



# Explorer & Wilderness Explorer

## LEVEL REQUIREMENTS



### Personal Growth

1. Be in Grade 7 or its equivalent.
2.
  - a. Develop your devotional life by studying the Weekly Devotional Guide (weeks 27 – 39) and the book of Acts utilizing printed or electronic resources.
  - b. Journal your thoughts by asking these questions:
    - “What did I learn about God?”
    - “What did I learn about myself?”
    - “How can I apply this to my life today?”
 You may journal through writing, drawing or electronic process.
3.
  - a. Memorize the Pathfinder Pledge.
  - b. Illustrate your understanding of the Pathfinder Pledge in an interesting way.
4. Learn the meaning of the Pathfinder Emblem.



### Spiritual Discovery

1. Learn how to use a Bible concordance by selecting two topics and/or words to discover how it is used in the Bible.
2. Memorize a Bible text (not previously learned) for the following subjects:
 

• Prayer	• Doctrine
• Behavior	• Salvation
• Relationships	• Promises/Praise
• Great Passages	
3. Role-play the experience of a person of the New Testament Church in the book of Acts.
4.
  - a. Learn about eight missionaries (to at least four continents) who served during the Seventh-day Adventist mission expansion (1900 to 1950).
  - b. On a world map, plot their country of service.
  - c. Make a presentation about your favorite missionary.

#### Advanced for Spiritual Discovery

1. Complete Explorer requirements.
2. Compare the expansion of the early Christian church in the book of Acts to the mission expansion of the Seventh-day Adventist Church up to 1950.
3. Study and discuss one of the following life issues with your Explorer group and an adult: Abuse, TV & Movie Theaters, Reading.



### Serving Others

1. Be familiar with the community services in your area and give assistance for at least four hours.
2. Participate in at least two church programs for a total of four hours.

#### Advanced for Serving Others

1. Complete Explorer requirements.
2. Make a personal visit to a sick person or shut-in and follow up with a phone call, letter, card, email, or text message.



### Making Friends

1. Participate in a panel discussion or skit on peer pressure and its role in your decision making.
2. Fulfill requirements #1, #11, #12 and #14 of the Christian Grooming and Manners Honor.

#### Advanced for Making Friends

1. Complete Explorer requirements.
2. Complete Christian Grooming and Manners Honor, if not previously earned.



### Health and Fitness

1. Learn the value of exercise, fresh air & sunshine, by:
  - a. Giving two reasons why physical fitness is important.
  - b. Explaining the relationship between proper diet, exercise, and weight control.
  - c. Explaining the benefits of fresh air and sunshine. (a & b fulfill requirement #7 of the Christian Grooming and Manners Honor)
2. Earn the Basic Rescue Honor.
3. Complete the Basic Water Safety OR Beginner Swimming Honor, if not previously earned.

#### Advanced for Health and Fitness

1. Complete Explorer requirements.

2. Participate in a lifestyle fitness program for your age such as:
  - President’s Challenge Active Lifestyle Program
  - Live Healthy Bermuda Kids
  - Or similar program



### Nature Study

1.
  - a. Review the Genesis account of the flood.
  - b. Read a book about fossils and the biblical flood.
  - c. Study at least three different fossils, explain their origin and relate them to breaking God’s laws.
2. **Stars**
  - a. Be able to identify in the sky: the North Star, Big Dipper, Little Dipper and Orion.
  - b. Explain the spiritual significance of Orion as told in *Early Writings*, p. 41.

#### Advanced for Nature Study

1. Complete Explorer requirements.
2. **Weather/Ferns** Record and graph the weather for two weeks at 12-hour intervals. Include temperature, moisture, cloud formation and wind direction. **OR** Draw or photograph 10 kinds of ferns, and identify correctly.
3. Complete a nature honor, not previously earned. (Skill level 2 or 3)



### Outdoor Living

1. Earn the Knot Tying Honor.
2. Earn the Camping Skills III Honor.



### Honor Enrichment

1. Complete one honor at your skill level, not previously earned, in the area of Arts & Crafts or Household Arts. (Skill level 2 or 3)
2. Complete one honor at your skill level, not previously earned, in the area of Recreational, Vocational, or Outdoor Industries. (Skill level 2 or 3)