

cubs

**Badges and activities to
do at home**



Hi everyone,

With the weekly meetings currently on hold and your Cubs having to stay home from school , we 've put together this booklet of badges, links and fun activities that can be worked on at home.

Help your Cub choose the one(s) that interest them most and complete all of the requirements listed. You can use email and our Facebook page to show them working on them.

Badges are flexible, and if you can show they have completed badge in their own way that's great! Get Creative and come up with fun ways to complete them.

Please choose to complete badges that they haven't already earned with us, If they want to do a badge they have already then they can earn an "Activity Plus" badge to go with it. Please contact us to discuss the requirements for this.

Some of the items listed will need adult help and supervision.

If you have any questions about completing a badge, or you're not sure about something, please contact us and we'll always try to help you.

Stay safe and well.

Akela



Cub Artist Activity Badge



How to earn your badge

Choose three of these activities to do. You must have your leader or another adult with you for one of these activities.

- Imagine an event, character or scene. Now draw it using a pencil, brush, pen or crayon.
- Design and make a greetings card.
- Make a poster advertising Scouting or a Cub Scout event.
- Design and make a decorated book cover.
- Draw or paint a picture of still life or a landscape.
- Make a display of photographs on a subject that interests you.
- Make a video on a subject that interests you.
- Design and build a model.
- Visit an art gallery.
- Make a model out of clay.

You can use a computer to make either the greeting card or the poster, but not both.

You can use our Facebook page to share photo's and video's of your Cub completing the tasks. When we return to weekly meetings your Cub can bring in their artwork and presentation.

Visit the page below for more details on how to complete the badge.

<https://scouts.org.uk/cubs/activity-badges/artist/>

Digital Citizen Staged Activity Badge



How to earn your badge

- Show that you can:
 - turn on and log into a computer
 - use a piece of software, for example email or a game
 - name the main parts of a computer system
 - connect a peripheral (for example a scanner or printer) to your computer and use it.
- Create a piece of digital media. It could be artwork, a photograph, music or animation.
- Use the internet for research:
 - decide on an area of interest
 - find three websites with content that matches your area of interest
 - collect relevant information by printing or saving as files
- Using your internet research, design a presentation and tell others about what you have found out. This could be an electronic or paper based presentation

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<https://scouts.org.uk/staged-badges/digital-citizen/>

Make your own den and sleep in it

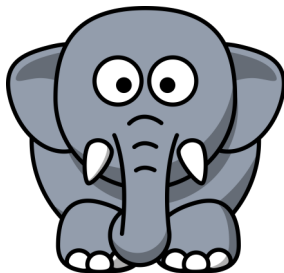


Not a badge but a lot of FUN!!

When I was about the same age as the Cubs and was stuck in doors for any reason , my brothers and I would make a den.

Sometimes we did this using chairs and blankets, sometimes we did this in our bedrooms using whatever was at hand. And sometimes we used cardboard boxes.

Why not help your Cub make their own den and post pictures of them on our Cub Facebook page



Cub Book Reader Activity Badge



How to earn your badge

- Make a list of at least six books you have read or used recently. Books you have read on an e-reader count too.
- Name the authors of your books. Tell your leader or other Cubs something about three of your books. At least one book should be fiction and one should be non-fiction.
- Show that you know how to care for your books and know the benefits a library can bring to people who enjoy reading.
- Show that you can use a dictionary and a thesaurus.
- Write a review of your favourite book and share it with your Sixer, an Explorer Scout Young Leader or your Cub Leader.

To show that your Cub has completed the above tasks, you could post photos of them completing them. You could also post a short video on our closed parent Facebook page.

Visit the page below for more details on how to complete the badge.

<https://scouts.org.uk/cubs/activity-badges/book-reader/>

Cub Personal Challenge Award



This one is a little different....

This badge has two parts, The Leader Challenge and Their Challenge. The Cubs can work on the 1st part of this whilst at home and help you too.

