obligations as a U.S. Citizen.
7. Explain the five most common signs of heart attack. Explain steps in C.P.R.
8. Orient a map, give the names of the contour lines and their significance and identify four map symbols selected by board members.
9. Take a bearing with a compass. Explain what map symbols mean. Demonstrate how a compass works.

10. Tell what precautions must be taken for a safe trip afloat.
11. Describe the three things you should avoid doing related to use of the internet. Describe a cyberbully and how you should respond to one.
12. Explain Scout Spirit and give an example of how you have demonstrated Scout Spirit recently.

Approved

Disapproved with reason:

BOARD CHAIRMAN