For a period of 4 weeks each Cub has to help around the home with chores (supervised by you of course). Some of things they can do are to help are but not limited to :-

- *washing dishes*
- *dusting and polishing*
- *tidying up*
- *vacuuming*
- *recycling*
- *making tea & coffee*
- *cooking*

Once again you can also post a short video on our closed parent Facebook page showing them working on the badge.

Visit the page below for more details on how to complete the badge.

<https://scouts.org.uk/Cubs/awards/personal/>

Something Completely different

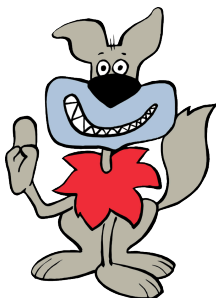


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You've probably all heard of DYSON. Well James Dyson has set his engineers the task of coming up with various challenges specifically designed for children to do at home.

Use the link below to visit their page and try some of them with your Cubs. We would love to see pictures and videos on Cub Page

<https://www.jamesdysonfoundation.co.uk/resources/challenge-cards.html>



Cub Personal Challenge Award



This one follows on from the personal challenge

This Award is split into 5 sections with each section needing the Cub to complete certain tasks. Here we are concentrating on sections 3 and 4 of the Award.

Section 3: *Pick two creative things to try, and show your leader what you've done*

- Write a short Story
- Make a model
- Take some photos and use them to tell a story
- Be part of a play or sketch

Section 5: *Learn and use at least of these skills*

- Sew on a button or badge
- Make cakes, bread, biscuits or something similar
- oil a bicycle chain, change a wheel or fit lights
- Make a cup of tea or coffee and wash up afterwards
- Lay a table for a meal
- Peel potatoes or other vegetables
- Iron your necker
- Change a light bulb in a lamp
- Clean a window
- Tidy and clean your bedroom

Once again you can also post photo's or a short video on our closed parent Facebook page showing them working on the badge.

Visit the page below for more details on how to complete the badge.

<https://scouts.org.uk/cubs/awards/our-skills/>

Air Activities Staged Activity Badge - Stg 2



How to earn your badge

- Make and fly a model aeroplane, three different types of paper gliders, a hot air balloon or a kite
- Choose 3 of these and do them
- Send a simple message using the phonetic alphabet
 - Name and identify the main parts of an aeroplane
 - Identify six airlines from their markings
 - Name and identify different types of aircraft
 - Collect and identify six pictures of different aircraft. Share them with others in your section.
 - Explain how different weather conditions can affect air activities
 - Fly in an aircraft and tells others in your section
 - Meet some one who flies regularly and talk to them about their experience
- Visit an airfield, air display or air museum (this can be done by visiting one virtually online)

Again you can use our Facebook page to share photo's and video's of your Cub completing the tasks.

Visit the page below for more details on how to complete the badge.

<https://scouts.org.uk/staged-badges/air-activities/stage-2>

Cub Home Help Activity Badge



How to earn your badge

- Plan, cook and serve a simple one course meal
- Wash up afterwards
- Help sort out the washing. Load and unload the washing machine
- Iron at least two items
- Sew on a button
- Help clean and tidy a living room
- Clean a least two things in your house (could be a basin, cupboard, silverware or brass)
- Take the sheets, pillow cases and the duvet cover off your bed and help put clean ones on. Make your own bed for a week

To show that your Cub has completed the above tasks, you could post photos of them completing them. You could also post a short video on our closed parent Facebook page.

Visit the page below for more details on how to complete the badge.

<https://scouts.org.uk/cubs/activity-badges/home-help/>

These are just a few of the badges that the Cubs can earn. If none of the ones we have listed interest your Cubs or they want to do more then visit the Scout Associations Cub Page to look at all the badges they can earn.

<https://scouts.org.uk/cubs/>

Don't forget to share photo's and video's of them having a go at the badges.

Section's Facebook page

Email